

## **American College of Medical Quality Statement in Support of the NPP Recommendations**

The American College of Medical Quality (ACMQ) is pleased to support the National Quality Forum's National Priority Partnership (NPP) recommendations. The recommendations provide a useful roadmap to support actions that must be taken as cost escalation and the quality gaps are tackled.

ACMQ will use the NPP priorities as a platform for our physician professional development offerings, where we added the recommendations to the theme for our 2009 annual meeting and are pursuing a supplement on NPP content for our journal, the *American Journal of Medical Quality*. We are embedding the priorities into our monthly audio-conferencing sessions, and will include NPP subject matter as a component for a new website associated to the ACMQ core curriculum, version 2.0 , scheduled for publication in February 2009.

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