

Pediatric Toolkit for Using the AHRQ Quality Indicators  
How To Improve Hospital Quality and Safety

AHRQ Pediatric Quality Indicators Prioritization Worksheet																	
	Section 1- Blue		Section 2-Green						Section 3-Purple			Section 4-Orange					
	Own Rate and National Comparator		Estimate Annual Cost and Cost To Implement						Rate Strategic Alignment and Regulatory Mandates <small>Rate on scale of 10 (agree/high) to 0 (disagree/low)</small>			Barrier Assessment (Indicate Yes or No)					
	List of PDIs	C Own Rate	D National Comparator	E Volume of Cases at Risk	F Cost of Single Event	G Total Cost	H Cost To Implement	I Penalties and Incentives	J Proxies for Cost	K Strategic Alignment	L External Mandates	M Public Perception	N Executive-Level Support	O Staff Capability	P Staff Willingness	Q Time and Effort	R Ability To Monitor Progress
<b>Neonatal</b>	NQI 01 Neonatal Iatrogenic Pneumothorax																
	NQI 02 Neonatal Mortality Rate																
	NQI 03 Neonatal Blood Stream Infection Rate																
<b>Pediatric</b>	PDI 01 Accidental Puncture or Laceration Rate																
	PDI 02 Pressure Ulcer Rate																
	PDI 05 Iatrogenic Pneumothorax Rate																
	PDI 06 RACHS-1 Pediatric Heart Surgery Mortality Rate																
	PDI 07 RACHS-1 Pediatric Heart Surgery Volume																
	PDI 08 Perioperative Hemorrhage or Hematoma Rate																
	PDI 09 Postoperative Respiratory Failure Rate																
	PDI 10 Postoperative Sepsis Rate																
	PDI 11 Postoperative Wound Dehiscence Rate																
	PDI 12 Central Venous Catheter-Related Blood Stream Infection Rate																
<b>Sentinel Events</b>	PDI 03 Retained Surgical Item or Unretrieved Device Fragment Count																
	PDI 13 Transfusion Reaction Count																
<b>Pediatric Safety Composite Indicator</b>	PDI 19 Pediatric Safety for Selected Indicators																

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