## Vascular Quality Initiative®

### Year in Review

Since June 2016, VQI has added 57 centers and now comprises 416 centers and over 3,000 physicians. More than 373,000 procedures are recorded in its 12 clinical registries, and development continues on the new Vascular Medicine Registry. In addition to its continued growth, VQI increased both the breadth and depth of quality improvement activities.

#### **FOCUS ON MEMBER EDUCATION AND**

OUTREACH. The SVS PSO in conjunction with M2S has introduced new quality improvement publications and expanded member outreach through monthly webinars, the new VQI Annual Meeting, the QI Project Guide and the development of a Members' Only section of the VQI website. (See page 2). A Communications Committee has been formed to keep the membership informed of VQI activities and possibilities for engagement.

VQI PARTICIPATION AWARD. This award recognizes the importance of active participation through long term follow up, attendance at meetings and QI activities as a critical component of the SVS PSO quality improvement mission. Participation Awards are based on degree of involvement and patient follow up and are meant to encourage improved engagement. The median long-term follow-up rate for centers qualifying for a 2016 VQI Participation Award increased from 58% the previous year to 64%, a 10% improvement in this key metric. The 202 sites that received one or more stars are listed on the VQI website alphabetically by center name. (Click here to view listing).

QUALITY IMPROVEMENT REPORTS. This year, the SVS PSO developed three new Center Opportunity Profile for Improvement (COPI) reports and three physician-level reports focusing on aspects of CEA, CAS and PVI procedures. In addition, five new parameters were added to the semi-annual regional reports. Ongoing tracking is in place for surgical site infection rates. A comprehensive data audit is in progress and has so far shown that only 5.9% of VQI variables were subject to data inaccuracies and this resulted in discrepancies in only 0.4% of individual data points in the registries. It is important to note that none of these errors impacted any key outcome variables or clinical findings.

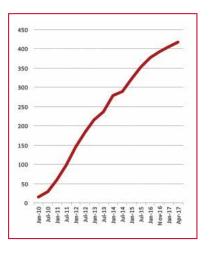
NATIONAL RESEARCH PROJECTS. During the current period, 47 new research projects were presented by 72 unique investigators, and 40 VQI publications and presentations were completed in the year. Since 2011, 128 VQI national research projects have been initiated by the VQI in total, plus 145 regional projects.

ONGOING REGISTRY DEVELOPMENT. The SVS PSO, the Society for Vascular Medicine and M2S are working together on the Vascular Medicine Registry to help evaluate the treatment and outcomes of patients with carotid, AAA and lower extremity arterial disease who are managed medically. The registry is planned to launch in Q4 2017, and will enable outcomes comparisons with surgical registries. A Vascular Stenting Registry is also under consideration to be operational in 2018.

SVS PSO COMMITTEE CHAIRS AND REGIONAL LEADERS: Changes in committee and regional quality leadership have taken place. The Regional Quality Groups meet semi-annually and have robust programs for quality improvement projects. The registry chairs continue to address the needs of the membership and continue consideration of upgrades to the registry data collection forms. The quality committees support ongoing quality improvement initiatives at the local, regional and national level. The Communications Committee will be responsible for keeping the membership updated with recent developments.

STRATEGIC FOCUS. The SVS PSO has identified four areas of strategic import: national QI initiatives, VQI data integrity, the significance of MIPS/MACRA, and collaboration with the SVS and the Clinical Practice Committee on clinical indications.

#### **GROWTH IN PARTICIPATING CENTERS**



## Current Quality Initiatives

Quality improvement projects are initiated by committees or the membership and promoted at Regional Quality Groups and nationally. Examples include:

NEW NATIONAL QI INITIATIVE FOR DISCHARGE MEDICATIONS. VQI data showed that patients who had undergone vascular operations and are discharged on an aspirin and statin have improved survival at 5 years compared to not being discharged on these medications. This initiative reminds vascular surgeons to prescribe antiplatelet agents and statins to appropriate patients to improve their long-term outcomes, and is led by Randall R. DeMartino, MD, a Mayo Clinic vascular surgeon and co-chair of the Vascular Medicine Registry. VQI adopted this as a national QI project, and provides physicians and centers with regular feedback as well as tools such as guidelines for patient communication to primary care physicians

to increase the number of patients on these medications. For more, <u>click here</u> to see the current QI initiatives.

