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Clinical Policies Committee Conference Call
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Participants

Committee members participating in all or part of the meeting: Stephen J. Wolf, MD, FACEP, Chair; Richard Byyny, MD, MSc, FACEP, Methodologist; Stephen V. Cantrill, MD, FACEP, Liaison with Quality & Patient Safety Committee, and to the E-QUAL Steering Committee; Christopher R. Carpenter, MD, MSc, FACEP; Deborah B. Diercks, MD, MSc, FACEP; Seth R. Gemme, MD, FACEP; Charles J. Gerardo, MD, MHS, FACEP; Stephen A. Godwin, MD, FACEP; Sigrid A. Hahn, MD, MPH; Benjamin W. Hatten, MD, MPH; Jason S. Haukoos, MD, MSc, FACEP, Methodologist; Jon Mark Hirshon, MD, PhD, MPH, FACEP, Board Liaison; Amy Kaji, MD, MPH, PhD, Methodologist; Bruce M. Lo, MD, MBA, RDMS, FACEP; Sharon E. Mace, MD, FACEP, FAAP; Devorah J. Nazarian, MD; Susan B. Promes, MD, MBA, FACEP; Kaushal H. Shah, MD, FACEP; Richard D. Shih, MD, FACEP; Scott M. Silvers, MD, FACEP; Michael D. Smith, MD, MBA, FACEP; Christian A. Tomaszewski, MD, MS, MBA, FACEP; Justin Winger, RN, PhD, ENA Representative; Yanling Yu, PhD, Patient Representative.

Also present for all or part of the meeting: Benjamin W. Friedman, MD, FACEP, Subcommittee on Airway Management; Bradley D. Shy, MD, FACEP, Subcommittee on Airway Management; Mandie Mims, MLS, Staff Liaison; Travis Schulz, MLS, AHIP, Staff Liaison.

Agenda

1. Critical question 3 of the acute heart failure clinical policy
2. Discuss ACEP committee comments on draft airway critical questions

Major Points Discussed

1. Critical question 3 of the acute heart failures clinical policy

   Dr. Silvers led the discussion on the first draft of the text for critical question 3 of the acute heart failure policy. The Committee suggested edits to the text. The subcommittee will incorporate the suggested changes and the Committee will review the revised draft.

2. Discuss ACEP committee comments on draft airway critical questions

   Dr. Hahn led the discussion of the comments received from the Critical Care Section, Quality and Patient Safety Committee, Emergency Medicine Practice Committee, and the Patient Representative on the draft airway critical questions. Next, the draft questions will be sent to the ACEP Board for input.