

Pay-for-Performance Models and ED Overcrowding

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The 2006 Institute of Medicine report *Preventing Medication Errors* recommended "incentives...so that profitability of hospitals, clinics, pharmacies, insurance companies, and manufacturers (are) aligned with patient safety goals;...(to) strengthen the business case for quality and safety." Pay-For-Performance, or P4P, is one mechanism to drive more efficient health care. Internationally, several such programs exist that rewards physicians, hospitals, medical groups, and other healthcare providers for meeting certain performance measures for quality and efficiency.

However, concerns have been raised that volume-based incentives do not address problems of quality, safety and appropriateness. Do those who do more perform better? Join us to learn how P4P is doing in BC!

Learning Objectives:

1. Understand what P4P is and is not.
2. Learn how P4P is being employed successfully.
3. Understand what works and doesn't work.
4. Learn how we should evaluate P4P.