

Clinical Data Abstractors (CDAs) – Please see below for a checklist of items to confirm before submission via the MARCQI database:

- All MARCQI surgeons who attended in person printed and signed\* their name  
*\*Typed names and/or copy & paste signature are not accepted*
- All MARCQI surgeons who attended in person are part of your site account
  - If not, please [complete this form to add the surgeon to your site](#) so that they are able to obtain credit for their attendance
    - Once the form is complete, please confirm the surgeon is on your site account before submitting
- Your clinical champion has completed the attestation to the sign in sheet via physical signature
- Your agenda clearly notes the date of the meeting and site name
  - The date on the agenda must match the date of the submission made on the MARCQI database
- Both the sign in sheet & agenda are in PDF format
- Please submit the meeting documentation via the [MARCQI database](#) as soon as you can so that your site's progress can be updated appropriately

## Frequently Asked Questions

- Outside of the clinical champion and CDA, is there minimum number of attendees needed to for the site-based QI meeting count?
  - We ask that there is at least one other person involved in joint-replacement surgery pre, peri, and post-operative care present to discuss the materials.
  - These could include quality directors, advanced practice providers, clinic/surgery coordinators, or other persons involved in total arthroplasties and orthopedics at the site
- Do we have to use the modified slide deck from the most recent collaborative-wide meeting at our site-based QI meeting?
  - No, the modified slide deck is provided as a potential resource for sharing information from the collaborative-wide meeting if you choose to use it.
- What are the Clinical Champion's responsibilities during a site-based QI meeting?
  - Clinical Champions must attend the site-based QI meeting and sign off on the attendance/sign-in sheet for the meeting
- Do I need to turn in the checklist a part of my site-based QI meeting documentation?
  - No, please do not include the checklist as part of your site-based QI meeting documentation.
- Can a site-based QI meeting be both in-person and virtual at the same time?
  - Yes, hybrid meetings are accepted when documentation of each arm (e.g., in-person, virtual) is provided
  - Both the in-person and virtual sign in sheets will need to be completed. One for the people in-person and the other for those who attended virtually.
- If a MARCQI surgeon missed the site-based QI meeting, can the Clinical Champion conduct another site-based QI meeting?
  - Yes, the site would need to submit a separate sign-in sheet and agenda for the additional meeting/s to be counted as a site-based QI meeting for the MARCQI surgeon
- Can a MARCQI surgeon attend site-based QI meetings at more than one site?
  - Yes, a MARCQI surgeon can attend site-based QI meetings at more than one site in a calendar year to count towards their 3 of 3 site-based QI meeting attendance to meet the VBR metric and ABOS MOC SAE credit.
  - The MARCQI surgeon must still attend at least 1 site-based QI meeting at a site at which they operate following each MARCQI collaborative-wide meeting in a calendar year to meet the 3 of 3 site-based QI meeting attendance
- What is ABOS MOC SAE?
  - The American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery (ABOS) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) committee approved active participation in MARCQI as an alternate choice for earning self-assessment examination (SAE) credits for the Board's MOC process.
  - Each diplomate is able to receive 10 SAE credits for each year of MARCQI participation by attending 3 of 3 site-based QI meetings as an alternative to 10 scored and recorded SAE credits