### AHRQ Quality Indicators Prioritization Matrix

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- **Volume of Cases at Risk**
- **Cost of Single Event**
- **Total Cost**
- **Cost to Implement**
- **Penalties and Incentives**
- **Proxies for Cost**
- **Strategic Alignment**
- **Extrinsic Motivators**
- **Public Perceptions**
- **Executive Support**
- **Staff Capability**
- **Staff Willingness**
- **Time and Effort**
- **Ability to Monitor Progress**
- **External Mandates**
- **Public Perception**

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- **Sentinel Event**
- **Executive Level Support**
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- **Staff Willingness**
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#### Barrier Assessment (Indicate Yes or No)

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#### Pediatric Safety Composite Indicator

- **Section 1-Blue**
- **Section 2-Green**
- **Section 3-Purple**
- **Section 4-Orange**

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