HSAG is the Medicare Quality Innovation Network-Quality Improvement Organization (QIN-QIO) for Arizona and California. As the QIN-QIO, HSAG collaborates with patients, families, caregivers, hospitals, nursing homes, home health agencies, physician offices, and other stakeholders to improve healthcare for Medicare beneficiaries.

HSAG provides technical assistance, convenes learning and action networks for sharing best practices, and collects and analyzes data to support providers to achieve Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS) national goals and priorities.

- Improve care for Medicare beneficiaries
  - Increase COVID-19, influenza, and pneumococcal immunization rates
  - Prevent and manage COVID-19 outbreaks
  - Implement pain and opioid use best practices
  - Strengthen emergency preparedness plans
  - Reduce 30-day preventable readmissions
  - Decrease hospitalizations related to facility-acquired infections

To support data-driven decisions and strategies, HSAG developed the Quality Improvement Innovation Portal (QIIP), a data application for hospitals and nursing homes participating in HSAG initiatives. To access facility-specific Medicare Fee-for-Service data, performance dashboards, and run charts, visit www.hsag.com/qiip-start.

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