

Safer Healthcare Now!

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Today's Presentation:

Safer Healthcare Now! (SHN)

- What is SHN? and
- What is new for this fall and 2012?

SHN is a program of the Canadian Patient Safety Institute that has the mandate to improve the safety of patient care in Canada through **learning, sharing and implementing interventions** that are known to reduce avoidable patient safety incidents.

Safer Healthcare Now!

- Started in 2005 as a grassroots campaign
- Evolved into the “flagship program” of CPSI
- Offers tools, services to support individuals and teams
- Available across Canada
- Bilingual

Safer Healthcare Now!

- Each intervention blends evidence and improvement science
- Designed to help accelerates the time it takes to put evidence into practice

SHN Interventions

- Collaboration
- Evidence
- Improvement Methodologies
- Creating a network of learning and sharing




Participating in SHN

- Anyone can register with SHN, at any time
- Register on-line at no cost to join
- Bilingual resources are downloadable
- Support from Regional Safety Improvement Advisors, Intervention Leaders, Clinical faculty
- Communities of Practice
- Yearly offerings: Collaboratives, Action Series, Workshops and National Calls

Measuring for Patient Safety

Patient Safety Metrics: Measuring to Reduce Harm



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CLI

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Falls-LTC

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SSI

VAP

Intervention with Data Submitted	Intervention Status	Lastest Data
AMI - Improved Care for Acute Myocardial Infarction	Working To Goal	2011/Apr
CLI - Central Line-Associated Primary Bloodstream Infections	Working To Goal	2011/Mar
Falls-Acute - Reducing Falls and Injury from Falls in Acute Care	Working To Goal	2011/Apr
Falls-LTC - Reducing Falls and Injury from Falls in Long-term Care	Working To Goal	2011/Mar
MedRec-Acute - Medication Reconciliation in Acute Care	Inactive	2008/May
SSI - Reducing Surgical Site Infection	Working To Goal	2011/Mar
VAP - Ventilator-Associated Pneumonia	Working To Goal	2011/Apr

Manage Interventions

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To access Patient Safety Metrics visit www.saferhealthcarenow.ca



- **AIM:** help teams accelerate the implementation of evidence based strategies, such as hand hygiene, environmental cleaning and surveillance, to reduce healthcare associated infections
- **Who:** any team, from any sector of care who wants to work towards reducing infections
- **What:** a **12 + 6 month virtual collabortive** with: 7 virtual learning sessions over a 12-month period, with monthly support calls and ongoing team support for 6-additional months
- **When:** starts **November 10th, 2011**
- **For more information and to register:** www.saferhealthcarenow.ca

Delirium and Medication Reconciliation *Collaborative*



- **AIM:** help participating teams accelerate their implementation of evidence based strategies related to Medication Reconciliation and the prevention of delirium
- **Who:** Canadian Teams in the ICU setting
- **What:** 12 month virtual collaborative with 5 learning sessions and monthly team calls
- **When:** starts **January, 2012**
- **For more information and to register:** www.saferhealthcarenow.ca



- **AIM:** help participating teams kick start the use of Medication Reconciliation at time of discharge
- **Who:** Action Series is ideal for anyone involved in implementing medication reconciliation at discharge in their acute care hospital.
- **What:** 5 virtual learning sessions over a 4 month period
- **When:** starts **January, 2012**

New products - coming soon...



STOP Infections Now: **New** Getting Started Kit



Central Line Infection: **Revised** Getting Started Kit



Ventilator Associated Pneumonia: **Revised** Getting Started Kit



Safe Surgical Care : **New** Getting Started Kit

New products - available now on website



Acute Myocardial Infraction: Revised Getting Started Kit



Medication Reconciliation in Acute Care: Revised Getting Started Kit



Venous Thromboembolism: Revised Getting Started Kit

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