

# NJ Stroke Coordinator Consortium (NJSCC)



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# Today's Objectives



**Developing the idea**  
**Obtaining financial support**  
**Organizing the group**  
**Vision and Mission**  
**Meetings**

- When, Where, How

**Membership**  
**Executive Board**  
**Accomplishments**  
**Future Goals...**

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# Developing the idea....



- ▶ **Drawing from my own experiences**
  - ▶ **Struggles as a new stroke coordinator**
  - ▶ **Looking for collegial support for people who “walk in my shoes”**
- ▶ **Assisting others**
  - ▶ **As our program progressed others reached out for guidance**
- ▶ **Why reinvent the wheel?**
  - ▶ **Time limitations/ too much to do....**
  - ▶ **Sharing resources**

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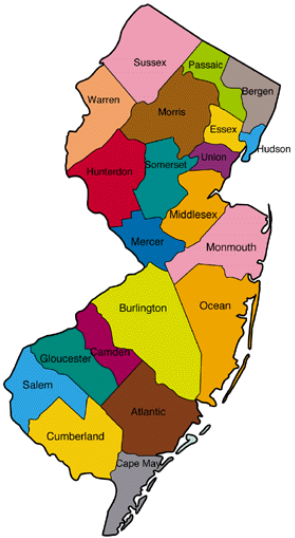
# Obtaining Financial Support



- ▶ **The North Eastern Cerebrovascular Consortium “The NECC”**
- ▶ **American Heart/American Stroke Association**
- ▶ **Genentech (Independent Medical Education Department) IMED Grant**
- ▶ **Donations through display table fees**

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# Spreading the Word



- ▶ **Compiling the list of coordinators**
  - ▶ **ASA/AHA Representatives**
  - ▶ **Manufacturing and pharmaceutical representatives**
  - ▶ **NJ Coordinators**
- ▶ **Email**
- ▶ **Open enrollment**

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# Vision



All community members in the state of NJ will be offered stroke risk and prevention education and every stroke patient in New Jersey will have access to evidenced-based quality patient care.

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# Mission



Develop an organized network of New Jersey stroke program coordinators to identify gaps in stroke education in the community and barriers to meeting stroke patient care goals and share strategies to overcome them.

Collaborate to address the challenges in implementing best practices among New Jersey stroke centers with a focus on translating knowledge into practice through information exchange and empowered action.

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# Meetings



## Location/Date/Time

### Quarterly meetings

New Jersey Hospital Association; 8:30am – 2:30pm

## Agendas

### Data Management Session

### Journal Club

### Work Shops

#### Quality Indicators

#### Community Outreach

#### Staff Education

## Membership

### Approximately 50 participating hospitals

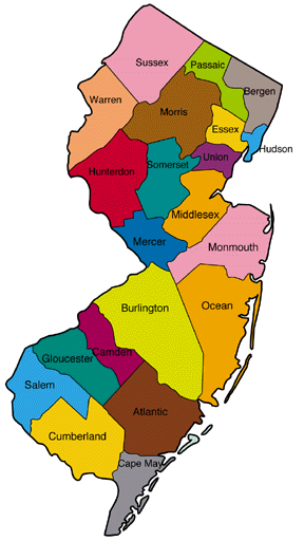
Stroke Coordinators, Critical Care Nurses, Neuro Nurses, ED Nurses, Nurse Managers, Quality Personnel, Data Coordinators, ASA/AHA representatives, DOHSS representatives

