

Society of Thoracic Surgeons

Intermacs
User Group Webinar

June 29, 2022



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Agenda

- Welcome and Introductions
- STS Updates – AQO 2022
- Intermacs Dashboard Updates
- Q and A



The Team

James K Kirklin, MD : Director Intermacs Data Warehouse

Patricia Potter, BSN, RN : Intermacs Data Warehouse Quality Manager

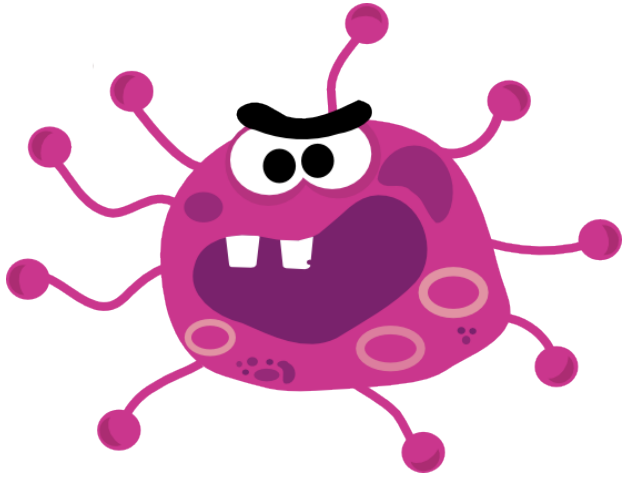
Jeanne Anne Love: Intermacs Data Warehouse, Patient Management Director and Data Quality advisor

