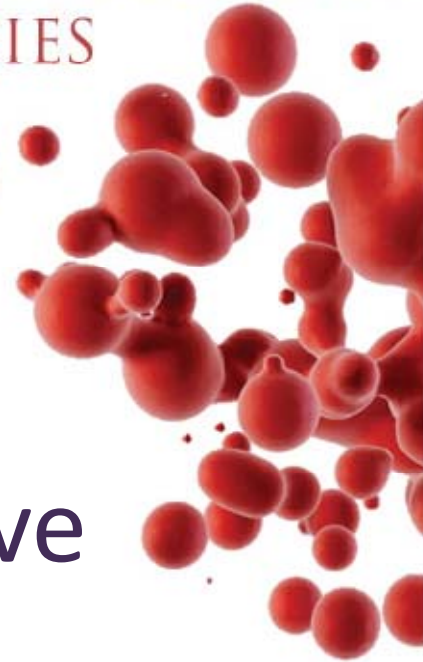
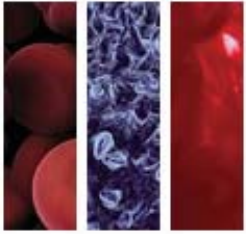


Quality Improvement in Managing Patients at Risk for

VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM: INTERVENTIONAL STRATEGIES

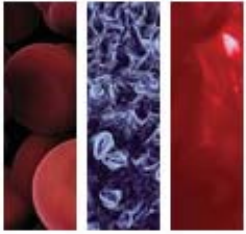
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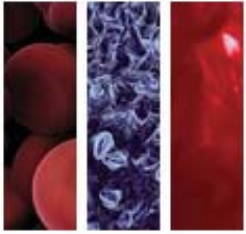
Overview

- Why participate in this quality initiative?
- Why a team approach?
- What is involved?
- More information at www.StopVTE.org



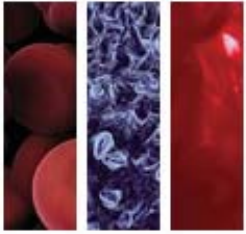
Why participate?

- Help your patients
 - More than 200,000 new cases of VTE annually
 - 30% of VTE patients die within 30 days
- Work toward national goals set by
 - Surgical Care Improvement Project (SCIP)
 - Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)
 - The Joint Commission
 - National Quality Forum



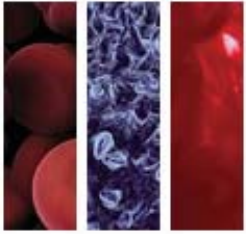
Why participate?

- Get a FREE boost for your practice site
 - Nationally-recognized physician and pharmacist mentors come to you
 - Expert evaluation of your VTE prevention practices
 - Mentoring toward your VTE quality improvement goals



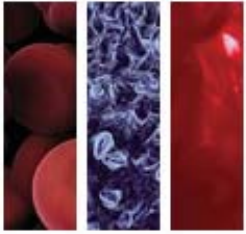
Why a team approach?

- VTE prevention is a system-wide issue
- Ideally, all who contribute to care of patients at risk for VTE should be represented
- Team members bring different knowledge and logistical insights to the project
- For change to occur, everyone needs to be “on board”



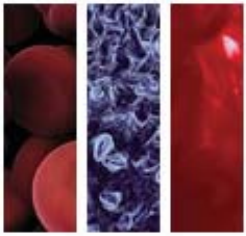
Who should be on your team?

- Physicians, including hospitalists, internists, cardiologists, surgeons
- Nurse practitioners and nurses
- Pharmacists
- Case managers
- Quality improvement staff
- Information technology staff



What is involved?

- Apply by January 25 at www.StopVTE.org
- Develop a draft plan to improve VTE prophylaxis
- Complete Pre-Visit Survey
- Site visit by faculty
- Refine QI project with faculty
- Implement VTE QI project
- Measure and report outcomes



For more information, go to
www.StopVTE.org

Scroll
down for
FAQ



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the address bar displaying <http://www.stopvte.org/impact.aspx>. The website header includes navigation links: HOME, ABOUT US, CE ACTIVITY LIST & REGISTRATION, CE INFORMATION, FACULTY, and RESOURCE CENTER. The main content area features a banner for "VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM: INTERVENTIONAL STRATEGIES" and a section titled "INSTITUTIONAL IMPACT VTE MENTORED QUALITY INITIATIVE". This section includes a photograph of four healthcare professionals and a description of the initiative's goals. Below this, there is a "View Application and Selection Process" button. Further down, the "How does the Institutional Impact VTE Mentored Quality Initiative work?" section is visible, containing sub-sections for "Apply:", "Faculty Mentoring:", "Report Outcomes:", and "Faculty Mentors". The "Faculty Mentors" section lists Stuart T. Haines, Pharm.D., BCPS, FCCP, FASHP, FAPhA and Gregory A. Maynard. A right-hand sidebar contains social media links for "REFER A COLLEAGUE", "BECOME A STOP VTE ADVOCATE", "TALK TO US", and "FOLLOW US ON TWITTER", along with a "Listen to Q & A" section featuring audio clips from Stuart T. Haines and Gregory A. Maynard.

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