Program Abstract

This program is for all clinicians and managers who perform, audit and/or are responsible for integrity of OASIS in a HHA. Beginners to OASIS, those who are struggling with OASIS, or those who need a refresher will all benefit from this seminar!

The intent that CMS has behind every M item is very important to understand in order to assign the correct scores for your patients. Many clinicians do not know the intent or how to apply it to their patients. We will go over the intent of each M item so that you are able to accurately assess each of your patients. We will also review in detail all of the challenging areas including wounds – the most complex area, heart failure, pain, medications, etc. And we will review the importance of accurate OASIS in conjunction with ICD-10 coding.

Next, I will introduce you to the OBQI reports and show you how to analyze them so that you can use them to improve patient outcomes. OASIS scores are SO important as they affect the reimbursement and your patient outcomes.

Finally, on Day 2 we will have FUN going through multiple scenarios and see as a group what are the best ways to assess the patient and what scores we should use for OASIS.

Target Audience

Field Clinicians – RNs, PTs and STs who do OASIS and/or Clinical Managers who want a refresher. Good for “New to OASIS” and as a “Refresher for Old Timers.”
CNE Credit

Kansas Home Care Association is approved as a provider of CNE by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. This course offering is approved for 11 contact hours applicable for APRN, RN, or LPN relicensure. Kansas State Board of Nursing provider number: LT0287-314.

Speaker

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Registration Information

Registrations should be made on-line... click here to register.

Fees:  
- KHCA Members – $160/person
- Non-Members – $320/person

The registration fee includes 1½ days of training and breaks. Attendees are responsible for bringing their own handouts. Lunch will not be served. Attendees may go off-site to one of the many nearby restaurants.

Registration Deadline:  Friday, July 8, 2016.  A confirmation e-mail will be sent upon receipt of registration.

Cancellations:  Written requests for refunds received on or before July 12, will receive a refund less a $25 processing fee. Fees are non-refundable after this date; there are no refunds for no-shows.

Lodging

The Hampton Inn Junction City has reserved a block of rooms at the special KHCA rate of $89 per night (single and double, tax not included). The room block will be held until July 1, 2016. Reservations may be made by calling the hotel directly at 785-579-6950 and requesting the group rate for the Kansas Home Care Association. Reservations made after the cut-off date will be accepted on a space or rate available basis.

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