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FAH Applauds Missouri Hospital Association's Innovative Research and Modeling on Readmission

The Federation of American Hospitals commends the Missouri Hospital Association on the release of its innovative research and modeling of the effect of socio-demographic status (SDS) adjustment on readmission outcome measures.

The FAH long has called for additional research and appropriate risk adjustment of critical quality outcome measures such as readmission measures.

The work the MHA has undertaken is a big step forward in advancing the understanding of the effects of SDS on readmission measurement and why we need to adjust quality measures accordingly" said FAH President and CEO Chip Kahn. "I look forward to following the continued implementation of MHA's work in this area and encourage federal policy makers to carefully review this study."