

Discover NCDR Committees: Connect & Learn

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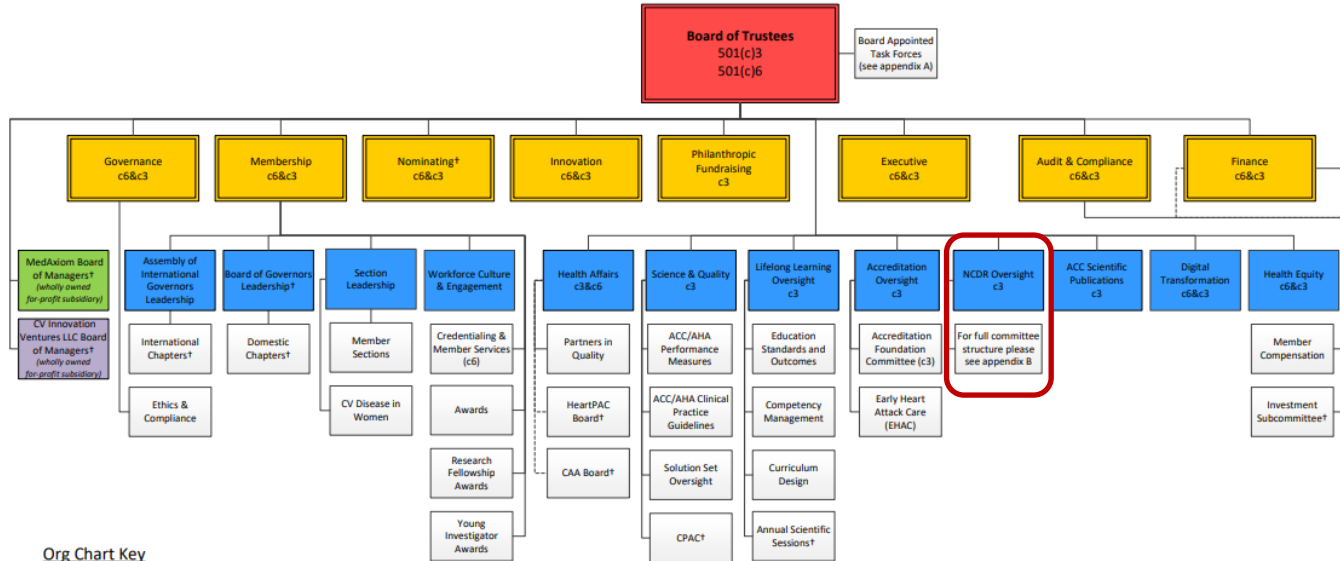
NCDR Oversight Committee Chair

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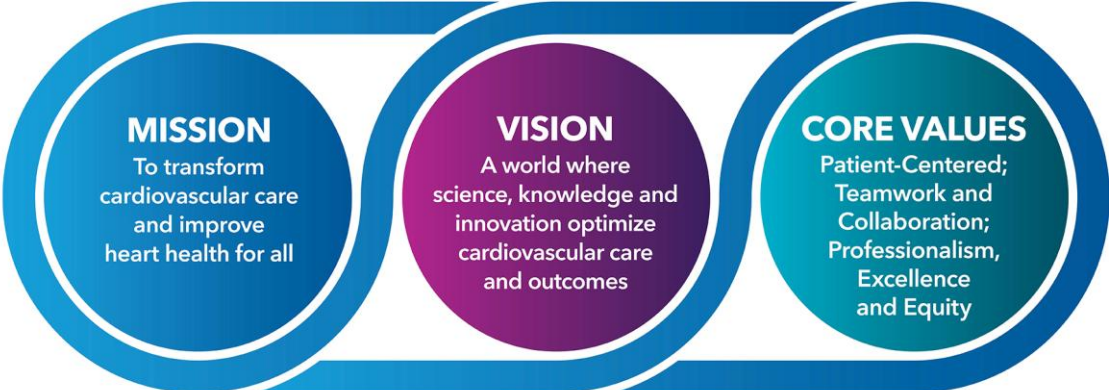
Org Chart Key

- ACC Board of Trustees
- Standing Committee
- Major Operating Committee
- MedAxiom Board of Managers
- CV Innovation Ventures LLC Board of Managers

