



Medicare and Medicaid Updates

Wednesday, April 29, 2009
8:30am – 4:30pm

Southern New York Association is a **Certified Sponsor** of professional continuing education with the National Association of Boards of Examiners of Long Term Care Administrators (NAB) and certifies that this program meets NAB/NCERS guidelines and has been submitted for six (6) continuing education clock hours. State licensure boards, however, have final authority on the acceptance of individual courses." **Approval Number: Pending**

About the Program

LaGuardia Marriott Hotel
102-05 Ditmars Blvd.
East Elmhurst, New York 11369

This program includes speakers from CMS, National Government Services (NGS) the Medicare Fiscal Intermediary and Loeb & Troper, LLP. The topics for this program include a review of Medicare Advantage Plans including HMO's, PPO, PFF's, SNP's and MSA's from CMS. NGS topics will include SNF Medical Review Programs, Clinical Denials, Documentation Requirements and Medical Necessity. Presentations by Loeb & Troper will focus on reimbursement updates regarding the current methodology and new reimbursement methodology, and clinical updates will focus on the MDS as a reimbursement tool for Medicare and Medicaid, Medicare eligibility, and the using the MDS as a reimbursement tool for Medicaid.

Who Should Attend this Conference?

This seminar should be attended by LTC personnel, including Administrators, Nursing staff other interested parties.

Continuing Education Credits

Six CEU's have been requested by the **National Association Board of Examiners of LTC Administrators (NAB)**.

Presenters

Dayle Berke, J.D. Health Insurance Specialist, Customer Relations Branch
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)

Patricia Nervina, RN, MHA, CPC Consultant
Marlena Schnatz, RN Consultant Clinical Provider Outreach & Education
National Government Services (NGS)

David Adest, CPA, Manager, Loeb & Troper, LLP

Margaret Greeley, RN Clinical Director, Loeb & Troper, LLP

Agenda

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- 8:30-9:00am Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 9:00 am Welcome and Introductions
Neil Heyman, President
Southern New York Association
- 9:00-10:00am Medicare Advantage Plans.
A review of the various Medicare Advantage Plans, Enrollment Periods and Appeals.
Dayle Berke, J.D.
Health Insurance Specialist
Customer Relations Branch
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)
- 10:00-10:15am Break and Vendor Exhibits.
- 10:15-12:45pm A clinical focus for SNF's regarding the following topics:
-SNF Medical Review Programs
-Clinical Denials
-Documentation Requirements
-Medical Necessity.
Patricia Nervina, RN, MHA, CPC
Marlena Schnatz, RN
Consultants
Clinical Provider Outreach & Education
National Government Services (NGS)
- 12:45-1:45pm Lunch
- 1:45pm-4:15pm Reimbursement Updates
-Current methodology-trend factor, R&R, Part D offset
-New reimbursement methodology
Gerry Adest, CPA,
Manager, Loeb & Troper, LLP
- PPS, MDS and CMI
-MDS as a reimbursement tool for Medicare and Medicaid
-Medicare Eligibility- Technical and Clinical
-PPS-MDS
-The MDS and CMI
Margaret Greeley, RN,
Clinical Director Loeb & Troper, LLP

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Register online at: www.snya.org

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REGISTRATION FEES:

SNYA Member Facility: \$145 (\$135 for each additional registrant)
Non-Member: \$195 (\$185 for each additional registrant)

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Faxed registrations welcomed. Cancellations must be received for refund (less \$25.00, non-refundable fee), not later than 5 days before the seminar date. We request that reservations be received by Friday, April 24, 2009.