#### NEW NATIONAL QI INITIATIVE FOR LONG TERM

FOLLOW UP FOR EVAR. It is critical that patients who undergo endovascular aneurysm repair (EVAR) have follow up including imaging annually. This initiative promotes follow up imaging at one year for EVAR patients, and is led by Salvatore Scali, MD, a University of Florida vascular surgeon and Chair of the EVAR Registry. The imaging (MRI, CT or duplex scan) at one year helps surgeons assess aneurysm status and potential for rupture. Follow up can often be improved by simple process measures including physician, staff and patient education. For more, click here to see the EVAR LTFU webinar.

#### ONGOING TRACKING FOR REDUCTION IN LOS.

VQI regional benchmark reports showed wide variation in LOS for major vascular procedures. Hospitals in several regional groups identified potential causes, many of which can be controlled by the provider. Regional Quality Groups brainstormed solutions including developing

clinical pathways and standardized order sets. Patient and staff education are important as well as setting discharge expectations during pre-surgical visits. Several VQI centers have adopted the use of Enhance Recovery protocols to improve care and reduce LOS, and the VQI is working with these centers to share best practices.

#### IMPROVING APPROPRIATENESS OF CARE.

Treatment of vascular disease, including both arterial and venous pathology, is subject to wide variation which may result in widely disparate outcomes. In an effort to address population health, a Clinical Indications Committee has been formed to evaluate clinical indications and promote a more standardized approach to care of the vascular patient. Using VQI data and expertise, the Clinical Indications Committee will work closely with the SVS Clinical Practice Council to incorporate evidence based practices. The membership of the Clinical Indications Committee includes experts on both arterial and venous disease with representatives from both academic and community practice.









### QI Events and Educational Outreach

In the past year, the expansion of quality improvement events and materials for the VQI was designed to bring together a greater understanding of registry data and data-driven vascular best practices for all members. The sharing of VQI best practices helps to complete the QI cycle of data collection, analysis of results, improvements in process and outcomes, and sharing of both methodology and results with peers.

**VQI ANNUAL MEETING.** The inaugural VQI@VAM event brought together nearly 200 health professionals for a day of registry-based presentations, key note sessions from external QI experts, and case studies from VQI centers and regional quality groups. The meeting also provided a forum for discussion of quality research and brought regions together. The 2017 meeting has been expanded to include an additional half day on complex registry issues and a poster reception. Attendees will have an opportunity for discussion of complex registry data issues and case studies, and the event is intended to demonstrate the value of VQI data to key decision-makers. (Click here to view details online.)

QI PROJECT GUIDE. This guide defines the key steps needed to complete a data-driven QI project, describes some of the QI tools available and provides guidance on how VQI reports and VQI center case studies can be used. The guide was distributed at the VQI@VAM 2016 event and is available online. It will be updated with case studies, tools and best practice on an ongoing basis and made available to all VQI members.

**WEBINAR SERIES.** The SVS VQI held six webinars on topics that alternated between specific registry data collection and QI best practices. Each was attended by up to 150 health professionals. Topics included the impact of MIPS and MACRA, long term follow-up for EVAR, and updates to the PVI and CAS Registries.

MEMBERS ONLY WEB RESOURCES. The SVS PSO has created a new Members Only area within the VQI website for quality improvment project content, videos, and case studies. This area includes a National Shared Area for PSO presentations and videos, a Regional Shared Area for regional quality research and presentations, and Members' Forums for discussion of quality improvement topics. The development of this area was designed to support data managers and physicians and encourage sharing of best practice content among all members. User information, credentials and instructions were sent to members in April 2017.

### Technology Improvements through M2S

CAS REVISIONS. The CAS Registry was updated in November 2016 to streamline data entry, include all device types, and align with the Carotid Endarterectomy (CEA) Registry. This registry allows users to meet CMS carotid stent center certification requirements.

