As a member of the American Society of Professionals in Patient Safety (ASPPS) you are receiving this report card on the membership benefits that were available to you in Q1-Q2 (January through June) of 2017.

ASPPS membership is designed to provide you with tools to satisfy continuing education requirements and achieve professional certification, keep you informed and aware of trends and information, and connect you with a diverse and informed network of peers and experts.

**Value of Annual Member Benefits**

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Did you know that if you take advantage of all your ASPPS membership benefits, their value totals over $1,200?

See the following pages for details, and for more information, contact us at ASPPSinfo@npsf.org

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## ASPPS Membership Benefit

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### Estimated Yearly Value/Savings as an ASPPS Member

$1,248.90

Members can also enjoy these special resources and discounts:

- ASPPS Member e-News, 12 issues/year
- 10% discount on NPSF products, course offerings, and event registrations
- 10% discount on Patient Safety Awareness Week items from the NPSF store
EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

Special member rates for all of the educational offerings from NPSF

Certification in Patient Safety

**CPPS Exam**

ASPPS members receive a discount on the certification exam to earn the Certified Professional in Patient Safety (CPPS) credential. The evidence-based exam establishes core standards for the field of patient safety, sets an expected proficiency level, and gives those working in patient safety a means to demonstrate their proficiency and skill in the discipline. Candidates are tested on the following five patient safety domains: Culture, Leadership, Patient Safety Risks and Solutions, Measuring and Improving Performance, and Systems Thinking and Design/Human Factors. ASPPS members also receive a discount when recertifying as a Certified Professional in Patient Safety (CPPS).

**Review Course**

ASPPS members receive a discount on the CPPS review course. Participation in this course will provide attendees with the opportunity to review in depth the five patient safety domains, discuss patient safety scenario examples similar to actual exam questions, and assess their own level of preparedness for the exam and address additional areas for self-study.

**Practice Exam**

ASPPS members receive a discount on the CPPS Practice Exam, a 50-question online practice exam that was developed to be parallel in content and difficulty to the actual Certified Professional in Patient Safety exam.

Monthly Professional Learning Series Webcasts

Many Professional Learning Series webcasts are accredited to provide continuing education credits.

**Q1-Q2 2017 Webcasts**

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<td>Feb 27</td>
<td>Sleep Deprivation, Health Care Providers, and Patient Safety</td>
<td>Christopher P. Landrigan, MD, MPH; Inpatient Pediatrics Service, Boston Children's Hospital; Director, Sleep and Patient Safety Program, Brigham and Women's Hospital; Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Medicine, Harvard Medical School</td>
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<td>Mar 15</td>
<td>The Voice of the Patient and the Public</td>
<td>Marshall Allen, Reporter, ProPublica; Rosemary Gibson, Senior Advisor, The Hastings Center; Martin J. Hatlie, JD, President &amp; CEO, Project Patient Care; Moderator: Tejal K. Gandhi, MD, MPD, CPPS, President &amp; CEO, National Patient Safety Foundation</td>
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<td>Apr 19</td>
<td>Improving Serious Illness Care</td>
<td>Ellen DiPaola, JD, President &amp; CEO, Honoring Choices Massachusetts; Joanna Paladino, MD, Assistant Director of Implementation, Serious Illness Program, Ariadne Labs</td>
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<td>May 11</td>
<td>Improving Patient Safety in Primary Care: Strategies to Engage Patients and Families</td>
<td>Margie Shofer, BSN, MBA, Director, Patient Safety Portfolio, Center for Quality and Patient Safety, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality; Kelly Smith, PhD, Co-Principal Investigator, Guide to Improving Patient Safety in Primary Care Settings by Engaging Patients and Families; Director of Quality and Safety Research, MedStar Health</td>
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<td>Jun 21</td>
<td>Shared Decision Making and Patient Safety: Making the Connections</td>
<td>Benjamin Moulton, JD, MPH, Senior Vice President, Advocacy &amp; Policy, Informed Medical Decisions Foundation</td>
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Educational Resources continued

Educational Modules

ASPPS members receive discounts on educational resources on the topics of Patient Blood Management, Reducing Diagnostic Errors, and Health Information Technology, all seen through the lens of patient safety. These self-paced educational modules were designed by experts in the field to help you advance your expertise in and commitment to patient safety.

Patient Blood Management Through the Lens of Patient Safety

While blood has played a central role in clinical practice for decades, the proof of safety and efficacy of blood transfusions remains ill-defined in comparison to other forms of medical and surgical interventions. This module reviews the safety implications of blood transfusion and introduces the practice of patient blood management.

Patient blood management (PBM) is the scientific use of safe and effective medical and surgical techniques to manage anemia, optimize coagulation, and decrease bleeding, while incorporating patients as partners in decision making.

Faculty:
Victor Ferraris, MD, PhD, Lexington VA Medical Center
Meredith Reyes, MD, Houston Methodist Hospital
Anita Fligge, MSN, RN, John Muir Health
Jennifer Rhamy MBA, MA, MT(ASCP)SBB, HP, St. Mary’s Hospital
Sherri Ozawa, RN, Englewood Hospital and Medical Center

Reducing Diagnostic Errors

Diagnostic errors are a top concern in the patient safety field. Studies have shown that malpractice claims related to diagnostic errors outnumber all other classes of medical error. Health care organizations need a more systematic approach for identifying diagnostic errors and educating clinicians on strategies for reducing the prevalence of these errors.

This resource-rich module provides a diverse set of tools and resources to educate health care professionals on diagnostic errors, as well as a dedicated set of materials specific to engaging patients and families in the prevention of diagnostic errors.

