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6th Annual Health Information Technology Special Issue

Healthcare reform is upon us. But for reform to be comprehensive, it must fully incorporate and implement of health information technology (health IT). With the emergence of accountable care, health IT has become an essential element for bringing patients and providers together and bridging the information gap in order to streamline and improve healthcare delivery and outcomes.

We are issuing a call for papers for the 6th Annual Health IT–focused issue, which will feature scholarly articles and perspectives from policy makers, payers, providers, pharmaceutical companies, health IT vendors, and health services researchers, with the goal of improving efficiency and outcomes in implementing health IT. We are seeking original research papers and informed commentary on health IT and its impact in the following areas:

- Meaningful use
- Medical care (general and special populations)
- Healthcare costs
- Comparative effectiveness research
- Reimbursement

- Health-system strategy
- Healthcare delivery
- Electronic health record
- Telemedicine
- Open data and open access

All papers will undergo the *AJMC's* rigorous peer-review process. Due to space constraints, we request that you limit your manuscript's text to 2500 words (excluding references) and its graphic elements to a total of 3 figures and/or tables. The final decision regarding a paper's acceptance will be made by the editors. Your paper will have its best chance for inclusion if you submit it before **August 1, 2016**. High-quality papers not selected will be considered for one of the regular monthly issues of the *AJMC*.

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