**NEW PROCEDURE CLONE FEATURE.** A feature to pre-populate (clone) data from a similar prior procedure was released for the PVI Registry in early 2017. This new functionality populates a new PVI procedure with relevant data from an existing PVI procedure to reduce the time and effort required for data entry. This time saving and user friendly feature will be applied to other registries in the future.

**EMR DATA INTEGRATION.** M2S continues to work with EMR vendors to automatically populate VQI registries when VQI data elements are available in the EMR, in order to streamline data collection. Data integration for the Varicose Vein Registry has been accomplished for

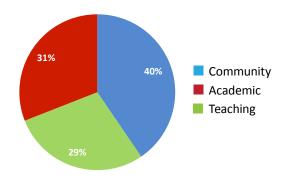
the Medstreaming Vascular Information System, and is underway for the PVI Registry.

**VQI 2017 QCDR and MIPS.** CMS has approved M2S to be a Qualified Clinical Data Registry (QCDR) for 2017. M2S submitted nine potential new measures for 2017 to augment existing measures in order to allow VQI members more flexibility in MIPS reporting. Enrollment for 2017 is pending awaiting approval from CMS for the 2017 Quality Measures.

BLINDED DATA SET REVIEW AND UPDATE. During the past year, M2S and the SVS PSO have conducted an extensive audit to assure accuracy of de-identified datasets for research. This has resulted in automation and standardization of the methods used to create the datasets as well as additional quality assurance processes in an effort to insure uniformity and accuracy. In addition, help text specific for investigators has been added. This large project involving each registry sequentially is scheduled for completion in June, 2017.

### **VQI** Member Characteristics

#### **TYPES OF PARTICIPATING HOSPITALS**



### 18 REGIONAL QUALITY GROUPS NOW INCLUDING THE CANADIAN VASCULAR QUALITY INITIATIVE



### VQI Activity with External Stakeholders

### MEDICAL DEVICE MANUFACTURER POST-APPROVAL SURVEILLANCE PROJECTS

**BARD LIFESTENT® POPLITEAL ARTERY STENT PROJECT.** New clinical project designed to further evaluate the Bard LifeStent® for treatment of popliteal artery atherosclerosis. The surveillance project will enroll 74 patients and include one-year and two-year follow up.

**MEDTRONIC IN.PACT ADMIRAL DCB ISR PROJECT.** New clinical project designed to confirm that IN.PACT Admiral DCBs are safe and effective for treatment of ISR lesions in the superficial femoral and popliteal arteries. This project will enroll 300 patients across 50 sites for one-, two- and three-year follow-up.

**TEVAR.** This project, initiated in October 2014, has demonstrated the value of expanding surveillance to real world device performance while meeting FDA requirements, and with faster patient enrollment compared to traditional study methodology. In partnership with Gore and Medtronic, the SVS PSO and M2S completed enrollment of the five-year cohort with annual follow ups continuing for five years, and the one-year cohort has enrolled 176 of the 200 required patients.

TRANSCAROTID REVASCULARIZATION SURVEILLANCE PROJECT. This project will enroll >5,000 subjects with one-year follow up to obtain more data about real-world outcomes of trans-carotid artery revascularization (TCAR) in comparison with CEA as performed by VQI centers. In September, 2016, CMS approved reimbursement for physicians and centers that perform TCAR procedures on both symptomatic and asymptomatic medical high-risk patients, provided that those procedures and follow-up are entered into the VQI CAS Registry. The SVS PSO Steering Committee will complete periodic data analyses. Publication of data collected in this project will help inform future CMS CAS coverage decisions.

**CREST-2 REGISTRY.** This randomized controlled clinical trial compares CEA and CAS to the best medical therapy. Investigators must report their carotid artery stent procedures to be qualified for this trial and then report non-randomized procedures during the trial. This year, more than 90 interventionists used VQI to report more than 800 CAS procedures for the CREST-2 Registry project.

#### **QUALITY CHAMPIONS**









#### **QUALITY PARTNERS**



Medtronic

### FDA—MEDICAL DEVICE EPIDEMIOLOGY NETWORK (MDEPINET) PROJECTS

#### REGISTRY ASSESSMENT OF PERIPHERAL INTERVENTIONAL DEVICES (RAPID).

VQI is an active participant in RAPID, which has developed a minimum core dataset for total product life cycle device evaluation across multiple data sources. In Phase 2, VQI will contribute prospective data about SFA-popliteal artery treatment to create objective performance criteria, allow for potential indication expansion, and evaluation of specific devices.