*Not appointed through ACC Nominating Committee

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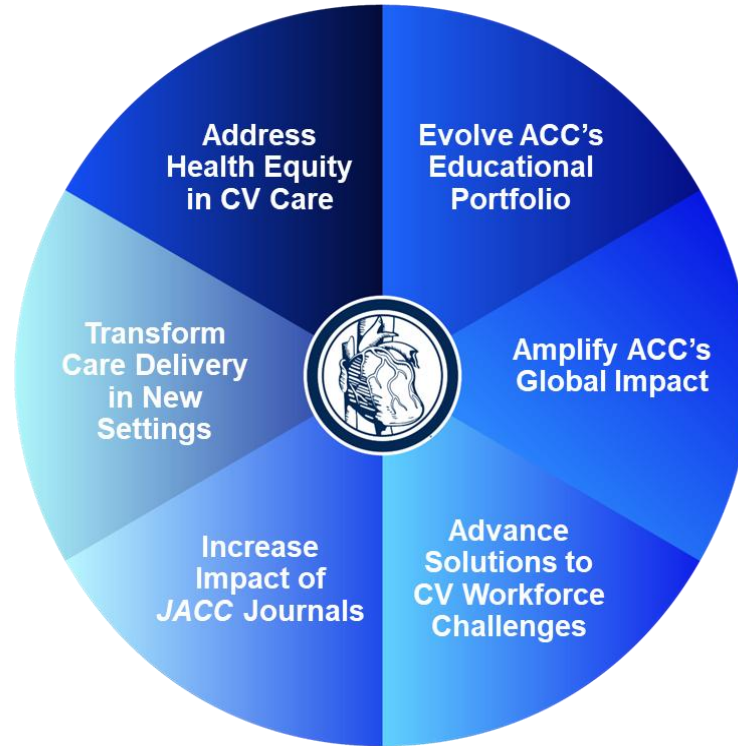
...guided by a mission, vision, values and strategic plan dedicated to equitable cardiovascular patient care...



STRATEGIC PILLARS

...and focused on key ACC Board of Trustee directed strategic initiatives for 2024-2028*

Six Strategic Initiatives that support ALL the Strategic Pillars



* Strategic plan initiatives revised by the ACCF Board of Trustees during January 2026 meeting

NCDR is guided by a complimentary strategic plan...

NCDR 2024-2028 STRATEGIC PLAN

Mission: To improve patient care & heart health for all through trusted, real-world evidence.

Vision: A world where NCDR advances patient care, outcomes, & value through science, knowledge & innovation.

1. Enhance Relevance & Experience



1.1. Demonstrate ROI & NCDR's Value through Data & Programs



1.2. Enhance Insights & Time to Insights



1.3. Ease the Participation Effort



1.4. Build a Culture of CV Quality & Clinician Agency/Engagement



1.5. Understand Market & Customer Needs

2. Support the Delivery of High-Quality, High-Value, Equitable Care



2.1. Deliver Value-Focused QI Offerings (e.g., Campaigns, Tools, Education, Reimbursement)



2.2. Support Health Equity Initiatives for Customers (Industry, Hospitals, Payers)



2.3. Enhance the View of Patient-Centered Care & Delivery

3. Ensure Growth & Sustainability



3.1. Provide New Registry Offerings (e.g., ASCs, Non-Procedural)



3.2. Harness NCDR Data Beyond the "Core" Offering to Support Sustainability & Growth



3.3. Leverage Data Science & Expand the Research & Analytics Portfolio

4. Optimize Tech & Operations












4.1. Optimize Tech Infrastructure, Performance, & Data Quality



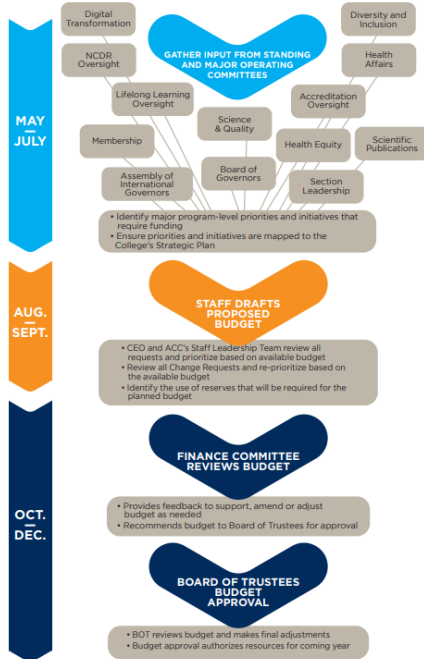
4.2. Improve Efficiency, Consistency, & Flexibility of Operations

...to support work on the NCDR portfolio...

