

<b>Date Position Begins:</b>	May 1, 2025
<b>Appointment Term:</b>	3-year term (2 Guideline cycles)
<b>Membership Requirement:</b>	n/a
<b>Participation Structure:</b>	The work group sits within the COT Quality Pillar, under the Performance Improvement Patient Safety (PIPS) program area.
<b>Reporting Structure:</b>	This role will work on a team of four nurse consultants as a member of the expert panel, led by the BPG lead nurse consultant and the BPG surgeon leads.
<b>Effort Requirement:</b>	Attend bimonthly conference calls (1 – 1 ½ hours) via Zoom until content is completed. Dedicate individual and group time to write content for the PI sections. Meet as nurse consultant team to finalize sections as needed.
<b>Experience/Skills Desired:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum of 5+ years of experience as a trauma program manager/director</li> <li>• Currently working as a trauma program manager/director at an ACS verified Trauma Center. Representation from all trauma center levels is important, therefore we will select our applicants from (both adult and pediatric) level I, level II and level III trauma centers. Caring for geriatric populations is a plus.</li> <li>• Ability to plan and prioritize workload and meet deadlines</li> <li>• Excellent communication skills (verbal and written) necessary to effectively interact with all expert panel members</li> <li>• Ability to establish strong working relationships with other nurse consultants, BPG lead nurse consultant, and BPG surgeon leads</li> </ul>

**Overview**

The ACS TQP Best Practices Guidelines (BPG) aim to provide recommendations for managing given patient populations or injury types with special attention to trauma care providers. Over the course of a year and a half, a panel of guest experts from various specialties and nurse consultants work together to create a BPG based on evidence-based literature and consensus of the group where substantial evidence is lacking. The ACS TQP Best Practices Guidelines are a valuable resource for trauma centers everywhere and provide health care professionals with recommendations regarding care of the trauma patient. Please visit the [ACS PIPS webpage](#) for more information on all of the ACS TQP Best Practices Guidelines.

The nurse consultant will provide a trauma program manager’s perspective including implementation, performance improvement, and clinical practice at the trauma center based on the BPG topic. The nurse consultant will also serve as a two-way conduit of information and questions/answers between the BPG expert panel leads and the expert panel. The nurse consultant will contribute to writing content for the BPG and present the PI sections to the entire expert panel on a bimonthly call.

**Primary Responsibilities**

- Develop the PI sections (Education, Implementation, and Integration) of the Guidelines under the leadership of the BPG lead nurse consultant



- Attend bimonthly conference calls via Zoom to review and discuss draft submissions with the expert panel
- Commit to the entire 3-year term. A 3-year term is typically 2 Guideline cycles. (1 Guideline is approx. 1 ½ years long)
- Adhere to additional responsibilities at the discretion of the ACS COT staff, BPG lead nurse consultant, and BPG expert panel leads

**How to apply:**

1. Fill out this [Microsoft Form](#)
2. Send your current CV to [PIPS@facs.org](mailto:PIPS@facs.org)