INTERNATIONAL CONSORTIUM OF VASCULAR REGISTRIES (ICVR). VQI and 11 other national vascular registries from Europe and Australasia combined data to analyze variation in treatment of carotid and aortic aneurysm disease across countries, with an emphasis on open vs. endovascular treatment. Variations in patient selection and treatment were reported across countries and across centers within countries in two publications from ICVR this year. Future projects will analyze PVI outcomes, and prospectively evaluate EVAR treatment and devices used for elective and ruptured AAA.

# MACRA and MIPS for VQI Providers

The MIPS program under MACRA can be used by VQI physicians to enhance reimbursement and improve vascular patient care with robust measures based on quality performance. Although reimbursement will not be affected until 2019, it will be based on 2017 activities. It will be important for affected physicians to select and submit data in 2017 for up to six out of 300 quality measures to qualify for payments in 2019.

MIPS is designed to support a combination of quality improvement Activities and Advancing Care elements available to any vascular care provider. Incentives are available for submission of specific information, and the impact will be up to 4% of member's applicable Medicare billing in 2019, based on 2017 submissions, with increasing impact going forward. An increasing rate of negative reimbursements will be imposed beginning in 2019 for non-submission of required data.

MACRA replaced three Medicare reporting programs (Medicare Meaningful Use, the Physician Quality Reporting System, and the Value-Based Payment Modifier) with MIPS. MACRA defined four performance categories for MIPS—all relating to quality and value of patient care.

### MAXIMIZE MIPS COMPOSITE SCORE USING THE VOI

Many data and quality improvement activities that are the foundation of the SVS PSO and VQI will fulfill several elements of MIPS. Participation in the VQI can help individual providers to improve scoring under MIPS through:

- Utilization of VQI data to understand provider and practice variation for quality improvement
- Evaluation of performance against regional and national benchmarks
- Identification of quality improvement projects for VQI centers
- Access to national blinded datasets to investigate specific questions

Please note that the SVS PSO cannot publicly report data; however, M2S can submit data as a QCDR on the behalf of VQI physicians on request.

### 415+ PARTICIPATING VOI CENTERS AND HEALTH SYSTEMS BY STATE

Providence Alaska Medical Center (AK) University of Alabama (AL) Carondelet Specialists Group (AZ) Mayo Clinic Arizona (AZ)
University of Arizona Medical Center— University Campus (AZ) Tucson Medical Center (AZ) Western Vascular Institute (AZ) Cedars-Sinai Medical Center (CA) Dignity Health (Sequoia Hospital) (CA) El Camino Hospital (CA) Hoag Memorial Hospital Presbyterian (CA) Loma Linda University Medical Center (CA) Marin General Hospital (CA) Palo Alto Medical Foundation (CA) Providence Holy Cross Medical Center (CA) Providence Little Company of Mary, Torrance (CA)

Providence Saint Joseph Medical Center (CA) Providence Tarzana Medical Center (CA) San Fernando Valley Vascular Group (CA) Scripps Green Hospital (Scripps Health) (CA) Sharp Grossmont Hospital (CA) Sharp Memorial Hospital (CA) St. John's Health Center (Providence) (CA)

Stanford Hospital & Clinics (CA) IIC Davis Health System (CA) UCLA-Harbor Medical Center, Los Angeles County (CA) UCLA-Ronald Reagan Medical Center (CA)
UCSD Medical Center (CA)

UCSF Medical Center (CA) USC University Hospital-Keck Hospital (CA) Washington Hospital Health System (CA) CISSSO (Canada)

Covenant Health-Grey Nuns Hospital (Canada) St. Michael's Hospital(Canada)

Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre (Canada) Toronto General Hospital (Canada) Centura-Penrose St. Francis Health

Services (CO) Centura-Porter Adventist Hospital (CO) Centura-St. Mary Corwin Medical Center (CO) Exempla-Saint Joseph Medical Center (CO)
Presbyterian St. Luke's Medical Center (CO)

