



ADVANCES IN QUALITY & OUTCOMES:
A Data Managers Meeting

Society of Thoracic Surgeons

2019 Pre-AQO Webinar

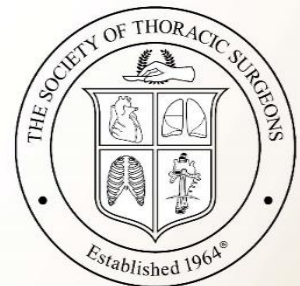
Adult Cardiac Surgery Database



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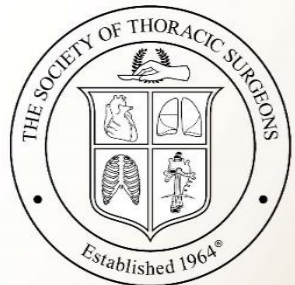
The purpose of this webinar is to:

- Introduce new strategies to improve education and communication for STS Data Managers
- Introduce IQVIA – our new Data Warehouse
- Provide an opportunity for data managers to share concerns and suggestions



Welcome and Thank You for Joining

- Introductions
- Next Generation STS National Database
- AQO Update
 - Session Topics
 - Polling App and Q&A
- IQVIA Update
- Upgrade Update
- Educational Opportunities
- Open Q&A
 - Submit your non-clinical questions via Q&A





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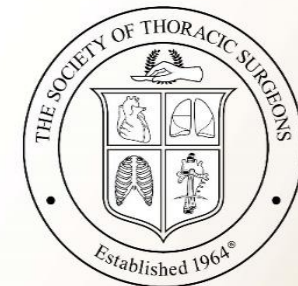
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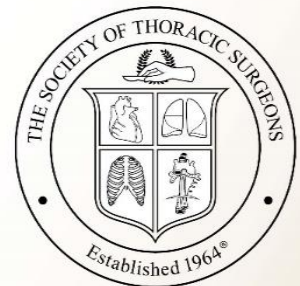




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Thank you!



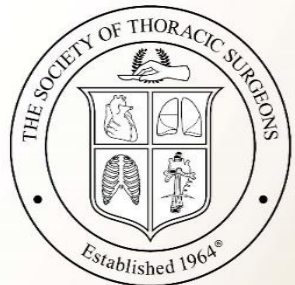
Next Generation STS National Database

Beginning January 2020

STS has partnered with IQVIA, a leading global provider of technology solutions to become the new Data Warehouse for the STS National Database.

IQVIA will help speed innovation, incorporate a cloud-based system, new dashboard reporting with near real-time data updates, and improved dashboard accessible Data Quality Reports.

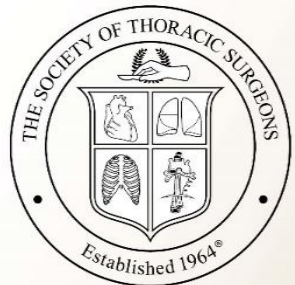
DCRI will remain the analytics center.



Who's going to AQO? Polling Question

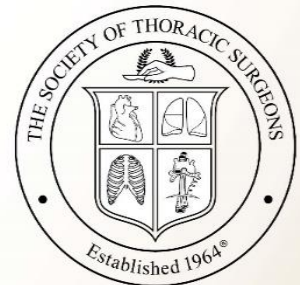
For more information on AQO

<https://www.sts.org/meetings/calendar-of-events/advances-quality-outcomes-data-managers-meeting>



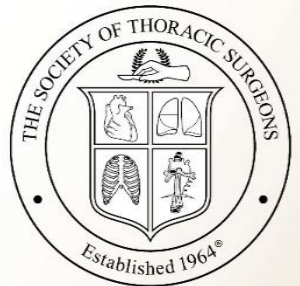
2019 AQO Adult Cardiac Session Preview

- **Wednesday**
 - New Data Manager Session @ 3:30pm
 - Networking Reception @ 5pm
- **Thursday –**
 - General Session followed by ACSD Sessions @ 10am
 - IQVIA Updates and demonstrations
 - Risk Models – Why they are so important to your outcomes
 - Adult Cardiac version 4.20 – Upgrade 2020
 - Key clinical areas of concern
 - Best practices for presenting data to your physician and use of your data
 - Audit results/Audit process review
 - And much much more!



New this year...

