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E-QUAL Network Learning Collaboratives

- Improving outcomes for patients with sepsis
- Reducing avoidable imaging in low risk patients through implementation of ACEP's Choosing Wisely recommendations
- Improving the value of ED chest pain evaluation by reducing avoidable admissions in low risk patients with chest pain



The E-QUAL Network is excited to announce the launch of the Avoidable Imaging Initiative on Thursday, June 23rd with a webinar, featuring guest speaker Dr. Gregg Miller. Dr Miller will be presenting on a quality improvement project in emergency departments in three separate hospital systems that used performance feedback to drop CT utilization by over 10%. Leaders from the ACEP, including Jeremiah (Jay) Schuur, MD, MHS and Kevin Klauer DO, EJD, FACEP will also provide information about the E-QUAL Network and opportunities to engage emergency clinicians in the avoidable imaging quality improvement efforts.



Kevin Klauer DO, EJD, FACEP



Gregg Miller, MD, FACEP

Avoidable Imaging Initiative Kickoff Webinar Thursday, June 23rd from 1:00pm-2:00pm EST Register Today!



"The new sepsis three definitions are still causing a lot of buzz, but are they ready for prime time?" The ACEP E-QUAL Network successfully hosted the third <u>Sepsis Initiative webinar</u> on the Sepsis new definitions. Dr. Todd Slesinger led an internationally recognized panel of emergency medicine experts on sepsis including Drs. Osborn, Weingart, Yealy and Jones. <u>Listen to our webinar</u> to understand these definitions and to hear from the amazing group of expert panelists that discuss the controversies around the definitions.

June Sepsis Webinar

Save your spot today! Join us on Wednesday, June 22nd for our next Sepsis Initiative webinar with Drs. Alan Jones and Scott Weingart. Topics of discussion will include *Harnessing the EHR in Sepsis Identification* and *Human Elements in Screening and Initiation of Sepsis Treatment*

June Sepsis Webinar Wednesday, June 22nd 12:00pm-1:00pm EST Register



Scott D. Weingart, MD FACEP FCCM FUCEM DipHTFU MD



Alan Jones, MD FACEP

Sepsis Initiative Webinar Series

All webinars take place from 12:00pm-1:00pm EST

Date Topic

Wednesday, July 20 Register Today!

- Evidence-based Approaches to Resuscitation (fluids, blood, etc.)
- Effective Sepsis Resuscitation in Medically Complex Patients

Wednesday, August 17
Register Today!

- How to Work with the ICU to Improve Sepsis Care Transitions
- How to Improve Inter-Hospital Transfers for Patients with Sepsis

Wednesday, September 21
Register Today!

- Antibiotics and Source Control Essentials in Sepsis
- Common Sepsis Pitfalls and Barriers to Quality Improvement

FREE CME CREDIT

Don't forget to take advantage of the FREE CME credit the E-QUAL network is offering! Each monthly initiative webinar will be accredited one CME credit. See our current CME offerings at:

- Get the BP Up! The Who, When and Why of Today's Sepsis Fluid Therapy
- Rapid Fire: Surviving Sepsis Today Critical Endpoints or Just Common Sense
- Vascular Access and Treatment of Shock in Children

Save the Date!

The ACEP Scientific Assembly (ACEP 16) is now open for <u>registration</u>! ACEP16 is a time to focus on what is important to you - your patients, and your practice. Enhance your clinical skills and be inspired by your emergency medicine colleagues

October 16 -19, 2016 Las Vegas, NV More Information



Join Today!

Join the E-QUAL Network by filling out an **online interest survey** to receive the latest news, updates and project details!

Become part of this national quality movement to redefine and rebrand emergency care!

Questions?

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