

### **2018-2019 Audiology Quality Consortium Update**

The AQC group reconvened in January after an extended break. The group is in the process of revising the current operating agreement and finding a way to house meeting minutes on the AQC website. The AQC website is also being revised to include Medicare's Merit-Based Incentive Payment System (MIPS) information. There was discussion on how to "piggyback" on existing quality measures instead of undergoing the resource intensive and lengthy process to develop new measures. Members are reviewing the measures and these will be discussed at the next meeting on March 11, 2019. If DSHPSHWA has a comment letter to share with AQC, it is welcomed.