



Wanted! Consumer representatives to our Steering Committee

The Washington Patient Safety Coalition is a statewide organization dedicated to improving safety and decreasing errors for everyone receiving health care in Washington, regardless of care setting.

The Coalition offers to the community a variety of activities, including monthly teleconferences; networking groups on both patient safety and medication safety topics; annual regional conferences; Heart Failure Forum; and more.

The Coalition's Steering Committee is seeking two individuals to serve as members of this group and represent the interests of consumers. The Steering Committee sets overall priorities and strategies for the Coalition.

We are looking for people who are...



- Interested in serving as voting members.
- Comfortable in speaking in a group with candor.
- Able to use their personal experiences constructively, while able to see beyond their own experiences.
- Concerned about more than one issue or agenda.
- Able to listen, and hear different opinions.
- Able to commit to attend six two-hour meetings each year and to participate on one of the Coalition's subcommittees.
- Not health care providers.

Are you interested, or do you know someone who is?

- Visit the Coalition's web site for more information about our work, and for the roster of the Steering Committee's current membership:

www.wapatientssafety.org

- Contact the Program Director, Miriam Marcus-Smith, at (206) 682-2811 ext. 11 or msmith@qualityhealth.org to discuss this opportunity.