
MedBiquitous

COMMUNITY CONNECTION



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The *MedBiquitous® Community Connection* newsletter shares ongoing activities for community members and features updates, as well as a list of future engagements. For more information about MedBiquitous, please visit [medbiq.org/about_us](https://www.medbiq.org/about_us).

Welcome to Our Newest Member!

We extend a warm welcome to the American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN), our newest participant to the MedBiquitous Program! We will have more participants to announce next month.

We invite you to join, or rejoin, the community! For more information, please visit <https://www.medbiq.org/participation>.

MedBiquitous Program Events

"Community Action Planning for Educational Technology in Health Professions" Workshop

On October 13th, "Community Action Planning for Educational Technology in Health Professions" was held as the capstone event of our 2020 *MedBiquitous Community Connection* webinar season.

This two-hour virtual workshop, sponsored by MedBiquitous in collaboration with [WGEA CRIME](#), engaged experts from health professions education, regulatory bodies, government, and industry to explore the unique challenges represented by the intersection of conventional instructional methods, teaching in the clinic setting, and accreditation requirements.

Workshop updates and deliverables will be posted on <https://www.medbiq.org/capetihp>.

MedBiquitous Community Connection Webinar Recordings

The catalog of recorded presentations from the entire 2020 season is available [here](#). Viewing the *MedBiquitous Community Connection* webinar recordings is free, but registration is required. Please use your primary AAMC account login and password to access the content.

In December, our 2021 webinar season will be announced. Details related to speakers and topics will be updated at <https://www.medbiq.org/mediapublications>.

Interested in presenting a webinar topic for *MedBiquitous Community Connection*? Proposals may be sent to medbiq@aamc.org with the following details:

- Title of presentation
 - Speaker(s) name, title, and institution
 - 2-3 learning objectives and/or goals for webinar attendees
 - Short description of presentation (200 words or less)
 - Short description of speaker(s) background (200 words or less)
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ANSI Accreditation Update

We are excited to update the community on our progress towards ANSI accreditation.

Earlier this month, additional information was submitted to ANSI to support our application for membership and accreditation. MedBiquitous' application now enters a three-week review by a sub-committee of the ANSI Executive Standards Council, and then a 30-day voting period by the ANSI Executive Standards Council.

We will continue to update you all as this process continues.

Community Crowdsourcing

The strength of community can be found in pooling our expertise to problem-solve challenges. Over the course of 2020, as your educational institution has become more involved in remote learning and simulation activities, what has surfaced?

- Identified gaps
- New resources
- Unexpected successes
- Lessons learned

Join our virtual community, *MedBiquitous ThinkTank*, to crowdsourcing solutions and share resources. Directions on how to join are in the next section, Participate in the *MedBiquitous ThinkTank*.

Participate in the *MedBiquitous ThinkTank*

The *MedBiquitous ThinkTank* is our forum on the AAMC virtual community platform. We will use this space for discussions related to our community activities, like webinars, and our standards development efforts.

Your voice is vital in the data standards community and needs to be heard. What are some education technology challenges you are trying to solve, and how can MedBiquitous

help? Your ideas might spark a new project!

If you would like to join the *MedBiquitous ThinkTank*, email medbiq@aamc.org with the below information:

- First name
 - Last name
 - Email address
 - Professional title
 - Institution name
 - Institution address
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Please be safe and healthy.

Best regards,
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