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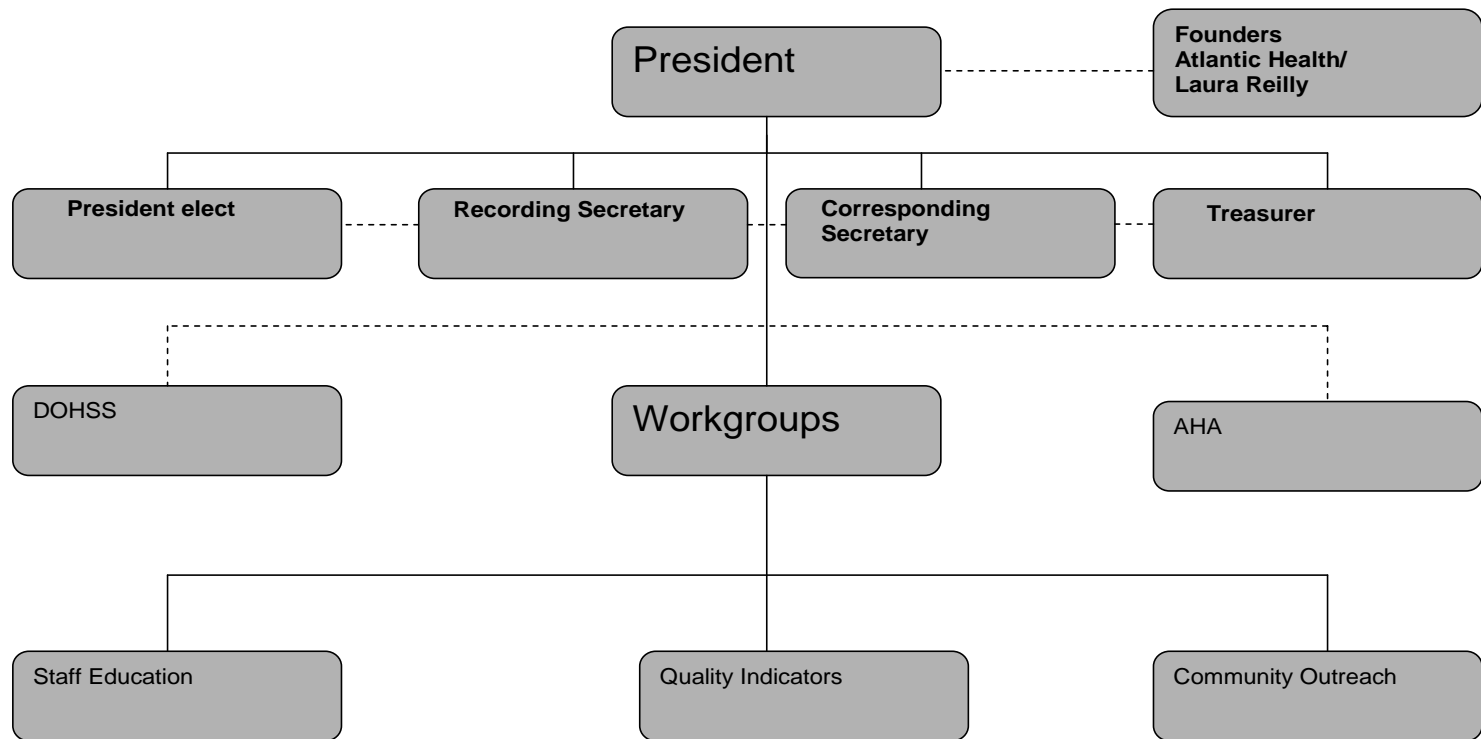
# Participating Hospitals/Centers

<b>AtlantiCare Regional M.C. City Division</b>	<b><i>R.W.J. University Hospital</i></b>
<b>AtlantiCare Regional M.C. Mainland Division</b>	<b><i>R.W.J. University Hospital at Hamilton</i></b>
<b>Bayshore Community Hospital</b>	<b><i>R.W.J. University Hospital at Rahway</i></b>
<b>CentraState Medical Center</b>	<b><i>Raritan Bay Medical Center - Perth Amboy</i></b>
<b>Chilton Memorial Hospital</b>	<b><i>Riverview Medical Center</i></b>
<b>Clara Maass Medical Center</b>	<b><i>Saint Barnabas Medical Center</i></b>
<b>Cooper Hospital/University Medical Center</b>	<b><i>Saint Clare's Hospital - Boonton/Denville</i></b>
<b>East Orange General Hospital</b>	<b><i>Saint Clare's Hospital - Dover</i></b>
<b>Hackensack University Medical Center</b>	<b><i>Saint Peter's University Hospital</i></b>
<b>Hackettstown Regional Medical Center</b>	<b><i>Somerset Medical Center</i></b>
<b>Holy Name Hospital</b>	<b><i>South Jersey Healthcare - Elmer Hospital</i></b>
<b>J.F.K. Medical Center</b>	<b><i>South Jersey Regional Medical Center</i></b>
<b>Kennedy Memorial Hospital (Cherry Hill)</b>	<b><i>Southern Ocean County Hospital</i></b>
<b>Jersey Shore University Medical Center</b>	<b><i>St. Francis Medical Center (Trenton)</i></b>
<b>Kimball Medical Center</b>	<b><i>St. Joseph's Regional Medical Center</i></b>
<b>Monmouth Medical Center</b>	<b><i>Trinitas Hospital</i></b>
<b>Morristown Memorial Hospital</b>	<b><i>Valley Hospital</i></b>
<b>Mountainside Hospital</b>	<b><i>Virtua Health - Memorial Hospital of Burlington County</i></b>
<b>Newark Beth Israel Medical Center</b>	<b><i>Virtua Health - West Jersey Hospital (Berlin)</i></b>
<b>Newton Memorial Hospital</b>	<b><i>Virtua Health - West Jersey Hospital (Marlton)</i></b>
<b>Ocean Medical Center</b>	<b><i>Virtua Health - West Jersey Hospital (Voorhees)</i></b>
<b>Our Lady of Lourdes Medical Center</b>	<b><i>Atlantic Rehabilitation Institute</i></b>
<b>Overlook Hospital</b>	<b><i>Kessler Rehabilitation Institute</i></b>