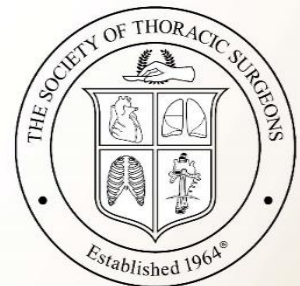
**Polling and Q&A Website
AND
Free Wi-Fi!!!!**



Polling and Q&A Instructions

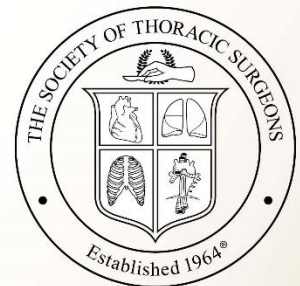


- www.stsaqo.cnf.io
- Click on the session you are attending
- Polling questions will automatically appear when it's time
 - Results will be displayed on your device
- Submit questions for the presenter
 - Questions will be filtered to remain relevant to the presentation
 - Up-vote submitted questions by hitting the 'like' button



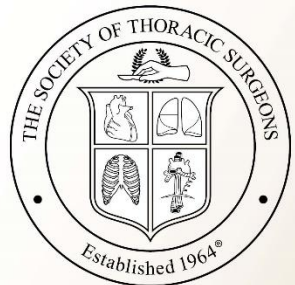
Wi-Fi Login Information

- Login: STSAQOMeeting
- Password: data2019



Version 4.20 Upgrade

- Polling Question
 - When do you want upgrade webinars to start?



IQVIA

- + Introduction
- + AQO Representatives
- + What to Expect at AQO
- + What to Expect Post-AQO

Introduction

- Project Initiation: April 2019
 - Since then 41 meetings between STS, IQVIA, DCRI, Task Force, Vendor, and Data Manager team members!
- IQVIA Implementation Team
 - 20 dedicated people just for STS
- Project Workstreams
 - Overall registry configuration
 - Uploading of data files
 - Migration of data for the past 2 versions
 - Interactive reporting dashboards
- Phase I Go-Live: January 2020



AQO Representatives



Jon Morris, MD

President, Payer and Provider Solutions

Executive commercial leadership for IQVIA Registry Platform and related solutions



Shannon Shirk

Vice President, Real-World Technology Solutions

Leads global IQVIA team delivering technology platforms, partnerships, and strategies for providers and professional associations



Tone Southerland

Program Director, Real-World Technology Solutions, STS

Leads overall implementation of STS on the IQVIA Registry Platform (IRP)



Melanie Bent

Business Analyst Lead, Real-World Technology Solutions, STS

Leads registry configuration and reports design, security and privacy expertise



Dave Zehner

Technical Lead, Real-World Technology Solutions, STS

Leads technical implementation efforts for STS on the IRP



Anand Pradhan

Test Lead, Real-World Technology Solutions, STS

Leads quality assurance and testing efforts for STS on the IRP



Paul Meehan

Senior Software Engineer, Real-World Technology Solutions, STS

Leads development and data migration efforts for STS on the IRP



Pamela Chapman

Senior Business Analyst, Real-World Technology Solutions, STS

Leads reporting and business analysis efforts for STS on the IRP

What to Expect from IQVIA at AQO

- IQVIA Overview/Project Milestones
 - What the project will look like leading up to go live
- Information & Guidance
 - Frequently Asked Questions
- Live Interaction with Team
 - Face to face time
 - Interactive Q&A: <https://stsago.cnf.io/>
- Demos/Mock-Up's
 - Screenshots
 - Videos



The Society of Thoracic Surgeons

Wednesday, October 23

Dorothy Latham Poster Award
in Bissonet

Questions for IQVIA

New General Thoracic Data Managers Session
7:30am - 8:30am in Acadia
Katie Lothrop Nichole Arcaro



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The Society of Thoracic Surgeons
Established 1964

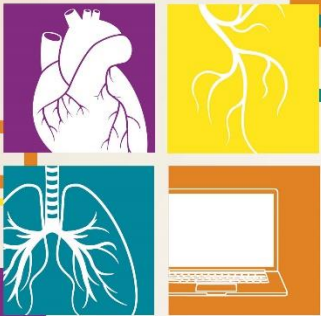
What to Expect from IQVIA Post-AQO

- Live Webinars
 - Interactive chat box
 - Real time demos
- How-To Recordings
 - Quick videos to watch before go live
- Go-Live Expectations
 - Pre and post checklist
 - Change & transition management
 - Support (STS/DCRI/IQVIA)



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The banner features a grid of four icons on the left: a heart, a tree, a person, and a laptop. On the right is the circular logo of The Society of Thoracic Surgeons, established in 1964.

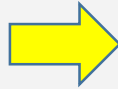


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Questions for IQVIA can be submitted at anytime during AQO!