Faculty:
Mark Graber, MD, FACP, State University of New York at Stony Brook
Gordon Schiff, MD, Brigham and Women's Hospital
Geeta Singhal, MD, MEd, Texas Children’s Hospital
Satid Thammasitboon, MD, MHPE, Texas Children’s Hospital

Health Information Technology Through the Lens of Patient Safety

This educational module explores the fundamentals of health information technology (HIT) and examines the challenges for information collection, use, and application in health systems. It focuses on patient safety principles such as organizational culture, transparency, patient engagement, integration of care, and human factors engineering and provides the rationale for using these principles as the guiding science behind any effective HIT strategy. Through error reduction and clinical support, effective use of HIT allows providers to deliver safer, higher-quality care in a more efficient and cost-effective manner.

Faculty:
Steve Arendt, MD, Eisenhower Medical Center
Carol Doolittle, BSPharm, Accenture Health Practice
Eloise Keeler, RN,MSN, Indiana University Health
Carl Keldie, MD, PHS Correctional Health System
Brian Patty, MD, FAAEM, HealthEast Care System
Brian Shea, BSPharm, PharmD, FCCP, Accenture Health Practice
Chris Snyder, DO, Peninsula Regional Medical Center
Janis Watts, RN, MSN, Indiana University Health North Hospital

Online Patient Safety Curriculum 2nd edition

ASPPS members have access to the Curriculum at a discounted cost. This ten-module, self-paced course was created to provide foundational knowledge of the context, key principles, and competencies associated with the discipline of patient safety. The revised, updated second edition was recently released.

1. The Science of Patient Safety
   Robert M. Wachter, MD
   Introduces the key principles, core concepts, and underlying theories of patient safety and medical error.

2. Advancing Patient Safety through Systems Thinking and Design
   Doug Bonacum, MBA, BS, CPPS
   Examines contemporary approaches to patient safety through an exploration of error theory, systems thinking, and reliable design.

3. Identifying, Analyzing, and Mitigating Risk of Health Care-Induced Harm to Patients
   James P. Bagian, MD, PE
   Describes the processes required for effectively reporting, prioritizing, and analyzing patient safety incidents and medical errors.

4. Systems and Professional Accountability: Pursuing a Safety Culture
   Barbara M. Balik, EdD, MS, RN & Gerald B. Hickson, MD
   Addresses patient safety culture as a fundamental aspect of safe, high quality care. Key concepts include Just Culture, human error, accountability, and disruptive behavior.

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Online Patient Safety Curriculum continued

5. The Joy and Meaning of Work and Transformational Imperatives for Workforce Safety
   Patricia McGaffigan, RN, MS, CPPS
   Describes the association between workforce safety and patient safety, and provides effective strategies and successful practices for improving workforce safety.

6. Strategies for Engaging Executive and Clinical Leaders
   Gary S. Kaplan, MD, FACMPE
   Based on the notion that leadership should model institutional behaviors, this module teaches the core principles of effective leaders, including evidence-based leadership competencies and behaviors as well as change management theory.

7. Successful Practices for Patient and Family Engagement
   Ilene Corina & Saul N. Weingart, MD, PhD, CPPS
   Addresses patient and family centered care as a driving factor in the modern patient safety movement. Barriers to patient and family engagement will be discussed alongside evidence-based best practices to overcome these barriers and promote engagement.

8. Patient Safety across the Continuum of Care
   Tejal K. Gandhi, MD, MPH, CPPS
   Examines safety risks during transitions of care and in ambulatory care and presents possible interventions and solutions to improve patient safety and reduce risk across all settings of care.

9. The Role of Health Information Technology in Patient Safety
   Jane Englebright, PhD, RN, CENP, FAAN, & Karen P. Zimmer, MD, MPH, FAAP
   Describes the evolving use, success, and unintended consequences of health information technology, and identifies approaches to improve the safe use of health IT for health care professionals, patients, and families.

10. Introduction to Human Factors and Simulation
    Terry Fairbanks, MD, MS, FACEP, CPPS, Sarah Henrickson Parker, PhD, & Bill Sheahan, MPA, EMT-P
    Introduces human factors and systems safety engineering through the use of real health care examples, and discusses simulation and how it can be used to understand and proactively mitigate errors to avoid adverse events.

Current Awareness Literature Alert

Summaries of articles of interest to the patient safety community, delivered by email. 22 issues per year.

Q1-Q2 2017 Current Awareness Literature Alert
Volume 21, Issues 1:1 through 6:2. 12 issues. Available online to members

Patient Safety & Quality Healthcare

Complimentary magazine subscription. Print issue by mail, plus online version. 6 issues per year.

Q1-Q2 2017 Patient Safety & Quality Healthcare
Mar/Apr Vol. 14, Issue 2  Cover story: Why are Medical Errors Still a Leading Cause of Death?

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CONNECTIONS

Connect and share best practices with a diverse community of professionals in shaping the future of the patient safety field

ASPPS Member e-News
Monthly member news and other patient safety news and announcements delivered directly to your inbox. 12 issues per year.

Q1-Q2 2017 ASPPS e-News
6 issues. Archived online for members

ASPPS LinkedIn Group
Current ASPPS members are added to the group upon request. We encourage you to share your thoughts, ideas, achievements, and best practices — or ask your own questions of our patient safety community.

Annual Patient Safety Congress Discount
ASPPS members receive a 10% discount on registration for the Annual Patient Safety Congress. As the only conference dedicated solely to patient safety, the annual Congress is a unique opportunity for practitioners, leaders, and experts around the world to come together and share their knowledge.

Career Center
ASPPS members will have their resume prioritized in the resume bank and are highlighted as individuals who have shown interest in and commitment to patient safety.

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