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*The Severe Sepsis and Septic Shock: Management Bundle (Composite Measure) Version 5.17a Review and Updates* webinar is for participants in the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) Hospital Inpatient Quality Reporting and Value-Based Purchasing Programs. This educational event is scheduled for Tuesday, April 1, 2025 from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Eastern Time ET).

This webinar clarifies the changes and outlines the rationale behind the updates to the Sepsis (SEP)-1 measure and guidance in Version 5.17a of the specification manual and responds to frequently asked questions.

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