Rose Medical Center (CO) UCHA-Memorial Hospital Central (CO)
University of Colorado, Denver (CO) Danbury Hospital (CT) Hartford Hospital (CT)
Saint Francis Hospital and Medical Center (CT)

Yale-New Haven Hospital (CT)
MedStar-Washington Hospital Center (DC) MFA-Medical Faculty Associates

Physician Group (DC) Beebe Healthcare (DE) Christiana Care Health System (DE) Baptist Hospital of Miami (FL) BayCare-St. Anthony's Hospital (FL) Coastal Vascular & Interventional, PLLC (FL) Florida Hospital-Orlando (FL) Mayo Clinic Florida (FL) Memorial Hospital Pembroke (FL) Memorial Hospital West (FL) Memorial Regional Hospital (FL) Miami Vein Center (FL)
Orlando Health-Dr. P. Phillips Hospital (FL) Orlando Health-Orlando Regional

Medical Center (FL)
Orlando Health-South Seminole Hospital (FL) Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center (FL) Sarasota Memorial Hospital (FL) South Miami Hospital (FL) Surgical Specialists of Central Florida (FL) Tampa Cardiovascular Associates (FL) Tampa General Hospital (FL) The Vein and Vascular Institute of Tampa Bay (FL)

UF Health-Shands Hospital (FL) Vascular Surgery Associates (FL) Albany Vascular Specialist Center (GA) Athens Regional Medical Center (GA) Cobb Hospital, Inc. (WellStar Health

System, Inc.) (GA) Emory Healthcare (GA) Floyd Medical Center (GA) Grady Memorial Hospital (GA) Kennestone Hospital Inc. (WellStar Health System) (GA)

Memorial University Health Medical Center-SHVI (GA) Northside Hospital Atlanta (GA) Northside Hospital Cherokee (GA) Northside Hospital Forsyth (GA) Piedmont Hospital Atlanta (GA)

Redmond Regional Medical Center (GA) Tift Regional Medical Center (GA) Iowa Heart Center at Mercy Medical

Center (IA)
UnityPoint Health-Des Moines (IA) St. Luke's Healthcare-St. Luke's Regional Med Ctr (ID) Carle Foundation Hospital (IL)

Gilvydis Vein Clinic (IL) NorthShore Univ. Health-NorthShore

Skokie Hospital (IL) Northwestern Medicine Central DuPage Hospital (IL)

Northwestern Memorial Hospital (IL) OSF-Saint Anthony Medical Center (IL) OSF-Saint Francis Medical Center (IL)
OSF-St, Joseph Medical Center (IL) SIU School of Medicine, Memorial

Medical Center (IL) St. Mary's Hospital-Decatur (IL) University of Chicago Medical Center (IL) Weiss Memorial Hospital (IL) Beacon Health Clinic (IN) Community Hospital East (IN) Community Hospital Heart & Vascular (IN) Community Hospital South (IN) Flkhart General Hospital (IN) IU Health-Arnett Hospital (IN) IU Health-Ball Memorial Hospital (IN) IU Health-Bloomington Hospital (IN) IU Health-Goshen Hospital (IN) IU Health-Methodist Hospital (IN) IU Health-Saxony Hospital (IN) Lutheran Hospital of Indiana (IOM Health System) (IN)

Memorial Hospital of South Bend (IN) Saint Joseph Regional Medical Center (IN) St. Francis Heart Center (IN) St. Vincent Heart Center of Indiana, LLC (IN) St. Vincent Hospital & Healthcare Center (IN) University of Kansas Medical Center (KA) Flint Hills Heart, Vascular, and Vein Clinic,

LLC (KS) Baptist Health Louisville (KY) Baptist Health Madisonville-Jack L. Hamman Heart & Vascular Center (KY) KentuckyOne Health-Jewish East (KY) KentuckyOne Health-Jewish Hospital (KY) King's Daughters Medical Center (KY) University of Kentucky (KY)
Baton Rouge General Medical Center (LA) LSU Health Science Center-Shreveport (LA) Ochsner Medical Center (LA)

Our Lady of the Lake (LA) Willis-Knighton Medical Center (North) (LA) Baystate Medical Center (MA) Berkshire Medical Center (MA) Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center (MA)
Boston Medical Center (MA)

