



Improving Immunization Rates and Reducing Disparities

Historically, immunization rates among adults have been low. atom Alliance aims to change that by working with practitioners, providers, stakeholders and Medicare beneficiaries in Alabama, Indiana, Kentucky and Mississippi.

atom Alliance will

- Assist practices with benchmarking and quality improvement activities.
- Assist practices in Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) Programs reporting.
- Assist practices in interpreting electronic health record (EHR) data and CMS reporting results.
- Provide best practices, educational events and other resources as appropriate.

Providers will

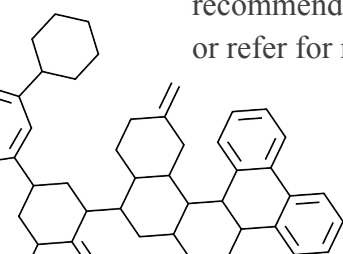
- Participate in Learning and Action Network (LAN) activities to share best practices and success stories.
- Utilize tools to educate beneficiaries on the importance of immunization.
- Implement best practices for assessing needs, recommend needed vaccines and administer or refer for recommended vaccines.

- Implement quality improvement techniques to measure and improve rates for Medicare beneficiaries.
- Submit data to the Immunization Information System (IIS).

Our Goal

By 2019, we envision an absolute rate of

- 90 percent for adult immunization status assessment, vaccination or referral and electronic documentation of status via.
- 90 percent for pneumococcal vaccination for those ≥ 65 years of age.
- 70 percent for influenza vaccination for those ≥ 65 years of age.
- 30 percent for Herpes Zoster vaccination for those ≥ 60 years of age.



Who We Are

atom Alliance is a multi-state alliance for powerful change composed of three nonprofit, healthcare quality improvement consultancies – Qsource, AQAF and Information & Quality Healthcare (IQH). We serve the states of Alabama, Indiana, Kentucky, Mississippi and Tennessee.



We are change agents focused on three aims: better patient care, better population health and lower health care costs through improvement.

We share expertise to advance the goals of the National Quality Strategy and support CMS in efforts to transform the course of healthcare in our nation for the better.

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