

QIP-NJ¹ BEHAVIORAL HEALTH LEARNING COLLABORATIVE

All NJ EDs² are invited!
Starting September 2021.



GOAL: Increase follow-up visits for patients with mental health or substance use disorder diagnoses within 30 days of emergency department (ED) discharge



STRATEGY



Adopting standard, evidence-based care practices in the ED



Forming effective relationships with community partners



Adopting trauma-informed care practices



Engaging patients and chosen family

BENEFITS



Increasing impact in some QIP-NJ performance goals



Training and coaching for frontline care team and leadership by experts



Access to a peer learning network



Increased quality improvement capacity across team members



Continuing professional education credits³

PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS



Form an interprofessional team



Attend learning session conferences



Attend monthly coaching sessions



Collect and report data monthly

YOUR TEAM: Your team should consist of an interprofessional mix of clinical and non-clinical ED care team members, quality staff, a patient or chosen family representative, and other individuals supporting connections to care from the ED.

Submit a Participation Interest Form by July 23rd to join. This form can be found on the [Learning Collaborative Website](https://qip-nj.nj.gov/)

For more information, email qip-nj@pcgus.com.

¹ QIP-NJ = Quality Improvement Program – New Jersey

² Emergency Department

³ Continuing education content for this program has been submitted for review to Rutgers Behavioral Research and Training Institute (BRTI) Center for Continuing Education (CCE).