Brigham and Women's Hospital (MA) Hoenig Vascular Center (MA) K. Francis Lee, M.D., P.C. (MA) Lahey Hospital and Medical Center (MA) Massachusetts General Hospital (MA) Southcoast-Charlton Memorial Hospital (MA) Southcoast-St. Luke's Hospital (MA)

St. Elizabeth's Medical Center (MA) Tufts Medical Center (MA) University of Massachusetts

Memorial Hospital (MA) Vascular Care of Metrowest, P.C. (MA) Horizon Vascular Specialists (MD) Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center (MD) Maryland Vascular Specialist (MD)
Mercy Medical Center-Baltimore (MD) The Johns Hopkins Hospital (MD) University of Maryland Medical Center (MD) Central Maine Medical Center (ME) Eastern Maine Medical Center (ME) Maine Medical Center (ME) MaineGeneral Medical Center (ME) Mercy Hospital (ME)

Beaumont Grosse Point Hospital (MI) Beaumont Royal Oak Hospital (MI) Beaumont Troy Hospital (MI) Borgess Hospital (MI) Bronson Battle Creek Hospital (MI) Bronson Methodist Hospital (MI) DMC Harper University Hospital (MI)

Henry Ford Hospital (MI) Henry Ford Hospital West Bloomfield (MI) McLaren Regional Medical Center d/b/a Flint (MI)

Michigan Vascular Center (MI)
MidMichigian Medical Center-Midland (MI) Spectrum Health Hospital (MI) St. Joseph Mercy Health System (MI)

University of Michigan (MI) Vascular Institute of Michigan (MI) Allina-Abbott Northwestern Hospital (MN) Allina-Mercy Hospital (MN) Allina-United Hospital (MN) Allina-Unity Hospital (MN) Fairview-Southdale Hospital (MN) Fairview-University of Minnesota

Medical Center (MN)

Mayo Clinic (MN) St. Luke's Hospital (MN) Barnes Jewish Hospital (MO) Columbia Surgical Services, Inc. (M0) Mercy Hospital Springfield (M0) Mercy Hospital St. Louis (MO) Saint Luke's Hospital of Kansas City (MO) SSM DePaul Health Center (MO) SSM Health St. Louis University Hospital (MO) SSM St. Clare Health Center (MO)

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Anderson Regional Medical Center (MS Rush Foundation Hospital (MS)
The Practice of John F. Lucas III, M.D. (MS) University of Mississippi Medical Center (MS) St. Patrick Hospital (Providence) (MT) St. Vincent Healthcare (MT)

Alamance Regional Medical Center (NC) Carolinas Healthcare-Pineville (NC) Carolinas H/care Sys-Sanger Heart & Vascular Institute(NC)

Cone Health Heart & Vascular Center (NC) Duke University Medical Center (NC) Mission Hospital (NC) Novant Health Forsyth Medical Center (NC) Novant Health Matthews Medical Center (NC)

Novant Health Presbyterian Medical Rex Healthcare (UNC Health System) (NC)
University of North Carolina Hospitals (NC)

Vidant Medical Center (NC) Wake Forest Baptist Health (NC) CHI Health Nebraska Heart (NE) Nebraska Medical Center (NE) Catholic Medical Center d/b/a CTSA (NH) Concord Hospital (NH)

Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center (NH) Elliot Hospital (NH)

Lakes Region General Hospital (NH)
Cooper University Medical Center (NJ) Kennedy University Hospital (NJ) Meridian-Bayshore Community Hospital (NJ) Meridian-Jersey Shore University

Medical Center (NJ) Meridian-Ocean Medical Center (NJ)
Meridian-Riverview Medical Center (NJ) Meridian-Southern Ocean Medical

Center (NJ) Monmouth Medical Center (Barnabas Health) (NJ) Newark Beth Israel Medical Center (Barnabas Health) (NJ)

Overlook Hospital (Atlantic Health System) (NJ) Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School (NJ)

Saint Barnabas Medical Center (Barnabas Health) (NJ) Heart Hosp. of New Mexico at Lovelace

Medical Center (NM) Presbyterian Hospital (NM) Regents of the University of New Mexico (NM)

