Information for continuing education (CE) credit

**2022 Performance Improvement Collaborative Series - Sepsis Early Recognition**

Activity date: September 14, 2022

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**Requirements**

1. Attend the course in its entirety.
2. After the course, you will receive an email with instructions that you will need to obtain your CE credit.
3. **Complete the process no later than October 29, 2022.**

Upon successful completion of the course requirements, you will be able to print your CE certificate (with the exception of pharmacists and pharmacy technicians.)

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1. Please provide an accurate **NABP ID number** and **date of birth** (**mm/dd** – do not include birth year).
2. Vizient will upload your **NABP ID number** and **date of birth** into CPE Monitor within 24 hours after the completion of all steps required to receive credit.

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**Learning objectives**

1. Identify gaps in existing processes to enhance development and implementation of actions to reduce the time it takes for sepsis recognition.
2. Recognize strategies to provide improved quality and decreased cost through lower mortality and length of stay for patients with a diagnosis of sepsis.



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