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INTERMACS: Welcome & Announcements
8:00am - 8:15am in Mardi Gras Ballroom F-H

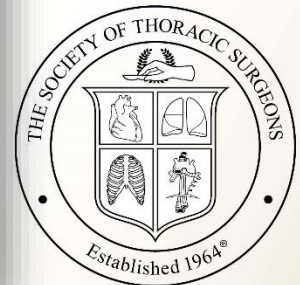
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INTERMACS: Oh the Places You Will Go: Brief Summary Highlighting Major Events and Changes during the Transition from NHLBI to STS
8:15am - 8:45am in Mardi Gras Ballroom F-H

Francis Pagani

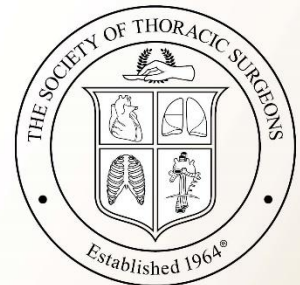
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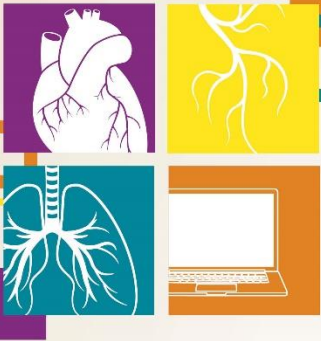
Benjamin Kozower



Data Manager Educational Opportunities

- **Monthly LIVE Webinars**
 - Educational Sessions
 - Clinical Scenarios
 - Coding ‘tips and tricks’
 - Opportunity to Submit Questions (clinical or non-clinical)
 - IQVIA Updates
 - Data Quality Reports/Dashboard Training
 - Data Manager Suggestions for Upcoming Webinars
 - Polling the Data Managers – what do you want to know??
- **Quarterly LIVE Webinars**
 - New Data Manager Training

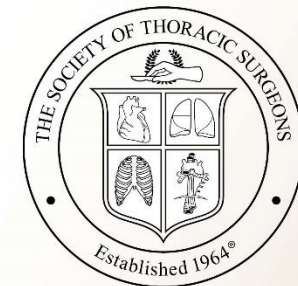


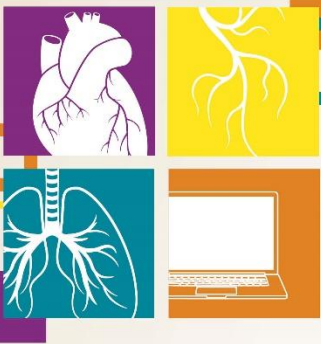


Data Manager Educational Opportunities

- **Mentor/Mentee Program**

- Help out your fellow abstractors by knowledge sharing
- Learn how to take advantage of your resources
- We need experienced abstractors to step-up and help out!
 - More than 2 years of experience means you are a good candidate for a mentor role with the STS!
- <https://www.sts.org/registries-research-center/sts-national-database/sts-national-database-mentorship-program>



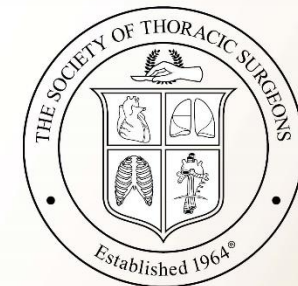


Data Manager Educational Opportunities

- Training Manual

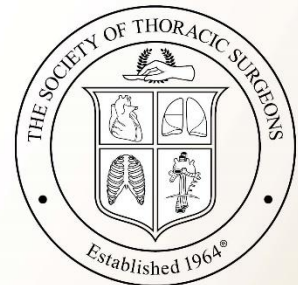
- Purpose is to provide intent/clarification for variables
- Updated monthly
- FAQ's submitted and responses are posted within training manual
 - Links and bookmarks provided for navigation
- <https://www.sts.org/registries-research-center/sts-national-database/general-thoracic-surgery-database/data-collection>

General Thoracic Surgery Database V2.41 Training Manual September 30, 2019	
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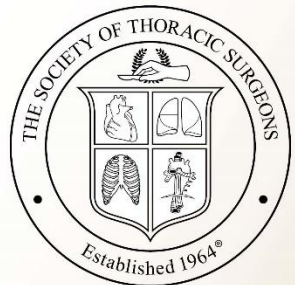
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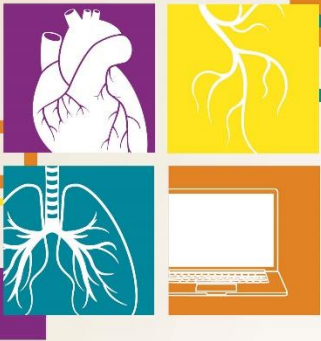
- Carole Krohn, Sr. Clinical Manager, STS National Database
 - 312-202-5847
 - ckrohn@sts.org
- Clinical Questions should be submitted via the Clinical Question Submission Form:
 - <https://www.sts.org/sts-clinical-question-request-form>



Your turn!

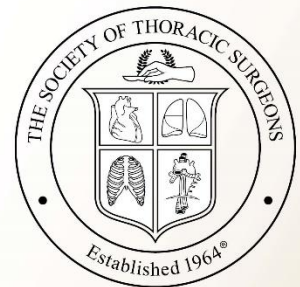
- What is working?
- What is not working?
- What can STS do for you?
- What resources do you need and in what format(s)?
- We will answer as many questions as possible in the time remaining. If we don't get to your question we will respond in writing as soon as possible.