# NJSCC Executive Board 2010-2011

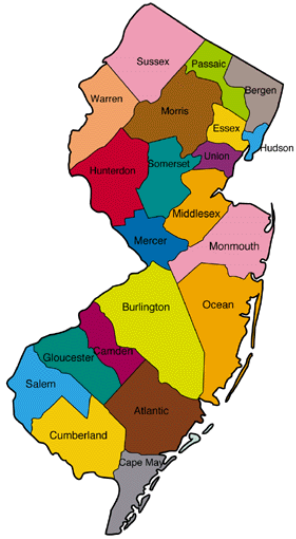


## NJ Stroke Coordinator Consortium Organizational Chart



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# Bylaws



Executive Board Nomination every 2 years  
(annually for President-elect)

Nominations in June

Vote in September

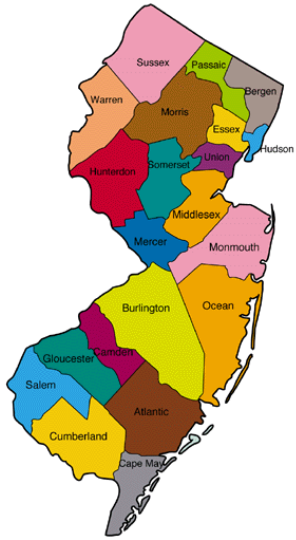
Start term in January

**Meetings** – Jan/March/June/September/  
October at NECC

Set annual goals at January meeting/evaluate  
at September meeting

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# Accomplishments

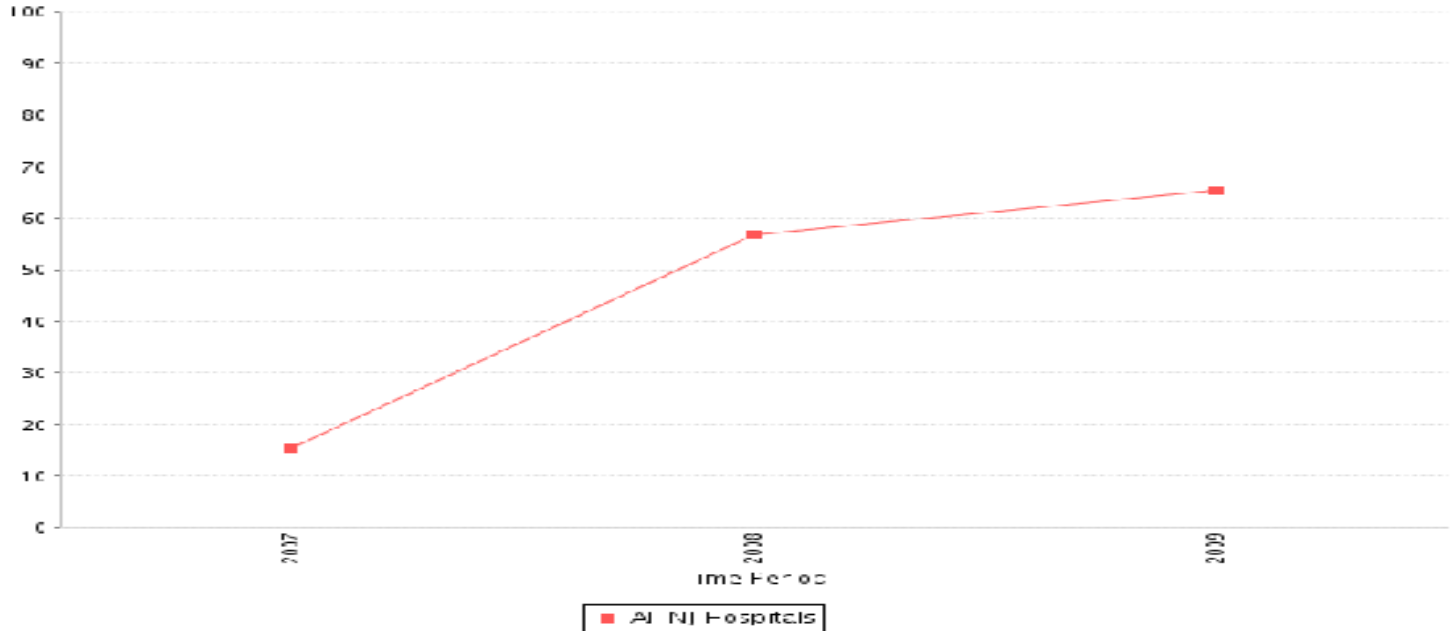


- 8 meetings with an average of 46 participants at each (41-51)
- JENY Website
- 4 Posters at last years NECC Conference
- Community Outreach
  - Stroke starts at home
  - Stroke Video
- Staff Education
  - 8 education modules
  - 4 hour module for nursing assistants
- Quality Indicator
  - NPO until Dysphagia screen
  - Door to drug times
  - DVT prophylaxis

# NJ GWTG Stroke



**CDC/COV Defect-Free**  
 Defect-Free Measure of the 10 Consensus CDC/COV measures  
 Time Period: 01/2007 - 12/2009; Site: Morristown Memorial Hospital (31648)



