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Managing Medicare Expectations

TO REGISTER (for one or more of the sessions,) PLEASE CONTACT BEFORE **JULY 7, 2006**: Suzette Lockwood at Suzette.Lockwood@uhhs.com (440) 684-5876 or Linda Hale at Lhale@amcnoma.org (216) 520-1000.

Provide your name, address, credit card information and the last four digits of your social security number (for physicians only, for CME record-keeping; confidentiality maintained). Registration for all of the sessions is on a first-come basis.

Fees: \$20.00 (non-refundable, this fee allows attendees to attend one or all sessions)

Note: UH physicians and staff fees are paid by University Hospitals Faculty Services

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Directions/maps to the seminar will be provided upon registration.

Questions on the program content?

Contact: Julian Dakkak UFPA & UHFS Compliance Officer at Julian.Dakkak@uhhs.com or Elayne Biddlestone, AMC/NOMA Executive Vice President/CEO at ebiddlestone@amcnoma.org

MANAGING MEDICARE EXPECTATIONS

Wednesday, July 12, 2006
AND
Thursday, July 13, 2006

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LOCATION: ALL SESSIONS WILL BE HELD AT UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS OF CLEVELAND IN THE WOLSTEIN AUDITORIUM. (Note: The 7:30-9:30 a.m. session on July 12th will be held in the Ford Auditorium - Allen Memorial Library.)

PROGRAM FORMAT:

Program courses will repeat on both days at the times noted. All sessions are conducted by Palmetto GBA provider education staff. ATTENDANCE AT ALL SESSIONS IS OPEN TO EVERYONE AND NOT LIMITED TO UH SYSTEM STAFF.

Session A: E/M For Physicians and Providers

This two-hour course provides participants with an in-depth understanding of Medicare guidelines for selecting and documenting the appropriate level of E/M code (e.g. office and hospital visits.) The guidelines are industry standard and sanctioned by the AMA and CMS. Find out how your medical decision-making affects the level of service!! We will review documentation guidelines, practical examples, and utilization and error data for various specialties.

Who should attend:

Physicians, Non-Physician Practitioners, Compliance Officers, coding and billing staff.

Choose one:

Wed. July 12th – 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
Presenter: Jaime Kidd, L.P.N., M.B.A.

Thurs. July 13th – 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Presenter: Deborah Faehnle, L.P.N.

Session B: Lunch and Learn: E/M Practicum

This practical 90-minute course provides participants with documentation samples for selecting the appropriate level of E/M services. This course also presents FAQs and responses. This is a highly interactive session, and questions related to E/M services and documentation requirements are encouraged.

Who should attend:

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Choose one:

Wed. July 12th – 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Presenter: Deborah Faehnle, L.P.N. and Palmetto GBA panel

Thurs. July 13th – 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Presenter: Carrie L. Weiss, L.P.N. and Palmetto GBA panel.

Session C: M.M.I.T.

This two-hour course is designed to address:

- ❑ Medical necessity, beyond the world of E/M;
- ❑ (CPT) Modifier 25 documentation guidelines;
- ❑ “Incident to” guidelines and requirements; and teaching physician rules and documentation guidelines.

Participants will review each of these categories in depth, and practical examples are used throughout the course.

Who should attend: Physicians, Non-Physician Practitioners, Compliance Officers, coding and billing staff.

Choose One:

Wed. July 12th – 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Presenters: Palmetto GBA provider education staff: Vanessa Williams and Jennifer Jolley.

Thurs. July 13th – 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
Presenters: Palmetto GBA provider education staff: Diana Simms and Jennifer Jolley.

Session D: Hot on the Spot

This one-hour course is designed to give participants an overview of the latest Medicare changes, hot issues, and timely reminders. Find out what you’ve been missing, and what’s just around the corner!!

Who Should attend:

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Choose One: (Presenters will be Palmetto GBA provider education staff)

Wed. July 12th – 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Wed. July 12th - 1:00-2:00 p.m.

Wed. July 12th - 4:00-5:00 p.m.

Thurs. July 13th - 10:00 a.m. –11:00 a.m.

Thurs. July 13th - 1:00 – 2:00 p.m.

Thurs. July 13th – 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.