## **Elevate the Power** of System-Wide **Performance**





### With ACC at your side,

guiding your multi-disciplinary teams in unison through the Accreditation process, each of your facilities will be able to identify the numerous financial, operational,

# **Unify Your Approach** to Accreditation

Systems of care are in a truly unique position to transform the outcomes of thousands of CV patients. Shared clinical objectives can lead to sustainable, budget-minded practices when each of the participating facilities within a system acquire the discipline it takes to operate in an environment that advocates performance improvement.

### ACC Accreditation Services understands how to scale the adoption of process improvement techniques across multiple facilities and CV services lines.

While shared system goals are established and supported, each participating facility is able to implement site-specific plans that are designed to address their most critical financial, quality, and patient care needs. This allows each hospital to better identify specific gaps or variations in care.

Through Accreditation a system can also direct its facilities to share best practices with their system counterparts and with outside facilities that have successfully tackled similar clinical challenges.

Building communities of excellence is one of the driving forces of Accreditation and one of the surest ways to establish an agile strategy that supports integrated and results-oriented decision making.

# **Create a Better Roadmap for Sustainable Process Improvement.**

Partner with ACC Accreditation Services to begin the Accreditation journey



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Continue to optimize practices and target new areas for continuous process improvement

Achieve Accreditation, build reputation for outstanding patient care

Monitor process improvement, measure success, follow strategic recommendations

Assess the current status of your CV programs, perform gap analysis, set milestones

Implement action plan, align resources, and rollout improvement strategies

Share ideas and best practices across all participating facilities

### **Benefits of System-Wide Accreditation**

The benefits of Accreditation are significant and are repeatedly demonstrated to lead to better operating margins per patient. In addition to reducing readmissions and associated costs, systems have found that Accreditation:



### **Improves patient** outcomes and decreases variation in care across all participating entities

• Provides an opportunity for the highest performing hospitals to share their best practices within the system



#### **Reinforces corporate** commitment and accountability

- Promotes group awareness of objectives and capabilities; diminishes barriers within the system
- Oversight and management of multiple hospitals pursuing Accreditation independently can be disjointed and difficult to coordinate - leading to stray outliers and irregular adherence to strategic initiatives and performance goals



#### Spotlights each facility's peformance metrics

 Provides greater opportunity to benchmark facilities within a system as they simultaneously pursue process improvement

Ask our Accreditation team about the exclusive training platform and pricing discounts available for systemwide Accreditation programs and how ACC can advance strategies for enterprise-wide performance improvement.



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