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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING:  
Clinical Advisory Panel (CAP)**

**Date:**

**April 5, 2023  
8:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

**Locations:**

Department of Health Care Access and Information  
2020 West El Camino Ave.  
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**AGENDA**

**1. Call to Order, Welcome and Meeting Minutes**

*Ralph Brindis, M.D., M.P.H., F.A.C.C., CAP Chair*

Call to order, welcome and introductions, and approval of minutes from November 4, 2022 meeting.

**2. Swearing in of New Panel Member**

*Scott Christman, Chief Deputy Director, HCAI*

One new member has been appointed to the CAP and will be sworn in.

**3. HCAI Director’s Office Report**

*Scott Christman, Chief Deputy Director, HCAI*

Presentation on department policy and program activities of interest.

**4. HCAI Office of Information Services Update**

*Christopher Krawczyk, Ph.D., Chief Analytics Officer, HCAI*

Update on the Office of Information Services activities and data analytics products.

**5. Quality and Performance Section Update**

*Holly Hoegh, Ph.D., HCAI*

Clinical Advisory Panel name, status of public reports, statewide trends in cardiac procedures, update on CABG data collection and correction activities, exclusions of COVID patients and other program information.

**6. Chair's Report**

*Ralph Brindis, M.D., M.P.H., F.A.C.C., CAP Chair*

Presentation on the latest studies and news in cardiovascular care.

**7. Results of the 2021 CABG Data Audit**

*Holly Hoegh, Ph.D., HCAI*

Presentation of results of the 2021 medical chart data reabstraction for 27 hospitals.

**8. Mortality as a Risk-adjusted Outcome for Isolated CABG Surgery**

*Limin Wang, M.D., Ph.D., HCAI*

Presentation on the risk model and methods for developing the outcome measure and request for approval of risk model and methods for generating hospital-level results for a public report.

**9. Mortality as a Risk-adjusted Outcome for CABG + Valve Surgery**

*Limin Wang, M.D., Ph.D., HCAI*

Presentation on the risk model and methods for developing the outcome measure and request for approval of risk model and methods for generating hospital-level results for a public report.

**10. Post-operative Inpatient Stroke as a Risk-adjusted Outcome for Isolated CABG Surgery**

*Limin Wang, M.D., Ph.D., HCAI*

Presentation on the risk model and methods for developing the outcome measure and request for approval of risk model and methods for generating hospital-level results for a public report.

**11. Hospital Readmissions as a Risk-adjusted Outcome for Isolated CABG Surgery**

*Limin Wang, M.D., Ph.D., HCAI*

Presentation on the risk model and methods for developing the outcome measure and request for approval of risk model and methods for generating hospital-level results for a public report.

## **12. Upcoming CCORP Hospital-level Report**

*Holly Hoegh, Ph.D., HCAI*

Discussion of HCAI's recommendations on the 2021 report contents.

- 2021 risk-adjusted isolated CABG mortality rates for hospitals.
- 2020-2021 risk-adjusted CABG + Valve mortality rates for hospitals.
- 2020-2021 risk-adjusted isolated CABG post-operative inpatient stroke rates for hospitals.
- 2020-2021 risk-adjusted isolated CABG 30-day readmission rates for hospitals.
- 2021 internal mammary artery usage rates for hospitals.

## **13. Transcatheter Aortic Valve Replacement (TAVR) Outcomes Reporting**

*Holly Hoegh, Ph.D. and Mark Kishiyama, Ph.D., HCAI*

Presentation on the timeline and progress towards TAVR outcomes reporting.  
Discussion and recommendations on outcomes for public reporting.

## **14. Exclusions to Isolated CABG and CABG + Valve cases**

*Holly Hoegh, Ph.D., HCAI*

Discussion and possible revisions to the set of procedures that exclude cases from the categories of isolated CABG and CABG + Valve.

## **15. Public Comment**

*Ralph Brindis, M.D., M.P.H., F.A.C.C., CAP Chair*

## **16. Adjournment**

*Ralph Brindis, M.D., M.P.H., F.A.C.C., CAP Chair*

**Note: Action may be taken on any item listed in this agenda.**

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