

Performance Improvement: Starting the Conversation

December 7, 2022

Description

Peer review should improve clinician performance and patient outcomes. However, as healthcare has become more complex, we understand patient outcomes are usually not reliant upon the performance of a given individual. How do we move from the current peer review process to one more encompassing a learning health system?

The conference speakers will cover many topics related to peer review, including its history in healthcare and the current standard of care descriptions and reporting systems in Kansas compared to other states. In addition, there will be discussions about what hospitals of all sizes across the state face regarding challenges and barriers to effective peer review. In addition, we will discuss the intersection between peer review, the legal system, and physicians' rights through this process. Small group discussions after lunch will help identify issues you face regarding peer review and performance improvement, with the goal of helping to identify solutions.

Please join us for this initial discussion about peer review in Kansas and explore how we can work together within Kansas to improve healthcare professionals' working lives while also improving patient care.

Location

Kansas Medical Society Offices
623 SW 10th Ave.
Topeka, Kan.

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Agenda

7:30 – 8:00 a.m.	Sign in
8:00 – 8:15 a.m.	Welcome and Overview of Conference
8:15 – 9:00 a.m.	What is Peer Review?
9:00 – 9:25 a.m.	The Law and Peer Review
9:25 – 9:45 a.m.	Background of Kansas Statute Regarding Peer Review
9:45 – 10:00 a.m.	Break
10:00 – 11:00 a.m.	What Does Peer Review Look Like?
11:00 – 11:45 a.m.	Moving from Peer Review to Learning Opportunities
11:45 – 12:00 p.m.	Break
12:00 – 12:45 PM	How to Respond to a Peer Review Complaint
12:45 – 1:00 PM	Pick up lunch (provided)
1:00 – 3:00 PM	Breakout sessions A. Q&A with Residents B. Small Group Breakout—Barriers to Peer Review and Lessons Learned on Overcoming
3:00 – 4:00 PM	Report Out and Next Steps

Planned Presenters

- William Barkman, M.D.
Past Chief of Staff, The University of Kansas Health System
- Sarah Good, M.H.A.
President and CEO, Kansas Foundation for Medical Care
- Robert Moser, M.D.
Dean, KU School of Medicine-Salina Campus; Executive Director, Kansas Center for Rural Health
- Tucker Poling, JD
Vice President, Claims, KAMMCO
- Jerry Slaughter
Senior Executive Advisor, Kansas Medical Society
- Elizabeth "Libby" Snelson, JD
President, Legal Counsel for the Medical Staff PLLC, St. Paul, Minn.
- Kim Templeton, M.D.
Professor of Orthopedic Surgery, University of Kansas Medical Center; Past-President, Kansas State Board of Healing Arts; Associate Dean for Continuing Medical Education, University of Kansas Medical Center
- Alan Verrill, M.D.
President and CEO, AdventHealth South, Overland Park, Kan.
- Aimee Zimmerman, B.S.N., RN
CEO, Logan County Hospital, Oakley, Kan.

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contact the KU Medical Center Area Health Education Center at (620) 235-4040.

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Target Audience

Physicians, nurses, risk managers, hospital CEOs and others responsible for, or participating in, peer review, risk management and quality improvement programs in Kansas hospitals, ambulatory surgical centers, physician clinics and other clinical facilities which conduct peer review and performance improvement programs.

Cost/How to Register

There is no fee to attend, but **registration is required by noon December 5, 2022.**

Register online at:

<https://www.eeds.com/byinviteonly/320234>



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Planning Committee

Kim Templeton, M.D.; Jennifer Esau; Robert Moser, M.D.; Tucker Poling, JD; William Barkman, M.D.; Vicki Whitaker; Jerry Slaughter; Courtney Cyzman; Shelley Boden; Dawson Clark; Tanner Campbell; Chad Austin; Karen Braman; Marilyn St. Peter; Mary Beth Warren, M.S., RN; Sarah Good, M.H.A.; and Angela Jirik

Learning Objectives

By the conclusion of the meeting, participants will be able to

- Describe the differences between the peer view and root cause analysis processes in terms of structure and goals.
- Describe the intersection between peer review and the legal system.
- Outline the meaning and anticipated outcomes from the various SOC categories.
- Outline the challenges to effective peer review in multiple hospital settings and systems.
- Describe the rights of a healthcare professional during the peer review process.

Continuing Education Credit

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