



Resources for Needs/Gap Identification

- Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME)
www.acgme.org
- Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education
<http://www.acpe-accredit.org/ceproviders/standards.asp>
- Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality
www.ahrq.gov
- American Academy of Pediatrics – PediaLink
www.pedialink.org/learnmore-view.cfm?show=4
- American College of Physicians
www.acponline.org/catalog/mksap/13/highlights.htm
- American Medical Association
www.ama-assn.org/ama/pub/category/2936.html
- AMA Consortium performance measures for 31 clinical topics or conditions:
www.ama-assn.org/ama/pub/category/4837.html
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
www.cdc.gov
- Council of Medical Specialty Societies (CMSS)
www.cmss.org
- U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
www.surgeongeneral.gov/index.html
www.hhs.gov
- Institute of Medicine (IOM)
www.iom.edu
- Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO)
www.jcrinc.com

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- National Board of Medical Examiners
www.nbme.org
- National Center for Health Statistics
www.cdc.gov/nchs
- National Hospital Quality Measures
www.qualitymeasures.ahrq
- National Institutes of Health
www.nih.gov
- National Quality Forum (NQF)
www.qualityforum.org
- World Health Organization
www.who.int/en

Additional resources

- State/Regional Departments of Health
- American Nurses Association – Scope and Practice of Nursing
- Clinical trial data
- Expert opinion
- Evaluation data from previous activities
- Peer reviewed literature search