



National Initiative for Children's Healthcare Quality

### *Biographical Data Form*

*Please complete and return the following  
Ross Owens*

<b>Education (include basic preparation through highest degree held)</b>			
<b>Degree</b>	<b>Institution (Name, City, State)</b>	<b>Major Area of Study</b>	<b>Year</b>
Master of Public Administration	University of Oregon; Eugene, OR	Health Policy	2004
Bachelor of Arts (Magna cum Laude)	University of Minnesota; Minneapolis/St. Paul, MN	Political Science	2002

**Use the space below to provide a brief bio describing professional experience or areas of expertise related to involvement in continuing education and particular role, e.g., planner, presenter, administrator, etc.**

Ross Owen leads the care coordination efforts of the Minnesota Department of Human Services, including the development of reimbursement strategies to support care coordination in medical homes. In this role he works to align the care coordination and payment reform efforts of the state's public health care programs with the broader health care marketplace, primarily via the implementation of Minnesota's 2008 Health Reform legislation. He has also coordinated the agency's development of evidence-based coverage policy and worked as a health services researcher. Mr. Owen received a Master of Public Administration degree from the University of Oregon, and Bachelor of Arts in Political Science at the University of Minnesota.