

Society of Thoracic Surgeons

Intermacs & Pedimacs
Quality Assurance Report Overview Webinar

July 17, 2025



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Today's Meeting

- Welcome and Introductions
- STS Updates
- Reporting Updates
- AQO 2025
- Open Discussion



The STS Team

Nancy Honeycutt, BSN, RN LSSGBH, National Database Manager for the ACSD, Intermacs and Pedimacs

Carole Krohn, MPH, BSN, RN, LSSGB, Director of the STS National Database

Leighann Jones, BS, National Database Manager for the Congenital and General Thoracic Databases

Emily Conrad, MS, National Database Education Manager

The Intermacs Data Warehouse Team

Brandon Singletary, PhD, Statistician III, Epidemiologist

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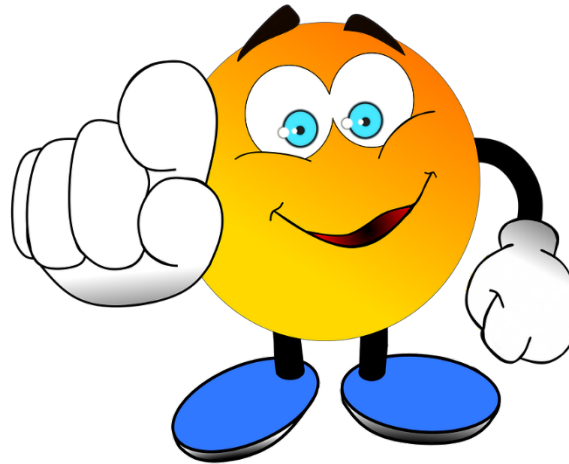
John Pennington, MSHI, Director of Data Management

Jeanne Anne Love, MS, Project Manager



Intermacros & Pedimacs Quality Webinar

- We want to hear from YOU!



Please reach out to Patricia or Nancy if you would like to share your center's quality improvement project on a future webinar!

Upcoming Webinars



Intermacros User Group Call



July 30 @ 1PM CT



Intermacros User Group Call



August 27 @ 1PM CT



When Are The Reports Distributed?

Calendar Quarter	Data Entry Deadline	Coverage Stop Date	Distribution Date
Q1	April 30th	March 31st	June 30th
Q2	July 31st	June 30th	September 30th
Q3	October 31st	September 30th	December 31st
Q4	January 31st	December 31st	March 31st



AQO 2025: Intermacs & Pedimacs



Date: September 23, 2025



Format: Live Virtual Zoom Forum



Who Should Attend:

Data Managers

VAD Coordinators

Quality and Outcomes Staff



Focus: Join us for a **full-day interactive event** dedicated exclusively to **Intermacs & Pedimacs** registry content.



What to Expect:

Opportunities to connect with presenters and peers

Reporting tips

Data abstraction guidance

Live presentations and Q&A with the Intermacs/Pedimacs team



Intermacros & Pedimacs Virtual Forum Agenda

September 23, 2025

- Introduction for New Data Managers
- High-Level Overview of Intermacros & Pedimacs
- Intermacros Patient Profile
- Preview of Upcoming Adverse Event (AE) Revisions
- Sherri Ann Wissman Memorial Excellence Award
- Intermacros Platform Upgrade
- Using Intermacros Data in Power BI Dashboards
- Kirklin Solutions Dashboard Overview
- User Experience with Intermacros/Pedimacs Dashboard
- Interpreting Operative Reports for Implant Form Submission
- Coding Temporary Devices: RVAD, ECMO, Balloon Pump
- Device Coding in the Intermacros/Pedimacs Database
- Applying Intermacros Data for Site-Level Quality Improvement



Intermacros/Pedimacs Participants: Award Nominations

Nominate an outstanding VAD coordinator for the **Sherri Ann Wissman Memorial Excellence Award**, which will be presented during the **Live Virtual Forum**.

The award recipient must be a VAD coordinator who:

- Demonstrates loyalty, dependability, and selflessness
- Is supportive of fellow employees and patients
- Contributes meaningfully to the quality of life for VAD patients


 **1 Submit nominations by Friday, August 8.**

 For more information, please contact **Emily Conrad**, STS Database Education Manager.



AQO 2025 Registration Pricing

July 31, 2025

 **Early Bird Pricing** (Through ~~July 16, 2025~~)

Category	Member	Nonmember
One Day	\$750	\$850
Two Day	\$1,100	\$1,300
Virtual Pass	\$350	\$450
Virtual Pass + Intermacs Virtual Forum	\$450	\$550



AQO 2025 Registration Pricing

 **Standard Pricing** (After ~~July 16, 2025~~ **July 31, 2025**)

Category	Member	Nonmember
One Day	\$850	\$950
Two Day	\$1,300	\$1,500
Virtual Pass	\$450	\$550
Virtual Pass + Intermacs Virtual Forum	\$550	\$650
Industry Employee	\$800	\$800



Contact Us

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Open Discussion



Please use the Q&A Function.



We will answer as many questions as possible.



We encourage your feedback and want to hear from you!

THANK YOU FOR JOINING!

