California law prohibits hospitals from using epidural, intravenous or enteral feeding connectors that can fit into connection ports other than the type for which it was intended. Hospitals must transition to the reengineered tubing connectors, which prevent misconnections and facilitate patient safety. Conversion to the new connectors has been met with challenges, making the transition process more difficult. This webinar will discuss some of the issues hospitals have overcome on the journey to transitioning to the reengineered tubing connectors.

Learn what the law requires of California hospitals and what the changes mean for patient safety. A panel of hospital representatives will share their successes, challenges and lessons learned when transitioning to the new connectors.

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**Agenda**

**Overview**
- State requirements
- ISO connector standards and the link to patient safety
- Problems stemming from proprietary equipment

**Path to Compliance — Enteral Panel**
- Transition successes and challenges
- What we learned along the way
- Engaging external stakeholders — SNF and home health partners

**Epidural Conversion**
- What hospitals should consider before and during their transition

**Faculty**

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