

The next Home Health, Hospice & DME Open Door Forum is scheduled for Tuesday, July 9, 2019 PM at 2:00-3:00 PM Eastern Time (ET).

Please call at least 15 minutes prior to the forum start time.

****This Agenda is Subject to Change****

- Opening Remarks

Acting Chair – Brian Slater, Center for Medicare
Moderator – Jill Darling (OC)

- Announcements & Updates

- *DMEPOS Update

- *[Competitive Bidding Implementation Contractor](#) website and the [Round 2021](#) DMEPOS Competitive Bidding Program Homepage

- *DMEPOS Prior Authorization Program for Pressure Reducing Support Surfaces

- *Reminder: Public Beta testing of the HH PDGM Grouper software

- *Updates and Announcements from the Home Health Quality Reporting Program

- *CY2019 NPRM Rule Update

- *Reporting Updates

- *July 2019 Home Health Compare Refresh coming up!

 - PPR measure added to HHC October 2019

- *Guidance Update OASIS Quarterly Q&A:

- <https://qtso.cms.gov/providers/home-health-agency-hha-providers/reference-manuals>

- *Training Updates <https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/HomeHealthQualityInits/Home-Health-Quality-Reporting-Training.html>

- *APU Webinar slides available

- * Video Tutorials Available to Assist with Coding Specific Section GG Items

- * Section GG web-based Training Course

- *Updates to HQRP and Hospice Compare

- *Links to our webpages are:

- HQRP webpage:

- <https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/Hospice-Quality-Reporting/Spotlight.html>

- *Hospice QRP Reconsideration Webpage:

- <https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/Hospice-Quality-Reporting/Reconsideration-Requests.html>

*Hospice Compare:

<https://www.medicare.gov/hospiceCompare/>

*Hospice QRP Related Help Desks:

<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/Hospice-Quality-Reporting/Help-Desks.html>

III. Open Q&A

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