



High Desert Health System POLICY AND PROCEDURE

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SUBJECT: QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

- PURPOSE:** To promote a culture of quality within High Desert Health System organization-wide management and staff philosophy of continuous quality improvement in programs, service delivery and population health outcomes.
- POLICY:** High Desert Health System (HDHS) is comprised of five clinics within the Antelope Valley region. The leadership and staff will objectively, systematically and continuously assess, assure, monitor, evaluate and improve the quality of processes, activities, programs and services provided to the consumers who receive care at our facilities.
- HDHS will adopt the Ambulatory Care Network’s Quality Improvement Plan (Attachment 1) and ensure all clinics comply with its goals, structure and objectives.
- COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP:** The HDHS committee structure is comprised of HDHS Executive Staff members, representatives from all five clinics’ Primary Care Medical Homes and a liaison from the Care Improvement Teams.
- TIMING:** The committee will meet the second Tuesday at least 10 times per year.
- COMMUNICATION STRUCTURE:** See Attachment 2 and 3.

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