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PROTECT: An Immunization Performance Improvement (PI) CME Initiative

Serious about practice change? The PROTECT Performance Improvement (PI) CME activity offers the opportunity to analyze how you and your practice as a whole are doing regarding immunizations!

PROTECT Performance Improvement Modules (PIMs)


<p>PROTECT Adult Immunization PIM</p> <p><i>Credit Offered:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ • American Osteopathic Association Category 1-B Credit • ABIM’s MOC Part IV 	<p>METRIC Adult Immunization PIM</p> <p><i>Credit Offered:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • American Academy of Family Physicians Prescribed Credits • ABFM’s MC-FP Part IV Credit
<p>PROTECT Adolescent Immunization PIM</p> <p><i>Credit Offered:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ • American Osteopathic Association Category 1-B Credit • ABP’s MOC Part 4 	<p>METRIC Adolescent Immunization PIM</p> <p><i>Credit Offered:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • American Academy of Family Physicians Prescribed Credits • ABFM’s MC-FP Part IV Credit
<p>PROTECT Childhood Immunization PIM</p> <p><i>Credit Offered:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ • American Osteopathic Association Category 1-B Credit • ABP’s MOC Part 4 	<p>METRIC Childhood Immunization PIM</p> <p><i>Credit Offered:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • American Academy of Family Physicians Prescribed Credits • ABFM’s MC-FP Part IV Credit

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PROJECT OBJECTIVES

The PROTECT Performance Improvement activity is designed to bring immunization resources and system tools to medical clinics in order to improve immunization rates for patients across the age spectrum. By completing the PROTECT Performance Improvement initiative, clinicians will:

- Develop a greater awareness of the immunization practice gaps encountered in their clinical practice through data and analysis
- Gain an understanding of the necessary immunization schedules for childhood, adolescent, and/or adult populations available and how to stay current with them
- Sharpen ability to find and communicate about immunization tools available on the Internet
- Implement a clinic-wide systems-based change targeted toward enhancing immunization rates across a patient population



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HOW WILL THIS BENEFIT MY CLINIC?

- Performance measures were designed to help improve immunization rates per HEDIS® and other measures
- Feedback reports are provided based on results from HEDIS and other nationally recognized measures, and peer comparisons
- There is no cost for participating in this program
- The end goal is a more streamlined immunization system for your clinic and better immunization rates for your patients

HOW DOES IT WORK?

Stage A: ASSESS CURRENT KNOWLEDGE AND PERFORMANCE – Current practice patterns will be measured via a self-assessment survey and patient chart reviews. Clinicians will complete their self-assessment survey and then will receive hands-on mentoring assistance with chart extraction from experienced Area Health Education Center (AHEC) representatives

Stage B: APPLY LEARNING – Individual clinicians complete Web-based education modules at their convenience

Stage C: EVALUATE THE EFFECT OF YOUR ACTION PLAN AND EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES – AHEC representatives will complete follow-up chart pulls and each participating physician will complete the post-assessment survey in order to complete the process; results will be compared to those previously reported in Stage A

PROTECT PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT MODULE (PIM) QUICK-START/ACCESS GUIDE:

- Visit www.PROTECTcme.org and click on the **Performance Improvement CME** box which will lead to the activity registration page



- AHEC representatives and clinicians work together to identify a username/password combination for both parties to use throughout the stages of the PIM (make a note of this information for continued use)
- Choose the PIM that is right for you after reviewing the three activities' age group measures and chart review requirements
- Indicate if you are an AOA member, then launch your PIM



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PROTECT PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT MODULE (PIM) HOW-TO GUIDE:

Performance Improvement Module (PIM)	
Introduction	
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Activity Overview	
Stage A	
Self Assessment Survey	
Self Assessment Results	
Chart Review	
Measure Results	
Stage A Evaluation	
Stage A Completion	
Stage B	
Educational Interventions and Practice Implementation	
Evaluation	
Stage B Completion	
Stage C	
Self Assessment Survey	
Chart Review	
Stage A vs Stage C Self Assessment Survey Results	
Measure Results	
Evaluation	
Maintenance of Certification	
Stage C Completion: Award Credit	

STAGE A

- Clinicians complete a self-assessment survey (time completion estimate–30 minutes) and review results compared to control group data
- AHEC representatives pull a sample of 20-25 patient charts and enter data regarding their immunization status (time completion estimate–one week)
- Measure results are presented; clinicians complete the Stage A Evaluation

STAGE B

- Clinicians create a Practice Improvement Action Plan and complete one required educational intervention and two optional educational interventions (time completion estimate–30 days, minimum)
- Clinicians select from choices provided to construct an aim statement and a practice improvement action plan, identifying strategies to implement
- Clinicians complete the Stage B Evaluation


STAGE C

- Clinicians complete a follow-up self-assessment survey (time completion estimate–30 minutes) and review results compared to Stage A
- AHEC representatives pull a sample of 20-25 patient charts and enter data regarding their immunization status (time completion estimate–one week)
- Measure results are presented; clinicians complete the Stage C Evaluation
- Credit is awarded

FOR MORE INFORMATION

For more information or to get involved, visit www.PROTECTcme.org, or contact Michele Frey at The France Foundation at info@PROTECTcme.org today!

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The collage displays several key features of the PROTECTcme.org platform:

- Performance Improvement Module (PIM):** Screenshots show the 'PROTECT™ Adult Immunization PIM' interface, including a sidebar with navigation options like 'Introduction', 'Activity Overview', 'Self Assessment Survey', and 'Educational Interventions and Practice Implementation'. The main content area shows a table of activities with columns for 'Category', 'Activity', 'Status', and 'Action'.
- Stage B: PROTECT Performance Improvement (PI) CME Activity:** A screenshot shows a detailed evaluation form with sections for 'Your Practice Improvement Action Plan Implementation' and 'Organization of Our Practice', including a table for tracking implementation progress.
- Peer-to-Peer Dialogue:** A screenshot shows a list of audio commentary sessions with columns for 'Topic' and 'Faculty', such as 'Childhood Immunizations' by Gary S. Marshall, MD.
- On-Demand Webinars:** A screenshot shows a list of webinars, including 'Addressing Parents' Concerns About Vaccines-Childhood' and 'Addressing Parents' Concerns About Vaccines-Adolescent'.
- Practice Tools:** A screenshot shows a section with icons for 'Childhood Immunization Tools', 'Adolescent Immunization Tools', and 'Adult Immunization Tools'.
- Video Library:** A screenshot shows a list of video scenarios, such as 'Case Scenario 1: Childhood' and 'Case Scenario 2: Adolescent'.