



Hospital Improvement  
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## HIIN Improvements:

Using the improvement calculator provided by HRET we calculated the improvement that the 54 hospitals in the DFW HIIN have achieved.

- **October 2016- June 2017**
- **34% improvement in harm measures**
- **10,058 harms prevented**
- **\$82,543,048 cost savings**



## Sepsis Awareness Month

September is Sepsis Awareness Month- if you are hosting an event- send me pictures for our next newsletter.

Sepsis Alliance launched a brand [new healthcare toolkit](#)



**Congratulations to JPS Health Network-** they earned the U.S. Joint Commission certification for Sepsis Treatment. JPS is the first public hospital in the U.S. to qualify for the joint commission's care standards for the disease.

JPS has created a task force with representatives of all major service lines. Their Code Sepsis summons a response team specializing in sepsis treatment. Since Code Sepsis was initiated, the hospital has been recognized for reducing the mortality rate for Sepsis patients from 24 to 13.7% and reducing the length of hospital stay for patients.

## Educational Opportunities

**\*\*\* Most of these free webinars from HRET include free CE's for attending\*\*\***

**HRET HIIN The Sepsis Continuum: Overcome Barriers and Create Momentum**

September 7, 2017 11:00 a.m.-12:15 pm CT

[Register Today](#)

**HRET HIIN PFE Fellowship Coaching Call**

September 8, 2017 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. CT

[Register Today](#)

**HRET HIIN Informational Session for SNAP Sepsis**

September 11, 2017 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m. CT

[Register Today](#)

**Falls Virtual Event: Preventing Falls: Goodbye Bundle, Hello Care Plan**

September 12, 2017 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. CT

[Register Today](#)

**HRET HIIN QI Fellowship Foundations for Improvement Virtual Event**

September 13, 2017 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. CT

[Register Today](#)

**HRET HIIN QI Fellowship Accelerating Improvement Track Virtual Event**

September 13, 2017 12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m. CT

[Register Today](#)

**AHA's Physician Leadership Forum/Radiologist as Hospital Change Agents: Imaging 3.0 When the Radiologist Becomes the Patient**

September 14, 2017 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m. CT

[Register Today](#)

**HRET HIIN SOAP Up Virtual Event**

September 21, 2017 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m. CT

[Register Today](#)

**HRET HIIN ADE/Opioid Safety Fishbowl Series 5**

September 26, 2017 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. CT

[Register Today](#)

## Educational Opportunities

### TMF-QIO/QIN Events

Please visit [TMFQIN.org](http://TMFQIN.org) to see upcoming TMF QIO sponsored events

**Central Houston Care Coordination Community Coalition Meeting**

September 7, 2017 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. CT  
UT School of Public Health, School of Nursing, Room 140

**How MACRA Legislation Affects EMR Use**

September 19, 2017 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m. CT

[Register Today](#)

**September Clinical Pharmacist-led Call: Medication Safety and Adverse Drug Event Reduction**

September 20, 2017 3:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m. CT

[Register Today](#)

**The Million Hearts Toolbox for Hypertension Control and Beyond**

September 21, 2017 1:00 p.m. -2:00 p.m. CT

[Register Today](#)

**Johns Hopkins Medicine Armstrong Institute Annual Pain Symposium**

September 25, 2017 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. CT

[Register Today](#)

C-Suite Invitational Dallas Fort Worth: Transformational Healthcare

Hosted by the National Readmissions Prevention Collaborative with focus on ACO's, bundles and readmissions.

Great Wolf Lodge Grapevine CE Will be available.

September 27, 2017 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

[Learn More and Register](#)

**Children's Hospitals' Solutions for Patient Safety: Strategy and Tactics: The Imperative of Patient & Family Engagement in Safety**

September 13, 2017 3:00 -4:00 p.m. EST

[Register Today](#)

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