The American College of Cardiology's

Chest Pain Center Accreditation



A Quality Improvement Care Model for:

- ✓ LOW-RISK
- ✓ NSTE-ACS
- **♦** STEMI
- *✓* RESUSCITATION

ACC's Chest Pain Center Accreditation merges the latest scientific evidence with process improvement initiatives for the care of the patient suspected of having acute coronary syndrome.

Achieve Efficient and Effective Care

Chest Pain Center (CPC) v6 Accreditation is your blueprint for comprehensive and sustainable process and care improvement. Engineered by a team of nationally recognized healthcare leaders, CPC v6 builds upon previous versions of Chest Pain Center Accreditation – combining quality initiatives, current ACC/AHA guidelines, and clinical best practices.



Pair with

Chest Pain – MI Registry

for STEMI and NSTEMI data reporting.

Optimize Patient Outcomes and Financial Performance



Reduce the liability of missed heart attacks through a consistent approach to risk stratification of the ACS patient



Improve patient throughput, supporting increased volumes



Reduce costly readmissions



Establish more appropriate length-of-stay



Boost patient engagement leading to improved patient satisfaction scores

CPC Accreditation Designation Options

Both PCI-capable and non-PCI facilities may earn CPC Accreditation. PCIcapable facilities may seek a PCI with Resuscitation designation if it provides a 24/7 targeted temperature management program.

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The Essential Process Improvement Components Encompass:

Administrative support to align **Expand community** the multidisciplinary team's awareness of heart attack resources with appropriate signs and appropriate response with education services. programs and outreach. Community Governance Outreach Examine data Integrate metrics to set interventions goals, track delivered by and validate Pre-Clinical primary and performance, Hospital Quality specialty care and evaluate Care providers and continuity of **EMS** first care. responders. HEST PAIN CENT **Early Transitions** Stabilization of Care Coordinate Ensure proper Acute patient placement discharge process and follow-up care and treatment Care for patient/family based on clinical education. presentation and risk stratification.

Utilize guideline-directed medical therapies and standardize protocol use to reduce variances of care.

Get Started



Purchase CPC
Accreditation Services



Schedule time to complete CPC Accreditation training



Ask us how CPC Accreditation brings you one step closer to becoming an ACC HeartCARE Center™



Call us – we're here to help you!

Your Partners in Accreditation

Our accreditation review specialists guide you through the examination and assessment of your operational fitness – without intimidating scrutiny or daunting penalties for non-compliance.

Through their counsel and the use of the Accreditation tool, you'll learn to:

- Implement evidence-based medicine to support decision making in care of individual patients
- Track key performance metrics and identify opportunities for improvement

To learn about other accreditations available through ACC Accreditation Services, please visit our website *Accreditation.ACC.org.*

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