Carson Tahoe Regional Hospital (NV) Catholic Health Mercy Hospital of Buffalo (NY) Catholic Health Sister of Charity Hospital (NY) Columbia University Medical Center (NY) John T. Mather Hospital (NY) Kaleida-Buffalo General Hospital (NY) Maimonides Medical Center (NY)

Montefiore Medical Center (NY) Mouint Sinai-Beth Israel Hospital (NY) Mount Sinai Hospital (NY) Mount Sinai-St.Luke's Roosevelt

Hospital Center (NY) NSLIJ-Lenox Hill Hospital (NY) NSLIJ-Long Island Jewish Medical Center (NY)

NSLIJ-North Shore University Hospital (NY) NSLIJ-Staten Island Hospital- North Site (NY) NYP/Weill Cornell Medical College (NY) NYU Langone Medical Center (NY) St. Charles Hospital (NY) Stony Brook University Medical Center (NY)

Strong Mem. Hospital, Univerity of Rochester Medical Center (NY) SUNY Upstate-University Hospital Medical Center (NY)

Westchester Medical Center (NY) Aultman Hospital (OH) Cleveland Clinic Heart and Vascular Insitute (OH)

Lake Health-West Medical Center (OH) Mercy Medical Center (OH) Mount Carmel St. Ann's Hosp (OH) Mount Carmel East Hospital (OH) Mount Carmel West Hospital (OH) OhioHealth Doctors Hospital (OH) OhioHealth Dublin Methodist Hospital (OH) OhioHealth Grady Memorial Hospital (OH) OhioHealth Grant Medical Center (OH) OhioHealth Mansfield Hospital (OH) OhioHealth Marion General Hospital (OH)
OhioHealth Riverside Methodist Hospital (OH) ProMedica Toledo Hospital,

Jobst Vascular (OH) Summa Health System (OH) The MetroHealth System (OH) The Ohio State University,

Wexner Medical Center (OH)
University Hospitals Health System (OH) Wright State Physician Group (OH) Inovia Vein Specialty Center (OR) Oregon Health & Sciences University (OR) Providence Medford Medical Center (OR) Providence Portland Medical Center (OR) Providence St. Vincent Medical Center (OR) Abington Memorial Hospital (PA) Allegheny Clinic Vascular Surgery (PA) **DLP Conemaugh Memorial Medical** Center (PA)

Excela Health (PA) Geisinger Community Medical Center (PA)
Geisinger Medical Center (PA) Geisinger Wyoming Valley Medical Center (PA) Guthrie Clinic (PA) Holy Spirit-Geisinger Affiliate (PA) Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical

Center (PA) St. Luke's Hosp & Health Network-Allentown (PA)

St. Luke's Hospital & Health Network– Anderson (PA) St. Luke's Hospital & Health Network–

Bethlehem (PA)

St. Mary Medical Center (PA)
The Reading Hospital and Medical Center (PA) UPENN-University of Pennsylvania (PA) UPMC/ UPP Vascular Surgery (PA) UPMC/Hamot Hospital (PA) Lifespan-Rhode Island Hospital (RI)

Lifespan-The Miriam Hospital (RI) AnMed Health (SC) Beaufort Memorial Hospital (SC) McLeod Regional Medical Center (SC) Medical University of South Carolina Hospital (SC)

Palmetto Health Richland (SC) Regional Medical Center of Orangeburg & Calhoun Co (SC)

Roper St. Francis Hospital (SC) Self Regional Healthcare (SC) Spartanburg Regional Health Services District, Inc. (SC)

Trident Medical Center (SC) Rapid City Regional Hospital (SD) Sanford Clinic Vascular Associates (SD) Baptist Memorial Hospital-Memphis (TN) Jackson Madison County General

Hospital (TN) Nashville Vascular & Vein Institute (TN) Saint Thomas Midtown Hospital (TN) Saint Thomas Rutherford Hospital (TN) Saint Thomas West Hospital (TN) University of Tennessee Medical Center (TN) University Surgical Associates (TN) Baylor All Saints Medical Center (TX) Baylor-Jack and Jane Hospital

