Join physicians, nursing homes and communities across the country who are receiving five years of no-cost support to improve outcomes for patients, deliver better resident care and improve care transitions and population health. The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) selected the Health Quality Innovation Network (HQIN) to assist health care providers and communities in your area.

HQIN offers tools, training, data analyses and consultation to help:

- **Physicians** produce better results on quality measures while creating additional revenue streams
- **Nursing homes** raise their Total Quality Score and elevate their star rating
- **Communities** develop local solutions that make care safer, more accessible and less costly

HQIN members also contribute to these significant national goals for better patient care:

1. Improve behavioral health outcomes, focusing on decreased opioid misuse
2. Increase patient safety by preventing infections and reducing adverse drug events
3. Increase chronic disease self-management for cardiac and vascular health conditions, diabetes, and slowing and preventing End Stage Renal Disease
4. Improve the quality of care transitions
5. Improve nursing home quality

Our initiatives incorporate the unique perspective and needs of patients and their families and target vulnerable and disparate populations, as well as those living in rural areas.

**How You Benefit**

HQIN participation connects you with others in your vicinity that have similar goals and complementary strengths. In addition to data reports that deliver clear and specific information, we provide improvement toolkits with everything you need to take action. We package education in bite-sized segments and make educational programming available to view on your own schedule.

Our team of quality improvement experts monitor the performance of HQIN members and offer coaching to improve performance. Our experts are just a call or email away for as-needed consultation to keep your efforts on track.
Other benefits of HQIN membership include:

1. Regional and national networks for peer-to-peer learning
2. Training that strengthens your quality improvement skills
3. Knowledge and insights from regional and national experts
4. Resource recommendations that target your needs
5. Peer mentoring opportunities

What You Do
To see results, your commitment includes implementing and testing changes to improve care, making data available for analyses, reviewing data reports, participating in HQIN virtual learning events, and sharing your best practices with other HQIN members.

Get Started Today
Visit www.hqin.org for more information and to complete and submit a participation agreement.

HQIN is a network of organizations and individuals who are making health care better for millions of Americans through funding provided by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Quality Improvement Organization Program. Members include providers, community-based organizations, health care associations, patients and families in Kansas, Missouri, South Carolina and Virginia.

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