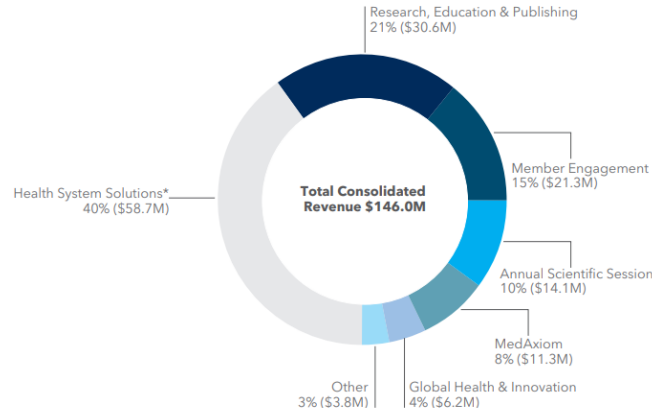
Name	Disease or Device	Facility	Sites	Records
 	Percutaneous coronary interventions Diagnostic catheterizations	Hospital/Free Standing/ASC	1792	24,593,505
 	Implantable cardioverter defibrillators Pacemakers	Hospital/Free Standing/ASC	630	2,406,617
	Acute coronary syndrome STEMI and NSTEMI	Hospital/EMS	694	2,213,499
	Congenital heart disease Pediatric and Adult	Hospital	105	214,927
	Transcatheter Valve Therapy	Hospital	826	744,912
	Left atrial appendage occlusion procedures	Hospital	882	294,627
	AF ablation procedures	Hospital	169	195,602

...that ensures NCDR maintains its key strategic & operational roles for ACC

THE ACC BUDGET PROCESS

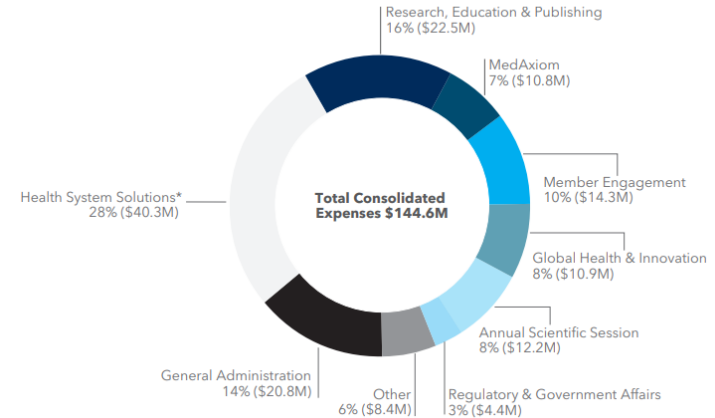


REVENUE



*Includes NCDR, Accreditation Services, and Science & Quality

EXPENSES



NCDR leadership starts in your community...

- Over 2,200 unique facilities participate in one or more NCDR registries or ACC Accreditation Services to support CV QI efforts
- CardioSmart.org provides full profile of each hospital's ACC engagement, so you can find your hospital affiliations easily
- Email NCDR@ACC.org to get connected to a specific hospital's registry site manager or accreditation coordinator



The screenshot displays the CardioSmart.org website interface. At the top, the CardioSmart logo (American College of Cardiology) and the 'Find Your Heart a Home' logo (Connecting heart patients with the right hospital) are visible. Navigation links for Home, About, FYHAH, EHAC, and ACC.org are present, along with a search bar. The main navigation bar includes 'Patients', 'Hospitals', and 'Service Glossary'. The 'Hospitals' section is active, featuring a search form with fields for 'Hospital Name' and 'Location' (Address, State, or Zip). Below the search form, a list of 'Cardiac Services' is shown, including 'Acute Myocardial Infarction Tree' and 'Adult Congenital Heart Program'. The main content area is titled 'Find Your Heart a Home: For Hospitals' and contains text about the ACC Quality Improvement for Institutions Program, stating that hospitals participating in the NCDR must submit a Data Release Consent Form for each registry. A 'Download Data' button is located in the top right corner of the content area, and a 'Data & Reports' section below it explains that users can download in-depth data for hospitals affiliated with the ACC.

