



## Cal HQ Kickoff: Partnering for Progress

Cal HQ is a new approach to quality and patient safety that builds on decades of success and facilitates tighter collaboration between health plans and hospitals. You will leave this meeting with new ideas, relationships, and inspiration. To learn more about Cal HQ, please visit:

<https://calhq.calhospitalcompare.org>

### AGENDA

Time	Title	Speaker(s)
8:30	Registration, Breakfast, and Networking	
9:00-10:00	<p><b>Advancing Healthcare Quality:</b> <i>The Cal HQ Approach</i></p>	<p><i>Moderator:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Alex Stack, MPH</b>, Director, Cal Healthcare Compare</li> </ul> <p><i>Panelists:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Bruce Spurlock, MD</b> <i>Executive Director, Cal Healthcare Compare</i></li> <li>• <b>Monica Soni, MD</b> <i>Chief Medical Officer, Covered California</i></li> <li>• <b>Tony Linares, MD</b> <i>Medical Consultant, CalPERS</i></li> </ul> <p>Leaders from Covered California, CalPERS, and Cal Healthcare Compare will discuss genesis of Cal HQ, priority focus areas, and the benefits of engaging in this unique collaborative.</p>
10:00-10:45	<p><b>After Survival:</b> <i>How System Design Impacts Outcomes</i></p>	<p><b>Libby Hoy</b> <i>Founder &amp; CEO, PFCCpartners</i></p> <p>Explore the experience of hospitalization, care, and follow up through the lens of a patient and family caregiver. Consider opportunities for hospitals, health plans, and patients/family caregivers to collaborate in new and different ways to achieve the common goal of improved outcomes.</p>

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10:45-11:45	<b>Connecting to Purpose</b>	<p><b>Natalie Graves, MPH</b> <i>Improvement Advisor, Cal Healthcare Compare</i></p> <p><b>Nikole DeVries, MBA, RN</b> <i>Senior Director, Care Continuum Transformation, Inland Empire Health Plan</i></p> <p>Through an interactive tabletop activity, identify the roles, responsibilities, and resources that various stakeholders (such as hospitals and health plans) bring to patient safety and quality improvement efforts.</p>
11:45-12:30	Lunch	
12:30-1:15	<b>Transforming Safety in the Safety Net</b>	<p><b>Chase Coffey, MD</b> <i>Chief Quality Officer/Associate Chief Medical Officer, LA General Medical Center</i></p> <p>Learn how a 600-bed public hospital progressed from a Leapfrog Safety Grade of “D” to an “A”, with a particular focus on leadership and cultural transformation.</p>
1:15-2:30	<b>Collaborating to Improve Quality</b>	<p><b>Scott Masten, PhD</b> <i>Vice President, Measurement Science &amp; Performance Analytics, Hospital Quality Institute</i></p> <p><b>AJ Rolle, MPH</b> <i>Senior Program Manager, Cal Healthcare Compare</i></p> <p><b>Natalie Graves, MPH</b> <i>Improvement Advisor, Cal Healthcare Compare</i></p> <p>Explore how data can inform your improvement efforts. In interactive tabletop activities, test Cal HQ tools that support hospital and health plans to consider their improvement opportunities through a new lens.</p>
2:30-3:00	<b>Co-Designing Forward</b>	<p><b>Natalie Graves, MPH</b> <i>Improvement Advisor, Cal Healthcare Compare</i></p> <p>Learn about what’s next for Cal HQ and how you can engage. Reflect on ideas, questions, and connections made today.</p>

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