AHRQ Safety Program for Telemedicine: Improving Antibiotic Use

Join the program!

Join a NO COST, federally sponsored program to implement cutting-edge best practices in antibiotic stewardship in telemedicine

One-third of outpatient antibiotic prescriptions and half of the prescriptions for acute respiratory infections are unnecessary.[1]

Benefits of participating

☑ Improve provider efficiency and patient satisfaction with antibiotic prescribing

☑ Lead the field in performance on antibiotic stewardship

☑ Perform better on antibiotic-related quality measures (HEDIS, MIPS)

☑ Earn CEU/CME and ABIM MOC points

☑ Practices participating in a prior similar program saw a 9% decrease in antibiotic prescribing overall and a 15% decrease for acute respiratory infections[2]

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Attend an informational webinar

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