

Program Summary

This page provides an overview of the program content and learning objectives. Please refer to the Table of Contents and Program Outline for a detailed list of the topics covered. The information included in this Resource Guide is intended to support but not duplicate the video presentation content. There may be additional information available online for this topic.

Program Description

Acceptable surgical standards of practice include maintaining compliance with applicable federal and state laws, regulations, and guidelines governing surgical services or surgical service locations, as well as any standards and recommendations promoted or established by nationally-recognized professional organizations (e.g., the American Medical Association, American College of Surgeons, Association of Operating Room Nurses, Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology, etc.).

The Surgical Services CoP §482.51 requires provision of surgical services in accordance with acceptable standards of practice. It provides additional support for the expectation that surgical services are conducted in a sanitary environment, based on nationally-recognized standards of practice. In addition, these provisions can be reviewed in all settings where procedures meet the CMS definition of surgery.

In establishing such policies, the hospital is expected to take into account the characteristics of the patients served, the skill set of the clinical staff providing the services, as well as the characteristics of the sedation medications used in the various clinical settings.

Through in-depth expert panel discussion and featured case studies, this 60-minute live event identifies these revisions and discusses ways to ensure these CoPs are being met.

Program Objectives

After completing this activity, the participant should be able to:

1. Identify problematic issues related to the Surgical Services CoP.
2. Describe the survey process related to the Surgical Services CoP.
3. Develop strategies for achieving compliance with the Surgical Services CoP.

Target Audience

This activity is relevant to all healthcare leaders, the entire hospital and medical staff, infection control practitioners, engineering staff, risk management professionals, performance improvement (PI) directors/Joint Commission coordinators, and nurse managers/directors.

Program Outline

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) – Complying with CMS Condition of Participation (CoP) §482.51: Surgical Services

June 23, 2016

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- V. Post-Program Live Question and Answer Session
 - A. Audio only telephone seminar with program faculty – for 30 minutes following the program.
 - B. Call 1-888-206-0090; enter conference code: 7925428.
Or e-mail your questions or comments to: Questions@jcrqsn.com

Program Broadcast Time	Eastern: 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Central: 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Mountain: 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. Pacific: 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
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Program Question and Answer Session

During the live airing of this program on June 23, 2016, you may be able to talk directly with the faculty when prompted by the program's host. After this date, your message will be forwarded to the appropriate personnel.

Immediately following the program, we invite you to join in a live discussion with the program presenters. Call 1-888-206-0090 and enter Conference Code: 7925428 to be included in the teleconference.

To submit your question ahead of time or for additional details, please send an e-mail to questions@jcrqsn.com. If you submit your questions after this date, your message will be forwarded to the appropriate personnel.

You can also receive answers to your questions by calling The Joint Commission's Standards Interpretation Hotline at 630-792-5900, option 6.

Continuing Education (CE) Credit

After viewing the JCR Quality & Safety Network presentation and reading this Resource Guide, please complete the required online CE/CME credit activities (test and feedback form). The test measures knowledge gained and/or provides a means of self-assessment on a specific topic. The feedback form provides us with valuable information regarding your thoughts on the activity's quality and effectiveness.

NOTE: Effective April 1, 2012, the Learning Management System web site URL changed as noted below.

Prior to the Program Presentation Day

1. Login to the JCRQSN Learning Management System web site at <http://twnlms.com/>
2. Enroll yourself into the program

Note: Your administrator may have already enrolled you in the program

 - Select *All Courses* from the courses menu.
 - Select the course category for the current year, *2016 Programs*.
 - Select the course for this program, *Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) – Complying with CMS Condition of Participation (CoP) §482.51: Surgical Services*
 - When prompted, choose *Yes* to confirm that you would like to enroll yourself.
3. Display and print the desired documents (Resource Guide, etc.).

Online Process for CE/CME Credit

1. Read the course materials and view the entire presentation.
2. Login to the JCRQSN Learning Management System web site at <http://twnlms.com/>
3. Select *Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) – Complying with CMS Condition of Participation (CoP) §482.51: Surgical Services* from the courses menu block.

Note: This assumes you have already been enrolled in the program as described above.
4. If you didn't view the broadcast video presentation, view it online.
5. Complete the online post test (see Appendix E).
 - You have up to three attempts to successfully complete the test with a minimum passing score of 80%.
 - Physicians must take the post test to obtain credit.
6. Complete the program feedback form.
7. On the top right corner of the main course page, you will see your completion status in the *Status* block.
8. Select *Print Certificate* from within the *Status* block to print your completion certificate.