Data For: CDC/COV Defect-Free				
Benchmark Group	Time Period	Defect-Free Patients	Total Patients	% Defect-Free Patients
All NJ Hospitals	2007	932	6119	15.2%
All NJ Hospitals	2008	4800	8458	56.8%
All NJ Hospitals	2009	4169	6380	65.3%

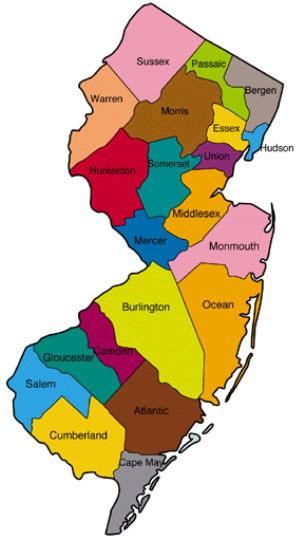
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# Healthgrades – Report for 2008

**“New Jersey is one of the top five states nationally showing the most improvement in coronary interventional procedures, heart failure and **stroke care.**”**

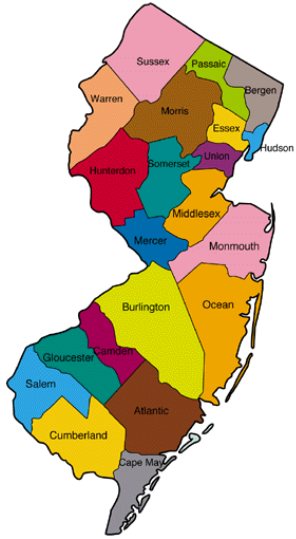
**Stroke mortality improved by 17.8 percent.**



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# Looking to the future....



- **Continue quarterly meetings.**
- **Seek grant funding to support the upcoming year.**
- **Continue collaborative efforts with AHA/ASA and NJ DOHSS.**
- **Continue measuring effects through established goals and measurable outcomes.**
- **Establish “not-for profit” status.**

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# Thank You

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