

Physician-Focused Payment Model Technical Advisory Committee

Questions to Guide **Session 3** for the June 2026 Theme-Based Meeting:

Targeting Improvements in Patient Safety Through Alternative Payment Models

Topic: Improving Patient Safety in Value-Based Care Through the Use of Health Information Technology and Data Analytics

Monday, June 15, 2:50 p.m. – 4:20 p.m. EDT

Session Experts:

- **Rollin J. (Terry) Fairbanks, MD, MS**, Senior Vice President, Chief Quality and Safety Officer, MedStar Health, and Professor of Emergency Medicine, Georgetown University
- **Tejal Gandhi, MD, MPH, CPPS**, Chief Safety and Transformation Officer, Press Ganey Associates LLC
- **Melissa Swanfeldt**, Senior Director, Quality & Regulatory Compliance, MEDITECH
- **Aneesh Chopra, MPP**, Chair, Arcadia Institute

Committee Discussion and Q&A Session:

After each expert provides a 10-minute presentation, the Committee will facilitate an interactive discussion with the experts. As part of the discussion, Committee members will ask questions, including questions raised in response to the experts' presentations. The following are examples of questions that Committee members may ask.

Question 1: *What are opportunities to address barriers to integrating AI/technology (e.g., data sharing, data quality, interoperability, security) that can aid in improving patient safety?*

Question 2: *What are the types of technologies that can be used to effectively reduce provider burden and positively impact patient safety?*

Question 3: *What is the role and impact that electronic Clinical Quality Measures (eCQMs) have in improving patient safety?*

Question 4: *What are potential payment sources for integrating AI/technology to aid in improving patient safety?*

Wrap-up Question: *Are there any additional insights you would like to share about improving patient safety in value-based care using health information technology and data analytics?*