Collaborative for Accountability & Improvement and Patient Safety Movement Foundation

Shared Commitment to Action

The Collaborative for Accountability & Improvement (CAI) and the Patient Safety Movement Foundation (PSMF) share a strong commitment to improving the safety and accountability of healthcare and to reducing preventable deaths. Both organizations also recognize the critical role that transparency plays in achieving these goals, and the need to develop and disseminate new tools and strategies to move transparency principles into practice.

CAI is pleased to support PSMF and its mission to eliminate preventable patient deaths across the globe by 2030.

PSMF is pleased to support CAI, a national program of UW Medicine, and its mission to spread highly reliable Communication and Resolution Programs (CRPs), such as CANDOR.

CAI and PSMF will demonstrate their alliance by the following:

1. PSMF and CAI will spread each other’s mission and vision to their respective members and networks
   a. Jointly issue press release announcing their shared commitments
2. CAI and PSMF will jointly partner on educational programs, both clinical and for the general public (i.e. blogs, training opportunities, APSS coaching)
   a. Inclusion of CAI training modules into PSMF patient safety curriculum and/or educational resources
   b. PSMF to publicize CAI webinars on calendar of events
   c. Co-Brand two webinars per year
   d. PSMF will refer partner organizations interested in CRP implementation to CAI as one option for support
3. CAI will participate in up to 3 of the PSMF’s Actionable Patient Safety Solutions (APSS) workgroups and help to identify subject matter experts to contribute to the development of aligned topics. Examples include but are not limited to:
   a. Person and Family Engagement
   b. Patient Safety Curriculum
   c. Creating a Foundation for Safe and Reliable Care
   d. Workplace Safety
4. CAI will annually disseminate those Actionable Patient Safety Solutions (APSS) to CAI’s network that the CAI Best Practices Committee determines are aligned with highly reliable CRPs
5. PSMF and CAI will participate, as relevant, in mutual interests related to advancing patient safety legislation
a. PSMF will partner with CAI Policy Committee to advance Federal and State policy supportive of CRPs

6. PSMF will share CAI’s tools and resources on the PSMF resources page

7. PSMF and CAI will jointly develop and disseminate a semi-annual CRP briefing document to audiences of both organizations, with recent developments in fields of mutual interest

8. PSMF and CAI will stay in touch on a regular basis regarding upcoming events, educational opportunities and speaking engagements pertaining to both parties. (i.e. Joint webinar opportunities, PSMF World Patient Safety, Science & Technology Summit)

We at the Collaborative for Accountability & Improvement and the Patient Safety Movement Foundation are excited to announce our commitment to improve patient safety.

Signed,

Collaborative for Accountability & Improvement

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