Maceo Cleggett: Clinical Data Analyst, Intermacs DCC

John Pennington: Senior Data Manager, Intermacs DCC

Rama Rudraraju, PhD, Director of Programming ,Intermacs Data Warehouse

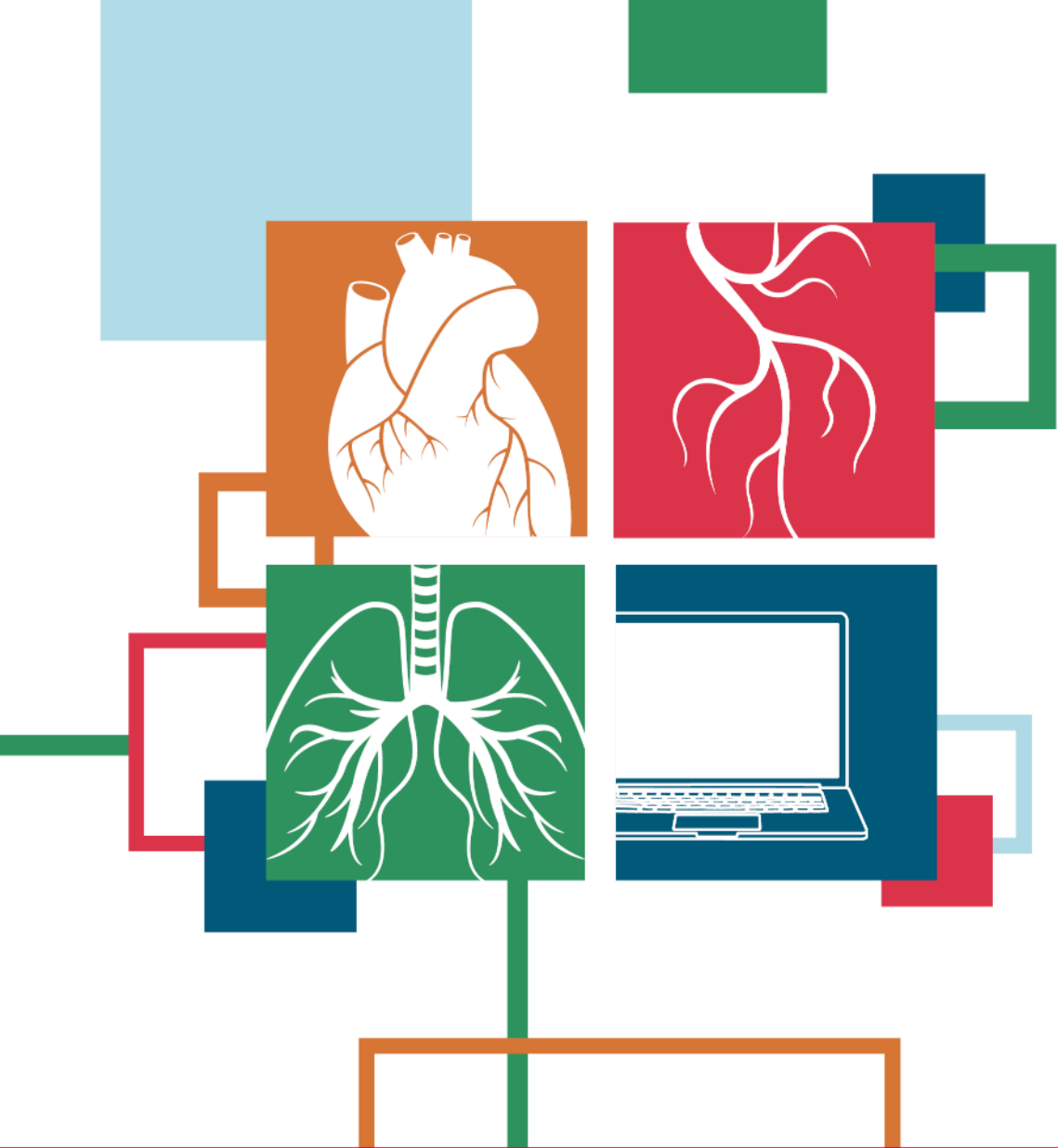




Covid -19 Update

- Tele visits encouraged
- QOL surveys may be done over the phone or by mail
- If follow-up visits are done outside of the visit window, please enter the last date of the follow-up date visit into the database
- **Sites have 30 days after the follow-up window due date to enter the data for the C-19 exception**





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Abstract Submission

Deadline: Tuesday, July 5, 2022.

Click **Submit an Abstract** on the STS AQO Website.

All authors listed on the abstract are required to submit a Disclosure Form at the time of submission. Your submission will not be listed as complete unless each author has submitted a Disclosure Form.

Submit an Abstract

Abstracts are now being accepted for consideration. Submissions are due on Tuesday, July 5, 2022, at 11:59 p.m. ET. Accepted submissions will be presented as e-posters, while a small number also may be selected for oral presentation. Submitted abstracts must use STS National Database Core Fields and Participating Sites Custom Fields to produce results.

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AQO Registration is Open!

Receive Early Bird Registration Pricing through Friday, August 26.

STS MEMBER	Early Bird (August 26, 2022)	Standard
One Track	\$550	\$650
Two Tracks	\$900	\$1,100
Multi-Day (Three Tracks)	\$1,150	\$1,450
Virtual Pass	\$300	\$300

NON-MEMBER	Early Bird (August 26, 2022)	Standard
One Track	\$650	\$750
Two Tracks	\$1,100	\$1,300
Multi-Day (Three Tracks)	\$1,450	\$1,750
Virtual Pass	\$400	\$400



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Wednesday, October 26, 2022 – Intermacros/Pedimacs Session

	In Person	Virtual Pass
• In-person sessions with live Q&A	✓	
• On-demand content (available mid-October)	✓	✓
• Recorded archive of in-person sessions (available mid-November)	✓	✓
• Breakfast, lunch, and refreshment breaks	✓	
• Personal interactions and networking with peers	✓	
• Networking Reception with speakers, vendors, and colleagues	✓	
• Face-to-face time with exhibitors	✓	
• Complete exhibitor listing	✓	✓
• Exhibit Hall giveaways and Passport to Prizes	✓	
• AQO Hot Topics Webinar (in January)	✓	✓
• Digital conference materials (PowerPoint presentations, handouts, and case scenarios)	✓	✓
• Opportunity to view and vote on your favorite e-poster	✓	✓
• Continuing Education/CEU Credits	✓	✓
• Explore the sights and sounds of Providence, Rhode Island	✓	

Intermacros/ Pedimacs Preliminary Program Topics

- Pedimacs Dashboard / Kaplan-Meier Tool
- Using the Intermacros Dashboard
- Right Heart Failure
- Quality of Life Long-Term Outcomes and Compliance
- How to Read Quarterly Reports
- New Pedimacs Form
- Ongoing Research for Intermacros / Pedimacs
- Future Quality Initiatives
- Case Scenarios for Intermacros / Pedimacs
- Data Completeness

- [Submit your questions or case scenarios](#) by **Friday, August 16.**





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- Educational sessions and social events will take place at the Rhode Island Convention Center (1 Sabin St, Providence, RI 02903).
- A block of rooms have been reserved at the Omni Providence Hotel (1 West Exchange St., Providence, RI 02903). The special AQO group rate of \$259, plus state and local taxes, is guaranteed through **Tuesday, October 4**, or until the group block is sold out.
- [Reserve online](#)
- Call 401-598-8000. Be sure to reference “AQO” or “Advances in Quality and Outcomes.”



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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!

Intermacros & Pedimacs Resources:

[https://www.uab.edu/medicine/intermacros/
intermacros-documents](https://www.uab.edu/medicine/intermacros/intermacros-documents)

www.sts.org

Intermacrosfaq@sts.org



Thank you for joining!

Next Intermacs/Pedimacs Webinars

Next User Group Call: July 27 , 2022 @ 1 pm CT.

Reporting Webinar: July 21 , 2022 @ 2 pm CT



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