

The next Home Health, Hospice & DME Open Door Forum is scheduled for Wednesday, November 6, 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

Co- Chair- Hillary Loeffler, Center for Medicare

Co- Chair – Brian Slater, Center for Medicare

Moderator – Jill Darling (OC)

- Announcements & Updates

- \*Review Choice Demonstration for Home Health Services

- \*iQIES Update for HHAs

- \*<https://qtso.cms.gov/news-and-updates/register-igies-account-action-required-1>

- \*CY 2020 Home Health Prospective Payment System Final Rule

- \*<https://www.cms.gov/center/provider-Type/home-Health-Agency-HHA-Center.html>

- \*Home Health Updates

- \*Home Infusion Therapy Updates

- \*HH QRP Update

- \*HH QRP, Reporting & CY2020 APU Process Update

- \*CY2020 APU Process

- \*<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/HomeHealthQualityInits/Home-Health-Quality-Reporting-Reconsideration-and-Exception-and-Extension.html>

- \*Spotlight and Announcements page

- \*<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/HomeHealthQualityInits/Spotlight-and-Announcements.html>

- \*HH PDGM Billing Update

- \*<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Medicare-Fee-for-Service-Payment/HomeHealthPPS/CaseMixGrouperSoftware.html>

- \*<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Medicare-Fee-for-Service-Payment/HomeHealthPPS/HH-PDGM.html>

- \*HCAHPS Updates

- \*HCAHPS website: <https://homehealthcahps.org>

- \*[HHCAHPS@rti.org](mailto:HHCAHPS@rti.org) or call (866) 354-0985

- \*Hospice CAHPS Update

- \*Survey Website: [www.hospicecahpsurvey.org](http://www.hospicecahpsurvey.org)

- \*CAHPS Hospice Survey Project Team:
- \*[hospicecahpssurvey@HCQIS.org](mailto:hospicecahpssurvey@HCQIS.org) or 1-844-472-4621
- \*Technical assistance:  
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- \*CMS staff: [hospicesurvey@cms.hhs.gov](mailto:hospicesurvey@cms.hhs.gov)
- \*Hospice QRP updates
- \*HGRP webpage:  
<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/Hospice-Quality-Reporting/Spotlight.html>
- \*Hospice Compare update-  
<https://www.medicare.gov/hospiceCompare/>
- \*Final Rule 1713-F: Conditions of Payment to be Applied to Certain DMEPOS Items

### III. Open Q&A

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