

**Meeting of the Advisory Panel on Medicare Education (APME)
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)
Thursday, November 20, 2003
The Wyndham Washington
1400 M Street, NW, Washington, D.C., 20005
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9:15 - 9:20 a.m.	Open Meeting and Welcome	Lynne Johnson, Designated Federal Official, CMS
9:20 - 9:30 a.m.	Introduction of members and review of previous meeting	Dr. Susan Reinhard, Chair, APME
9:30 - 10:00 a.m.	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Update	Gail McGrath, Director, Center for Beneficiary Choices (CBC) CMS
10:00 - 10:15 a.m.	Break	
10:15 – 11:15 a.m.	Medicare Reform Update	Sue Rohan, Director, Hearings and Policy Presentations Group, Office of Legislation, CMS
11:15 – 12:30 p.m.	Demonstrations	Moderator: Dr. Susan Reinhard, Chair, APME
	CMS Demonstrations	Linda Magno, Senior Technical Advisor, Demonstrations Office of Research, Development, and Information, CMS
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch	
1:30 – 2:45 p.m.	Research and Evaluation: Sharing Research with Stakeholders	Moderator: David Knutson, APME
	National Medicare Education Program Research	Christopher P. Koepke, Deputy Director, Division of Beneficiary Analysis, CMS
	Park Nicollet Institute for Research and Education	David Knutson, Director, Health Systems Studies
2:45 – 3:00 p.m.	Break	
3:00 – 3:15 p.m.	Public Comment	Dr. Susan Reinhard, Chair, APME

3:15 - 3:45 p.m.	Listening Session with CMS Leadership	Tom Scully, Administrator, CMS
3:45 - 4:00 p.m.	Next Steps	Dr. Susan Reinhard, Chair, APME
4:00 p.m.	Adjourn	Lynne Johnson, Designated Federal Official, CMS

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

Information about summary minutes of this meeting or other Committee matters will be available on the World Wide Web at <http://www.cms.hhs.gov/faca/apme/default.asp>, or by contacting Lynne Johnson via E-mail at ljohnson3@cms.hhs.gov or by telephone at (410) 786-9379 (locally), or (877) 449-5659 (toll free).

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