...and advance your impact through ACC & NCDR Committee application process

Application Requirements:

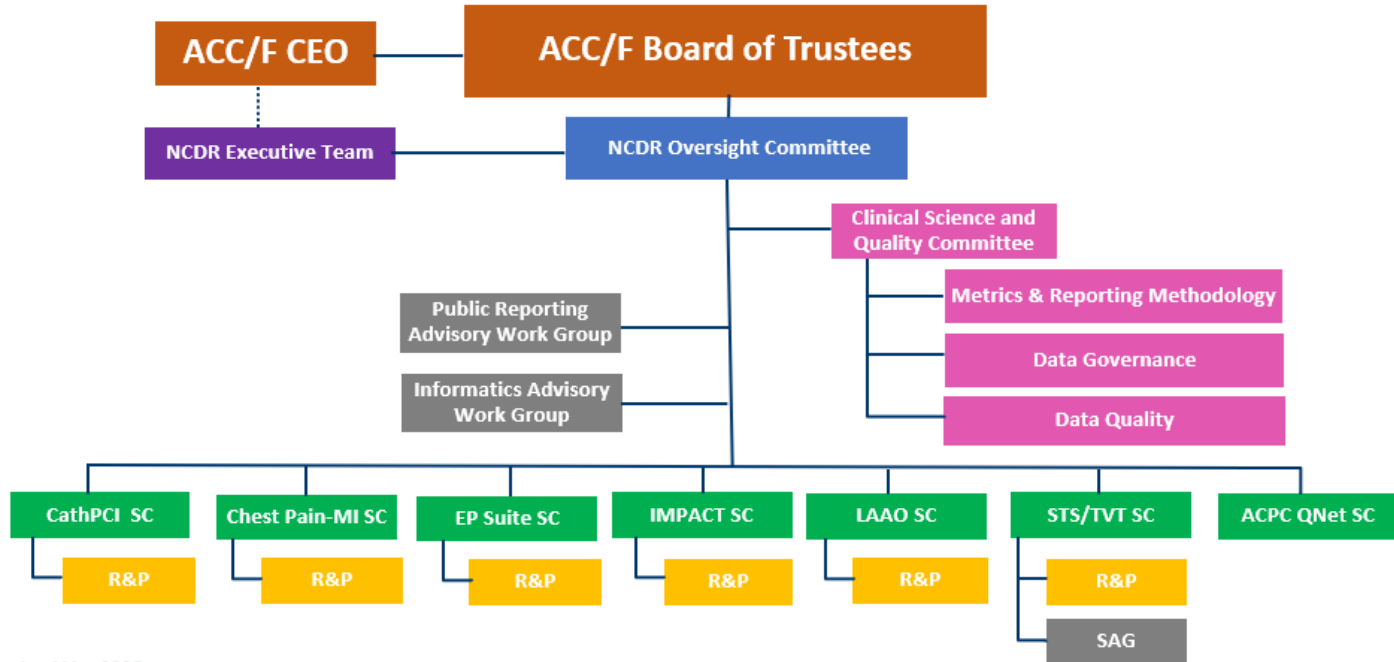
- **Must be an ACC member** *(All categories are eligible to serve; visit ACC Central in the Expo Hall to join)*
- **Digital curriculum vitae (CV)** *(save time on your application by updating your digital CV on ACC.org now!)*
- **Tailored statement of interest** *(Members may apply for up to 3 committees, ranked by preference, and statements can be tailored for each committee applications)*
- **One statement of reference** *(applicant will select a current ACC member in the nominations portal to provide the reference; ACC will reach out to that member to obtain the reference)*

Committee Application Overview:



