

**Health Quality and Cost Council
Practice Transformation Subgroup**

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8:30-10:00 am

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Agenda

- I. Introduction
- II. What support should be provided to practices that wish to obtain recognition (Note we have not agreed on the recognition method)
 - a. Should it be supported? (Relatively modest expense?)
 - b. What Assessment tool?
 - NCQA readiness assessment
 - AAFP – MHIQ
 - ACP – tools
 - Others tools
- III. How do we increase chances that a practice's transformation is a success?
 - a. Careful practice selection
 - Balance geographic, demographic, operational variations with what has already been learned in other demonstrations?
 - b. Should practices be self-directed or supported in transforming to PCMH?
 - If supported, how much support, how can it be financed?
 - Special support for vulnerable practices, practices with a high Medicaid share, community health centers?
 - c. What outreach should be provided to patients in PCMH practices?
 - Information from consumer/purchaser awareness group
- IV. Next Steps