



2011 Best Practice Partners

Organization	Recipient	Topic
Chester River Hospital Center www.chesterriverhealth.org	Kathy Schmidt	The TIDE Rises at Chester River Hospital Center
Choctaw Nation Health Care Services Authority www.choctawnationhealth.com	Gary Lawrence	Improving the Medication Reconciliation Process
Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center www.emrhc.org	Jim Tune & Debbie Goodwin	Improving Emergency Department Length of Stay Through the Use of Lean and Change Management Tools
Willis - Knighton Health System www.wkhs.com	Daniel Nickerson	Maximizing the Efficiency of Patient Flow and Creating a Culture of Communication



2009-2010 Best Practice Partners

Organization	Recipient	Topic
Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center www.emrhc.org	Ashley Mouser	Multi-Disciplinary Team for Prophylactic Anticoagulation Orders
Inova Emergency Care Centers www.inova.org	Yvette Dean	Free Standing Emergency Department
Inova Mt. Vernon Hospital www.inova.org	Lynn Weir	INNOVATION AWARD WINNER HeartLink Tel-Assurance Program
North Broward Medical Center www.browardhealth.org	Beverly Beyerlein-Davis & Tryce Cabaj	Joint Replacement Center



2008 Best Practice Partners

Organization	Recipient	Topic
Coral Springs Medical Center www.browardhealth.org	Ava Dobin	Infection Control: "Good-Bye UTI" Program
Duke University Hospital www.dukehealth.org	Anita George	Leadership: Customized, Paperless HIM Workflow
Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center www.emrmc.org	Joan Haltom, Pharm.D.	Patient Safety: Innovative Medication Reconciliation
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania www.pennhealth.com/hup	Brooke McDonnell	INNOVATION AWARD WINNER Leadership: "Virtual Capacity" Patient Flow Initiative
Kernan Hospital www.kernan.org	Donna Raimondi	Survey Coordination: Innovative Staff Education
Sentara Virginia Beach General Hospital www.sentara.com	Robin Hearne	Infection Control: Medical Model for Reducing Catheter- Associated UTIs in the ICU
St. Vincent Hospital – Indianapolis www.stvincent.org	William Spanenberg, MD	Patient Safety: Executive Safety Physician Safety Program, allowing any employee to "stop the line"



2007 Best Practice Partners

Organization	Recipient	Topic
Choctaw National Health Services Authority www.choctawnationhealth.com	Tamie Cannady & Candace Vaughn	Automated Prescription Refill Center
Choctaw National Health Services Authority www.choctawnationhealth.com	Trish Kelley	Preparing for a TJC-Survey – “Hee Haw” Style
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania www.pennhealth.com/hup	Eileen Haller	The TJC Survey Experience
Inova Mt. Vernon Hospital www.inova.org	Paul Haurie & Patricia Mook	Patient Safety Goals – Establishing a Rapid Response Team
Kernan Hospital www.kernan.org	Donna Raimondi	Continuous Readiness through the use of Nursing Summits
Levine Children’s Hospital www.levinechildrenshospital.org	Martha Whitecotton	Ten principals of a successful healthcare arts program
Saint Clare’s Health System www.saintclares.org	Jill McCaffrey	Care Enhancement Approach
Saint Francis Care www.saintfranciscare.com	Mary Inguanti Kate Roche	National Patient Safety – Managing Anticoagulation Therapy in the healthcare setting
Schneider Regional Medical Center www.rlshospital.org	Amos Cary Jr.	The Value of Accreditation



2006 Best Practice Partners

Organization	Recipient	Topic
Broward General Medical Center www.browardhealth.org	Gail Gillenwaters	Compliance and Clarification Healthcare Facilities
Clark Regional Medical Center www.clarkregional.org	Nancy Thomas	Accreditation Programs (AOA)
Johns Hopkins Hospital www.hopkinsmedicine.org	Gai Cole	Business Continuity Planning
Kernan Hospital www.kernan.org	Donna Raimondi	"Kernolpoly" and other Creative Strategies to Achieve Continuous Readiness
Schneider Regional Medical Center www.rishospital.org	Angela Rennalls-Atkins	TJC Decision Recovery 2006



2005 Best Practice Partners

Organization	Recipient	Topic
Coral Springs Medical Center www.browardhealth.org	Ava Dobin	Reducing Risk and Cost in Ventilator-Associated Pneumonia
Port Huron Hospital www.porthuronhospital.org	Ronnie Walker	Executing the 2005 JCAHO Survey Process
Saint Clare's Health System www.saintclares.org	Jill McCaffrey	Critical Event Response Team
St Joseph Health Services of Rhode Island www.saintjosephri.com	Marcia Trenn	Maintaining a Successful Life Safety Code - Fire Response System
St. Jude Children's Hospital www.stjude.org	Julie Gillespie	Continuous Survey Readiness and the Survey Coordinator



2004 Best Practice Partners

Organization	Recipient	Topic
Avery Health System – Charles A Cannon Memorial Hospital www.apprhs.org	Amy Mitchell	Customer Service Excellence – The Planetree Model
Choctaw National Health Services Authority www.choctawnationhealth.com	Tammy McGee	Maximizing Surgical Infection Prevention
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania www.pennhealth.com/hup	Eileen Haller	Operationalizing the 2004 JCAHO Survey Process
Port Huron Hospital www.porthuronhospital.org	Ronnie Walker	Executing the JCAHO Periodic Performance Review
Saint Clare's Health System www.saintclares.org	Jill McCaffrey	The Road to Survey Success
Spring Harbor Hospital www.springharbor.org	Jo Ann Griffin	The Phoenix Rises from the Ashes - Redesigning Mental Health
St. Joseph Health Services of Rhode Island www.sainjosephri.com	Marcia Trenn	Emergency Management Response – The Station Fire