Medicare Extravaganza

Program Abstract

All things you wanted to know about Medicare in Home Health! We will cover everything from the recent resurgence of Targeted Probe and Educate audits, to hot survey topics, HHVBP, a new way to measure hospitalizations, the CMS notification forms, five star, the coming of OASIS-E... to TAKE A BREATH! Yes, there is a lot going on, but we are going to break these all down to simplify what’s coming by ensuring you and your agency know exactly how these things impact you and what you need to do in order to be successful!

Program Outline

► Updates and changes through the PHE for Medicare.
► Different “roles” of Medicare.
► Targeted review audits currently being completed by CGS.
► The Medical Review Hierarchy for CGS and other Payment Contractors.
► Components of the coverage guidelines that must be demonstrated to pass the medical review.
► Strategies linked directly to operations that support coverage.
► Mechanics of each of the quality measures that are part of the home health quality reporting under CMS.
► Tools and strategies to ensure the best outcomes are captured.
► The “top 10” survey issues in KS and how to avoid them.
► Streamlining the practice of providing the correct CMS notification form – ABN, HHCCN and NOMNC.

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All things you wanted to know about Medicare in Hospice! We will cover everything from the recent resurgence of Targeted Probe and Educate audits, to hot survey topics, the new claims based quality measures—and the OIG workplan for a national review of all things hospice! The microscope is on hospice again—learn what agencies should be doing to best be prepared and how to support that you have the right patient, for the right care—at the right time—every time!

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⇒ Updates and changes through the PHE for Medicare and Hospice.
⇒ The OIG workplan regarding Hospice reviews nationwide.
⇒ The different "roles" of Medicare.
⇒ What targeted review audits are currently being completed by CGS.
⇒ The Medical Review Hierarchy for CGS and other Payment Contractors.
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Annette is a registered nurse, with a Master’s in Health Care Administration, practicing since 1990, with the majority of her nursing experience in home health and hospice. For over a decade she worked with the CMS intermediary (now called MACs) where she provided review of, and education on home health and hospice documentation. Annette then began providing outreach and provider education regarding Medicare reimbursement issues and effective documentation strategies, assisting providers with ADRs and appeals. Today she marries together her experience in the “real world” and the inside knowledge of Medicare to ensure providers can meet the requirements of CMS, and ensure compliant, efficient operations.

Registration Information

Registrations should be made online... click here to register.

Fees:

- KHCHA Members – $120 / person / day *
- Non-Members – $240 / person / day *

* If the same individual registers for both days, they will receive a $20 discount.

The registration fee includes breaks and online access to handouts. Lunch will not be served. Attendees may go off-site to one of the many nearby restaurants.

Registration Deadline: Tuesday, March 29, 2022. A confirmation e-mail will be sent upon receipt of registration.

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