



Medicare Billing Under PPS Reform

presenter

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Date: Wednesday, September 9, 2009

Holiday Inn Concord NH
172 N. Main Street
Concord, NH

Registration: 8:00 a.m.
Program: 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Registration deadline: August 26, 2009



In the ever-changing world of Home Health PPS, the billing process is not immune to revision.

Some home health agencies mistakenly invest all of their educational resources in their field staff. Without an adequately educated billing staff, who understand all of the in and outs of billing and claims requirements, significant reimbursement losses can still occur despite a field staff that documents correctly. Make sure your billing department has all the latest information on Home Health PPS billing and minimize the discrepancies that can affect your bottom line. Whether you've attended a billing workshop in the past or are new to the department, this is one program you shouldn't miss.

Included in this workshop:

- 1. The calculation and evaluation of the HHRG and HIPPS Code and the review of the episode exceptions – LUPA, PEP, Outlier & Therapy.*
- 2. The appropriate way to effectively verify the Medicare eligibility of patients, how to complete a RAP & Final Claim form and how to calculate adjacent episodes.*
- 3. Examining the process of auditing a pre-bill for final claim purposes of both Medicare and Non-Medicare payors and the review of Medicare Secondary Payor (MSP) Billing Requirements.*
- 4. How to identify reason codes on electronic Medicare RAs. Time will be spent on analyzing tough billing scenarios for both Medicare and Non-Medicare payors. This will be a hands-on session with claim forms, audit tools and DDE screens.*

Early Bird Discount!

SAVE \$\$\$!

Register by August 12th for discount. See back for details.



This program is essential for financial managers, billing staff and clinical managers.

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for discounted rates.
See the program fees box.

About Melinda

Melinda Gaboury, CEO and co-founder of Healthcare Provider Solutions, Inc., returns to New England as a follow-up to her well received PPS Reform workshop last Fall. With over 16 years of experience in Medicare home health reimbursement, she has emerged as a renowned speaker & trainer on Medicare PPS regulations and billing practices.

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Please Note:

Concord, NH, Room Block: A block of overnight rooms for Sept. 8 has been set aside until Aug. 19 at the Holiday Inn for \$95 plus tax per night. Please call the hotel directly at (603) 224-9534 and identify that you are with the Home Care Assn. of NH Billing program.

Space is limited so early registration is strongly encouraged.

Questions?

Call the Home Care Association of NH
(603) 225-5597

Or

Visit www.homecarenh.org/events/workshops.php

Contact Hours

The Home Care Association of NH is awarding 6.0 contact hours for this workshop. No partial credit will be given.

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Please fax or mail your registrations to:
Home Care Association of NH
8 Green Street, Concord, NH 03301
Tel: 603-225-5597
Fax: 603-225-5817

Registration - Medicare Billing Under PPS Reform

(Copy as needed)

Registration Deadline: Wed., August 26th
Early Bird Deadline: Wed., August 12th

Registrant

Email

Agency

Agency Address

Agency City, State, Zip

Agency Phone

Method of Payment: Visa MasterCard Check

Card Number

Name on Card

Billing Address for Card

Exp. Date

CVM (3 digits from back)

| Workshop Fees | | |
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| Early Bird HCANH/VAHHA Member | \$155 | |
| HCANH/VAHHA Member | \$180 | |
| Early Bird Non-member | \$260 | |
| Non-member | \$285 | |
| Late Fee (After 10/6) | \$40 | |
| Total | \$ | |

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Deadline and Cancellations:

Registrations and payment must be postmarked by Aug. 26. Cancellations received prior to Aug. 26 will be subject to a \$30 administrative fee. There will be no refunds after Aug. 26. Substitutions within the same agency are permitted by notifying HCANH in advance of the program.

Directions: Please visit www.homecarenh.org/events/workshops.php