

# SustiNet Health Partnership

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### AGENDA

February 18, 2010

8:00 AM – 9:30 AM EST

Connecticut Hospital Association  
Wallingford, CT

1. Welcome and Introductions
  2. Review and Approval of Minutes of January 21, 2010 meeting
  3. Overview of Agenda
  4. Quality of Care Discussion Points:
    - a. Principles for Quality Assessment Measures (Outline Attached)
  5. Wrap-up of discussion
  6. Plan for March meeting
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## Principles for Quality Assessment Measures

1. Meaningful – relevant to providers and consumers, add value
2. Vetted—measures should be previously vetted by recognized source, allowing for possibility that there are unique quality factors for CT to consider
3. Validated
4. Not onerous – accessible & affordable to track and report data
  - a. POS/EHR data preferred; may need to start with claims data
  - b. How can practices achieve reporting requirements?
5. Key domains of care to consider for quality
  - a. Outpatient, with examples currently in place
    - i. VA performance data set: access, patient satisfaction (survey tool needed), 5 relevant clinical measures
    - ii. Review UDS data submitted by FQHCs
  - b. Inpatient
    - i. Various data sets available
  - c. Long term
    - i. Minimum data set sample
6. Special populations
  - a. Reporting transparency and feedback
    - i. Feed back to providers
    - ii. Feedback to public
    - iii. Feedback to Sustinet/state
7. Phased in approach
  - a. Starting more simply
  - b. Supporting process for small practices – EHR, Medical Home, etc