
The Joint Commission and Joint Commission Resources
**Orthopedic Certification Conference:
Core & Advanced Programs**

November 13, 2018 • Rosemont, IL

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AGENDA

7:00 – 8:00 am **Registration & Continental Breakfast**

Meet and Greet Account Executives

8:00 – 8:30 am **Welcome & Conference Overview**

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Patrick Phelan, MBA
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Brian Enochs, JD
Executive Vice President
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8:30 – 10:00 am **Creating a Culture of Excellence and Reducing Infections in an Orthopedic Hospital**

Kenneth B. Mathis, MD
Associate Professor
Vice Chairman Department of Orthopaedics
UT Houston McGovern Medical School

This talk will outline how an orthopedic specialty hospital formed a small committee that met weekly to address lowering infections and improving efficiencies. The group looked at what current research, high performing facilities, and successful surgeons were doing across the country on these issues. They then implemented changes in processes and in their culture that were extremely successful.

10:00 – 10:15 am **Break**

Meet and Greet Account Executives

BREAKOUT TRACKS

Participate in one of the three breakout sessions customized to your Orthopedic Certification Program

	Track A Advanced Certification for Total Hip and Total Knee Replacement Programs	Track B Core Hip or Knee Replacement Certification Programs	Track C Spinal Surgery Certification Programs
10:15 – 11:45 am	The Essentials of Advanced Hip and Knee Certification Allison Walker, RN, MS, CNP-BC <i>Disease Specific Care Field Representative</i> The Joint Commission In this session, you will hear about the differences between the core and advanced hip and knee programs as well as details of the on-site review process.	Core Hip and Knee Certification: The Review Process Lisa Holtz, MSN, RN, ONC <i>Disease Specific Care Field Representative</i> The Joint Commission <i>Orthopedic Program Manager</i> Wellstar Health System The review process discussion will be presented to include standard requirements as outlined in the Review Process Guide and will bring in National Patient Safety Goals, Clinical Practice Guidelines, the SAFER Matrix and common findings associated with the on-site review.	The Essentials of Spinal Surgery Certification Kim Morrow, MSHSA, BSN, RN <i>Disease Specific Care Field Representative</i> The Joint Commission <i>Senior Corporate Education Specialist</i> TriHealth-Cincinnati, OH Attend this session to get a summary of the 2019 standards for spine certification and challenges that hospitals have had, a description of activities in the review process, and learn strategies and best practices that might be adapted and applied to your spine program.
11:45 am – 12:45 pm	LUNCH		
12:45 – 2:00 pm	The Key to a Successful Review Allison Walker, RN, MS, CNP-BC <i>Disease Specific Care Field Representative</i> The Joint Commission In this session, we will discuss how to prepare for your Advanced Hip and Knee on-site review, the standardized performance improvement measures, and what happens after the review.	Data Session and Accountability Metrics Lisa Holtz, MSN, RN, ONC <i>Disease Specific Care Field Representative</i> The Joint Commission <i>Orthopedic Program Manager</i> Wellstar Health System The data session discussion will break down in detail the expectations of how an organization collects, analyzes, reports and implements performance improvement initiatives that drive best outcomes for the hip and knee patient populations. This session will also include an interactive period regarding the selection of an organization's accountability metrics and how they should be written to inspire positive change.	Spinal Surgery Certification: The Review Process Kim Morrow, MSHSA, BSN, RN <i>Disease Specific Care Field Representative</i> The Joint Commission <i>Senior Corporate Education Specialist</i> TriHealth-Cincinnati, OH In this session we will continue to discuss the review process, with more detail on how to prepare for your Spinal Surgery on-site review.
2:00 – 2:15 pm	BREAK		

Track A

Advanced Certification for Total Hip and Total
Knee Replacement Programs

Track B

Core Hip or Knee Replacement Certification
Programs & Spinal Surgery Certification Programs

2:15 – 2:45 pm

Advanced Disease Specific Care Certification Total Hip & Total Knee Replacement Standardized Performance Measures

Paula Farrell, BSN, RN, CPHQ
*Associate Project Director,
Clinical Quality Measurement
The Joint Commission*

This session will review the four standardized performance measures collected by advanced total hip and total knee organizations. Frequently asked clinical questions regarding each of the measures will also be discussed.

Disease Specific Orthopedic Certification: Your Day to Shine!!!

Robin S. Voss, RN, MHA, TNCC-I
*Field Director – Disease Specific Care
The Joint Commission*

This session will discuss The Joint Commission Disease Specific Certification process from application to review, and the planning necessary to make your review day successful.

2:45 – 3:00 pm

BREAK

3:00 – 3:30 pm

Question and Answer Panel

Moderator:

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Closing Comments

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3:45 pm

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