



Notice of Meeting

Date: Thursday, March 15 ,2018

Place: Courtyard Marriott
342 Speen Street
Natick, MA 01760
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Coordinators: Becky Hilbig, Director of PBS, Harrington Hospital
Sandi Magaw, Director of Business Development, ROI/Bolder

Topic: March Medicare Madness!

Meeting Agenda

8:30 – 9:00 am **Registration and Coffee & Continental Breakfast**

9:00 – 9:15 am **Updates and Announcements**
Patrick McDonough, MAPAM President
9:15 – 9:30 am **Education Committee**
Will Coz and Caitlyn Garvan

9:30 – 10:15 am **Medicare 340B Drug Changes effective January 1, 2018**
Paul Hernandez, Senior Manager of Business Health in Advisory Solutions, nThrive
CMS will apply a 22.5% reduction to drugs purchased through the 340B program. This could have a significant impact on your revenue if you are a 340B participant.
Objective:

- Explain which drugs are impacted by the price reduction
- Provide new modifier that identify claims eligible for the price reduction
- Identify which facilities are exempt from the reduction

10:15 – 11:00 am **New Medicare Card, Medicare Diabetes Prevention Program (MDPP) and CMS Innovation and Health Care Delivery System Reform**
Rick Hoover, CMS
This presentation will be on the New Medicare Card as well as providing updates on the Quality Payment Program (QPP), the Medicare Diabetes Prevention Program (MDPP) and finally Patients Over Paperwork.

11:00 – 12:00 pm **NGS Topic: Updates including Top Denials and Claims processing**
James Bavoso, Provider Outreach & Education, NGS
Jeanine Gombos, Consultant, Provider Outreach & Education, NGS

Reducing Provider Burden:

- Top 5 Reasons for Claim Denial, Rejection or Return. How to fix them and how to avoid them.
- Targeted Probe and Educate Strategy and the NGS Medical Review Process: New Medical Review Audit & Education Process designed to reduce costs related to improper payments and appeals, therefore reducing provider burden.

12:00 – 12:45 pm

Lunch Discussion and Networking

Discussion Topic: “Working remotely: how is your organization addressing this issue?”

12:45 – 1:15 pm

Focus on Certification: Introduction to the CRCP Certification and Quiz

The certification program is one of the great perks of MAPAM’s affiliation with AAHAM. In this session, we will focus on the CRCP certification and what it includes. We will then take a group quiz using sample questions from CRCP study guides with a prize going to whomever answers the most questions correctly”

Patrick McDonough, MAPAM President

1:15 – 2:15 pm

Revenue Integrity Audits, Why they are so Important

This presentation will show why a complete “chart to charge to claim” review is important to protect your revenue. While a clean Chargemaster is important, there may be other issues not easily seen. We will provide examples of issues found and how you can prevent them at your facility.

Julie Hall, Director Consulting Division, and Jon Menard, Consulting Manager, Bolder Healthcare Solutions

Deadline for Submission: March 9, 2018

Member Price: \$85.00

Nonmember Price: \$125.00

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