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Thursday, May 15, 2025

HealthPartners Swing Bed Optimization Webinar

Thursday, May 29, 12-1 p.m.

Join us for a one-hour webinar featuring three Wisconsin HealthPartners critical access hospitals—Westfields, Amery and Hudson—as they share their 2025 WHA Quality Award-winning strategies for optimizing swing bed utilization. Swing beds allow patients to receive post-acute care in their local hospital, avoiding unnecessary transfers to urban centers.

Topics include:

- Enhancing bed availability in critical access hospitals
- Reducing avoidable days at tertiary care facilities
- Shortening patient wait times for admission
- Gaining a positive operating margin for critical access hospitals to better serve their communities
- And more!

Register here.

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