**Osteoporosis****Best Practices Learning Collaborative**

**Application**

*Applications are due by close of business (5:30 p.m. PT), December 18, 2020*

*Email to* *osteoporosiscollab@amga.org*

**Please remove all patient, provider, and organization identifiers. Maximum of four pages, single-spaced.** **Font: Calibri or Arial, 11 point**

**Evaluation Criteria**

**The AMGA Foundation Osteoporosis Collaborative Advisory committee will review each application and use the following criteria for acceptance into the collaborative:**

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| 1. *Committed Resources*
 | 1. *Potential impact*
 | 1. *Sustainability Intent*
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| * Ability to dedicate people and financial resources to support the project
* Ability to create and maintain quality improvement documents
* IT plan to submit data on specific measures and the ability to identify targeted populations
* A multi-disciplinary team
 | * Number of patients impacted
* Focus on innovation and quality improvement
* Feasibility and scalability
 | * Organizational commitment to sustain progress beyond funding period
* Tracking and performance to monitoring to ensure ongoing effectiveness
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**Organizational Profile:** *Include an organizational profile that gives Advisors an understanding of the size and scope of your organization and population served without naming your organization. (250 words or less)*

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1. **Briefly describe your current approach to Osteoporosis care.** *(250 word limit)*

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1. **Further elaborate on your program including interventions implemented and percentage of practices that will be involved.** *(250 word limit)*

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1. **Describe the challenges and barriers you are currently encountering and expect to encounter in the Collaborative and if possible, how you plan to address them.** *(250 word limit)*

(For example; numerical DXA findings, registry)

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1. **List the members, titles, roles, and departments that will be included on your collaborative team** **without sharing their individual names. Describe the leadership commitment and additional resources your organization will contribute to the project (human and financial).**

 (250 word limit)

* Include project team members, including provider champion and dedicated quality improvement lead
* Include additional financial resources to be invested in the work

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1. **How do you plan to retrieve and analyze the data to track your performance?** (250 word limit)
	* Indicate commitment that dedicated IT resources will be available.
	* Include information about EHR, registries, and other data strategies
	* Include challenges with retrieving and analyzing data (ex: difficulty retrieving patient problem or medication lists, DXA occurred outside of health system-may not be able to identify)

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1. **Describe your quality improvement process for implementing and maintaining a program.** (250 word limit)
	* Include quality improvement tools used, such as gap analysis, PDSA cycle, etc.

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**Appendices**

**Cite and label the supporting documents in an appendix. It is highly preferred that supporting documents are clearly labeled as “Appendix 1,” Appendix 2,”etc. *Maximum of five additional pages.***