October 2019 DSRIP Announcements & Updates

Dear DSRIP Program Participants,

Thank you for your active participation in both of last month’s learning events. We hope that you found these sessions informative and engaging! For those of you who were unable to join us for the virtual Learning Collaborative, we will be recapping the event later in the newsletter along with a preview of Learning Collaborative 4.

Please continue reading below for this month’s NJ DSRIP program announcements and updates.

- **October NJ DSRIP Webinar: October 8th @ 3pm**
- **Learning Collaborative 3 Wrap Up & Learning Collaborative 4 Preview**
- **DY8 Semi-Annual 1 Progress Reports**
- **Now Available: September NJ DSRIP Webinar Materials**

**October NJ DSRIP Webinar: October 8th @ 3pm**

The October 2019 NJ DSRIP webinar is taking place on October 8th at 3pm. This webinar will include a review of DSRIP program updates.

Please submit any questions regarding this webinar to njdsrip@pcgus.com with the subject link “NJ DSRIP October 2019 Webinar”.

**Please see the WebEx details below:**
Event: NJ DSRIP October 2019 Webinar
WebEx Link: [Join WebEx](#)
Password: NJdsrip2019
Phone Number: 1-844-531-9388
Access Code: 791353681#

**Learning Collaborative 3 Wrap Up & Learning Collaborative 4 Preview**

**Learning Collaborative 3 Wrap Up:**
On September 10<sup>th</sup> approximately 120 DSRIP team members from all 46 participating hospitals joined the first virtual NJ DSRIP Learning Collaborative of 2019.

During the learning session, improvement advisors lead participants through the fundamentals of sustainability planning. Participants were introduced to sustainability concepts and strategies to consider when they are thinking about how to continue their quality improvement projects after the DSRIP program ends.

The DSRIP Team wants to thank all attendees for their active and enthusiastic participation throughout the program, making it a productive and engaging virtual engagement.

**Claim CME Credit for Learning Collaborative 3:**
For those who participated in the virtual Learning Collaborative on September 10<sup>th</sup>, don’t forget to claim your CME credit. To receive AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ for this activity, you must have attended the webinar and complete an attestation form on BUCME.org. To claim credit, please proceed to [https://www.bucme.org/getcredit](https://www.bucme.org/getcredit), and enter activity code: MLS19379-03.

**Learning Collaborative 4 Preview:**
Learning Collaborative 4 is scheduled for December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019. This will be an in-person event, held at the NJHA Conference Center in Princeton. Learning Collaborative 4 will also be focused on planning for sustainability, giving participants the opportunity to delve deeper into the concepts and strategies that were shared during Learning Collaborative 3. Registration information and a detailed agenda will be forthcoming.

**As a reminder:**
DSRIP participants have been asked to take the following next steps prior to the December 4<sup>th</sup> Learning Collaborative:

1. Schedule a team meeting to reflect on the Measurement, Ownership, Communication & Training, Hardwiring, and Assessment of Workload “MOCHA” sustainability questions. Please refer to the attached deck and consider using the worksheet on slide #44
2. Identify the 2-3 areas you think need immediate attention and support to be able to sustain your improvements

*Note: If you are still at the point of testing and implementing, please think about the things that you might be doing at this point to help increase the chances that you will be able to sustain your changes in the future. E.g., establish a way to look at data more frequently, engage potential future “owners” of the work into the improvement work, etc.*
Demonstration Year 8 Semi-Annual 1 (DY8 SA1) progress reports are now available on the Participants page of the NJ DRIP website. Progress Reports are due from participating NJ DSRIP hospitals by October 31, 2019. Hospitals are required to complete and submit the DY8 SA1 Progress Report Template, Budget Template, and appropriate documentation to the NJ DSRIP SFTP.

For more details about the DY8 SA1 progress reports, please review the progress report information included in the September NJ DSRIP webinar which is available on the Learning Collaborative webpage.

**Now Available: September NJ DSRIP Webinar Materials**

The September 19th, 2019 NJ DSRIP webinar recording, slides, and Q&A have been posted to the Learning Collaborative webpage.

**Questions?**

If you have any questions or concerns, please email NJDSRIP@pcgus.com.

Thank you,

NJ DSRIP Team