NCDR volunteer organizational structure

ACC NCDR Governance Chart



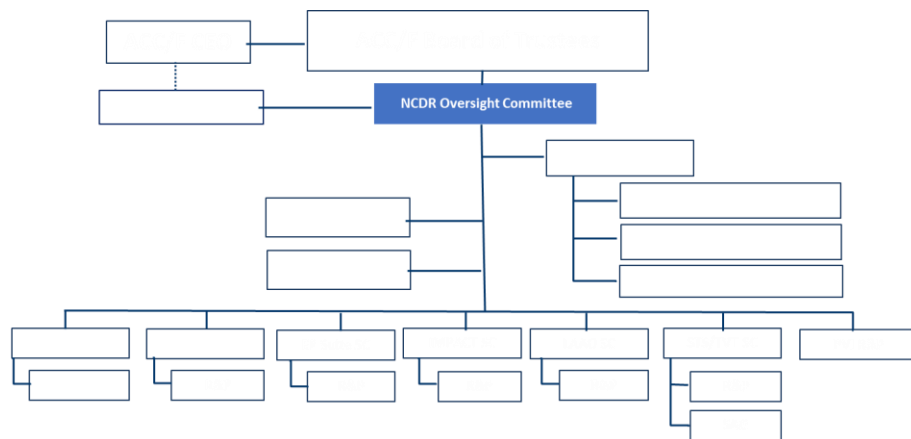
NCDR Appointment Considerations

- Overall committee composition is diverse and inclusive membership consistent with the ACC Health Equity Strategy and Diversity & Inclusion Principles¹.
- When appropriate, participation is encouraged from broad ACC member demographics including, but not limited to FITs, Early Careers, and CV Team Members
- Nomination applications are reviewed against current committee member competencies with priority give to filling gaps in technical competencies on the respective committee according to the charter
- Nominee statement of interest highlighting specific activities/work relevant to the charge of the committee and not obvious in the CV
- References, particularly from individuals familiar with work on NCDR committees, i.e., current/former NCDR committee members, BOT members, etc

¹ [*Health Equity - American College of Cardiology*](#)

NCDR Oversight Committee

- Translates ACC strategic priorities into NCDR-specific strategic plan for entire leadership structure
- Includes experts beyond clinical focus, e.g., health economics, patient voice
- Member appointments ideally provide NCDR with strategic opportunity to influence success as well as provide voice for key decision makers to inform NCDR alignment and entanglement, e.g., health systems



ACC Competencies

General Competencies

- Be team-oriented and collaborative
- Ability to contribute to and value the contributions of other Committee members
- Ability to communicate effectively and professionally
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- Devote time necessary to Committee activities
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Leadership Competencies

- Sets vision & direction
- Models strategic leadership
- Articulates and leads change
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- Leverages business acumen

Committee Competencies/Expectations

Technical Competencies

- Technical (HIT/EHR)
- Healthcare Systems
- Quality Measurement and Improvement
- Financial Management
- Clinical and/or Clinical Practice
- Patient Advocate and/or Represents Patient Voice
- Marketing and Communications
- Stakeholder Relationships (e.g., FDA, CMS, NIH, professional societies)
- Healthcare Reimbursement
- Health Affairs
- Health Systems Innovation
- Outcomes Research
- International Strategy

Meeting Expectations

- The Committee will meet in-person 1 to 2 times a year.
- Virtual meetings (appx 1 hour each) will be held 8-10 times per year.
- Members will adhere to the College's Attendance Policy. Any member who fails to attend two (2) consecutive regular meetings without valid reason shall be asked to resign from the Committee.
- Members are expected to attend the ACC Quality Summit at least once per term of appointment and strongly encouraged to attend annually during appointment term.
- Members should anticipate spending an average of 50 hours per year on Committee activities.

Suggestions for nomination application

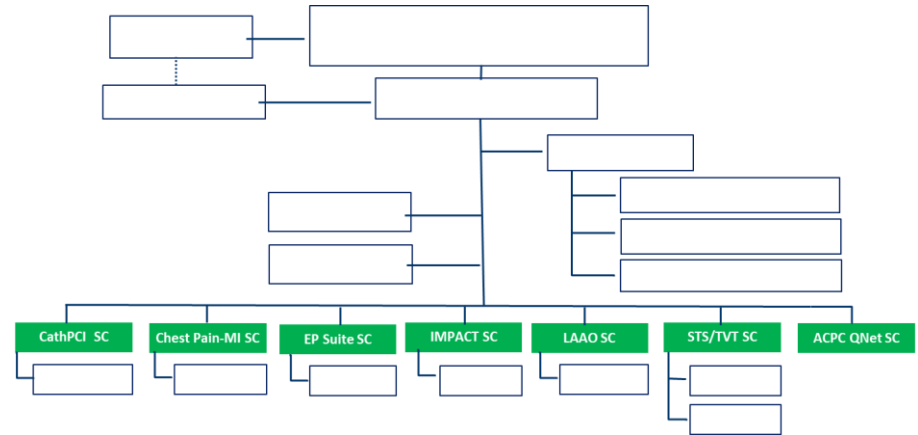
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- Lead/participate in CV focused QI projects
- Presenter/attendee at an ACC Quality Summit
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- Author on outcomes research paper using NCDR data
- Relevant academic course work or degrees such as MPH, MBA, MPP, or masters/doctoral degrees in data science, health economics
- Relevant certifications, e.g., CPHQ, HCQM, CMQ/OE, CAHIMS, CPHIMS, CPDHTS, AHIC, etc
- Member of or participation in a relevant healthcare quality organization, e.g., Partnership for Quality Measurement, National Quality Forum, American Society for Quality, etc