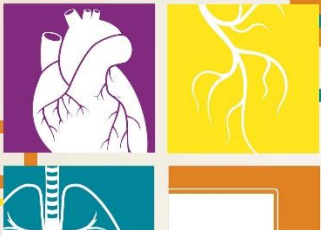




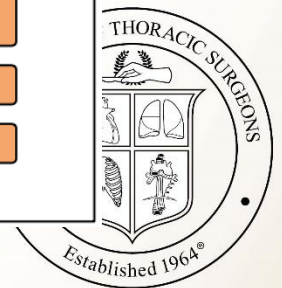
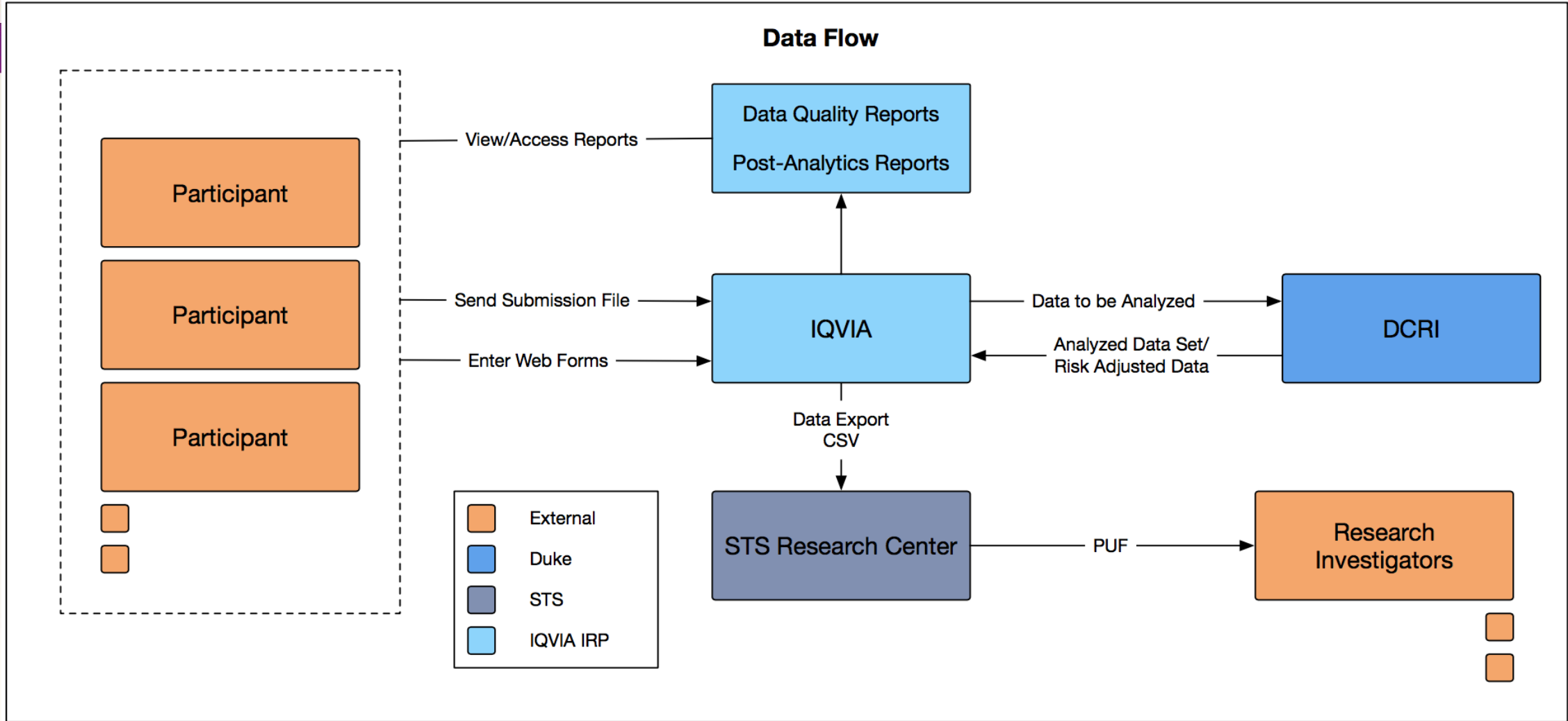
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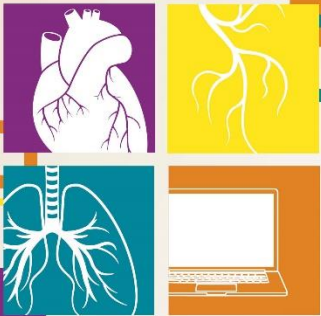
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Stakeholders and Process Overview

STS National Database