Hamilton Heart and Vascular (TX) Baylor-The Heart Hospital Denton (TX) Baylor-The Heart Hospital Plano (TX) Baylor University Medical Center (TX) CTVS-CardioThoracic Vascular Surgeons (TX)

Houston Methodist St. John Hospital– Clear Lake (TX) John Sealy Hospital, UTMB (TX) Medical Center Hospital (TX)
Memorial Hermann Greater Heights Hospital (TX)

Memorial Hermann Heart & Vascular Institute-Texas Medical Center (TX) Memorial Hermann Katy Hospital (TX) Memorial Hermann Memorial City Med Center (TX)

Memorial Hermann Northeast Hospital (TX) Memorial Hermann Southeast Hospital (TX) Memorial Hermann Southwest Hospital (TX) Memorial Hermann The Woodlands

Hospital (TX)
Peripheral Vascular Associates (TX) Russell C. Lam MD PA (TX) Scott & White Memorial Hospital (TX) South Texas Vasular Center (TX) Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas (TX) The University of Texas South

Medical Center (TX)
University of Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio (TX)

University of Texas MD Anderson Center (TX) Vanguard Vascular & Vein (TX) University of Utah Hospital and Clinics (UT) Augusta Health (VA)

Carilion Roanoke Memorial Hospital (VA) Centra Health (Lynchburg General Hospital) (VA)

Charlotteville Radiology LTD & CRL Surgical (VA)

CJW Medical-Chippenham Hospital (VA) CJW Medical-Johnston-Willis Hospital (VA) Inova Alexandria Hospital (VA) Inova Fair Oaks Hospital (VA) Inova Fairfax Hospital (VA) Inova Gainesville Hospital (VA) Inova Loudoun Hospital (VA) Inova Mount Vernon Hospital (VA)

Mary Washington Hospital (VA) Sentara Careplex Hospital (VA) Sentara Leigh Hospital (VA) Sentara Norfolk General Hospital (VA)

Sentara Northern Virginia (VA) Sentara Obici Hospital (VA) Sentara Princess Anne Hospital (VA)

Sentara RMH Medical Center (VA) Sentara Virginia Beach General Hospital (VA) Sentara Williamsburg Regional Medical Center (VA)

UVA Medical Center (UVA Health System) (VA) Virginia Commonwealth University Hospital Authority (VA)

Winchester Medical Center (VA) University of Vermont Medical Center (VT) Confluence Health (WA) Harborview Medical Center (WA) Kadlec (Providence) (WA) Northwest Hospital & Medical Center (WA) Providence Holy Family Hospital (WA) Providence Regional Medical Center (WA)

Providence Sacred Heart Medical Center (WA) Providence St. Mary Medical Center (WA) Providence St. Peter Hospital (WA) Seattle Vascular Surgery (WA) Swedish Cherry Hill (Providence) (WA)

Swedish Edmonds (Providence) (WA) Swedish First Hill (Providence) (WA) Univeristy of Washington Medical Center (WA) Virginia Mason (WA)

Aurora Baycare Medical Center (WI) Aurora Lakeland Medical Center (WI) Aurora Medical Center in Kenosha (WI) Aurora Medical Center in Manitowoo

County (WI) Aurora Medical Center in Oshkosh (WI) Aurora Medical Center in Summit (WI) Aurora Medical Center in Washington

County (WI) Aurora Medical Center of Grafton (WI)

Aurora Memorial Hospital of Burlington (WI) Aurora Sheboygan Memorial Medical Center (WI)
Aurora Sinai Medical Center (WI)

Aurora St. Luke's Medical Center (WI) Aurora St. Luke's South Shore (WI) Aurora West Allis Medical Center (WI) Columbia St. Mary-Milwaukee (WI) Columbia St. Mary-Ozaukee (WI) Froedtert Memorial Lutheran Hospital (WI)

Mayo Clinic Health System— Northwest Wisconsin Region Inc. (WI) ProHealth Care (Waukesha Memorial Hospital) (WI)

Radiology Associates-Fox Valley (WI) St. Mary's Hospital (WI) Camden Clark Medical Center (WV) Charleston Area Medical Center (WV) St. Mary's Medical Center (WV) West Virginia University Hospitals, Inc. (WV)