Questions



NCDR Steering Committees

- Provide strategic direction for registries to achieve revenue projections
- Ensure registries focus on meaningful measures with minimum burden
- Include representation from partner societies when appropriate and following BOT principle of supporting ACC



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Meeting Expectations

- The Subcommittee will strive to meet in-person at ACC's Annual Meeting
- Virtual meetings will be held 3-5 times per year.
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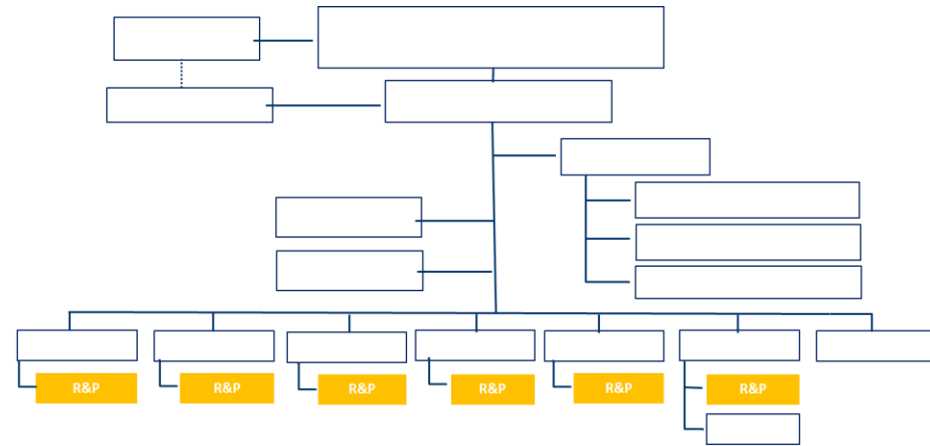
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NCDR Research & Publications Committees

- Provide strategic review of research proposals to ensure appropriate stewardship of data analytic center contractor expense spend
- Ensure non-subscription external revenues, e.g., grants, industry funding, met same strategic priority bar for research
- Include representation from partner societies when appropriate and following BOT principle of supporting ACC



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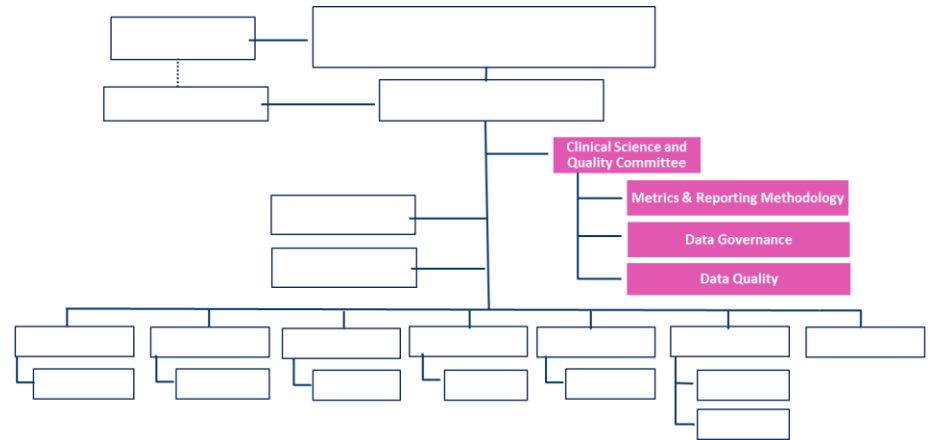
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NCDR Clinical Science & Quality Committees

- Responsible for establishing and monitoring policies, procedures, guidelines, and methods that ensure the scientific integrity of all NCDR scientific, quality of care, and patient safety activities
- Support bi-directional communications to NCDR Oversight Committee as well as Steering and R&P committees as appropriate



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- HIT/Informatics/EHR
- Clinical data management
- Outcomes research/research
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- Formal training in biostatistical and epidemiological methodology
- Design, analyze, and implement targeted statistical studies
- Familiarity with risk models and appropriate use criteria

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To learn more about NCDR and ACC Accreditation Services programs, visit CVquality.ACC.org



ACC Quality Improvement for Institutions Program

The American College of Cardiology's (ACC) comprehensive suite of NCDR registries and Accreditation Services provides hospitals, facilities, health systems and ambulatory care services with insights, analyses and solutions to transform cardiovascular care and improve heart health.

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Today's slides available at: <https://cvquality.acc.org/NCDR-Home/about-ncdr/ncdr-oversight-committee>



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