

DATE: Feb. 2, 2010

TO: Chief Operating Officers; Vice Presidents of Medical Affairs, Patient Services, Senior Services; Directors of Quality Improvement; Social Services, Case Management

SUBJECT: **Acute Care for Elders (ACE): A Model for Geriatric-focused Care Webinar - March 10 – 2:30-4:00 p.m.**

The New Jersey Hospital Association is pleased to bring you a Webinar designed to provide the latest information on trends and innovations related to the Acute Care for Elders (ACE) model. This model, which targets the specific needs of the geriatric patient, has been shown to improve patient's clinical and functional outcomes while maintaining budget neutrality or even lowering costs.

During the Webinar, the faculty will cover:

- The barriers and challenges of ACE model implementation
- Data collection strategies and the most effective ways to demonstrate results
- ACE Tracker and e-geriatrician
- How to disseminate this effective model of care beyond the ACE unit
- National trends—the future of ACE.

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