The American College of Cardiology’s

PINNACLE Registry®

Your Partner in Practice Innovation and Clinical Excellence

Cardiology’s largest outpatient quality improvement registry gives clinicians credible quality measurement solutions needed to succeed in today’s evolving practice landscape.

Demonstrate your commitment to delivering high quality care to improve patient outcomes.

Learn more about the advantages of the PINNACLE Registry at ACC.org/PINNACLE

The PINNACLE Registry provides:

- **Easy-to-collect data** on coronary artery disease, hypertension, heart failure, atrial fibrillation and diabetes
- **Seamless participation** in federal quality reporting programs
- **Online benchmark reports** designed to help validate quality care provided and pinpoint opportunities for improvement
- Access to **ACC-sponsored continuing medical education (CME) programs**
- Opportunities to **advance cardiovascular research and clinical trials** through the Outpatient Registries Research Alliance

Advancing Quality. Improving Care.
The PINNACLE Registry provides a centralized system where cardiovascular teams can:

- **Access Quality Improvement insights and best practices** from a thriving nationwide community of participating practices

- **Empower negotiations** with payers, hospitals and other physicians with reports that demonstrate top quality care

- **Avoid penalties and earn incentives** under the Quality Payment Program (QPP). Seamless participation in the Merit-based Incentive Payment System (MIPS) is included with enrollment.

- **Save 5 percent on medical liability coverage** from The Doctors Company for participating in the PINNACLE Registry

Compare your practice’s performance against the national average.
Delivering Clarity for Complex Decision Making & Quality Improvement in Patient Care

“One of the good things about PINNACLE is that I do not have to do anything other than ensure that the physicians and nurses are properly documenting to hit the data points in our electronic health record. The reports are sent back to me in a timely manner and we can see how our practice is doing and where we can improve.”

—Barbara W., Administrator

Easy-to-interpret reports help inform quality improvement

You can benchmark your quality using proven Quality Metrics performance measures. Participants receive monthly reports detailing the quality of your practices’ processes and outcomes in similar facilities nationwide. These reports can also be used to drill down at the provider level to identify areas for quality improvement!

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See how your entire practice performs against each measure.
PINNACLE makes data easy to collect

The PINNACLE Registry offers secure HIPAA-compliant data collection that works with most electronic health record (EHR) systems to meet the needs of your practice. If you have an EHR, leverage it with the PINNACLE Registry System Integration Solution, a “fire-and-forget” software tool that automatically transmits relevant data from your EHR database to the PINNACLE Registry.

Join a thriving cardiovascular community focused on making every practice excel

In today’s fast-changing health care environment, your practice’s performance must consistently prove that you deliver the finest in quality cardiovascular care to your patients, payers and health care community at large. With the PINNACLE Registry, you’ll have the support you need to stay at the top of your profession.

Access to Quality Improvement Toolkits

PINNACLE Registry participants receive access to NCDR’s suite of clinical toolkits, including the Preventing Preventable Strokes Toolkit. This toolkit provides evidence-based quality improvement tools intended to help clinicians identify barriers related to Atrial Fibrillation treatments and implement best practice strategies for preventing preventable strokes.

Our toolkits are easy-to-use and will help you implement guidelines-based and best practice care to address common clinical issues at your facility.

About the NCDR

NCDR is ACC’s suite of data registries helping hospitals, health systems and practices measure and improve the quality of cardiovascular care they provide. More than just data collection, NCDR is a comprehensive network of cardiovascular care providers committed to ensuring evidence-based care, improving patient outcomes and lowering health care costs.

NCDR® is an initiative of the American College of Cardiology, with partnering support from the following organizations: CathPCI Registry® — The Society for Cardiovascular Angiography and Interventions; IMPACT Registry® — The Society for Cardiovascular Angiography and Interventions and American Academy of Pediatrics; STS/ACC TVT Registry™ — An initiative of The Society of Thoracic Surgeons and the American College of Cardiology Foundation; PVI Registry™ — The Society for Cardiovascular Angiography and Interventions; Diabetes Collaborative Registry® — American Diabetes Association, American College of Physicians, American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists and Joslin Diabetes Center; Chest Pain MI Registry™ — The American College of Emergency Physicians.

Learn more and get started at ACC.org/NCDR