

The next Home Health, Hospice & DME Open Door Forum is scheduled for Wednesday, November 12, 2014 at 2:00 PM Eastern Time (ET).

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

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

- I. Opening Remarks
Chair – Randy Thronset, Center for Medicare
Moderator – Jill Darling (OC)

- II. Announcements & Updates
 - Publication of Proposed HH Conditions of Participation-
<http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2014-10-09/pdf/2014-23895.pdf>
 - Home Health PPS Final Rule-
<http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2014-11-06/pdf/2014-26057.pdf>
 - Home Health Care CAHPS® Survey (HHCAHPS)-
 - Home Health Compare Refresh –
 - <http://www.medicare.gov/homehealthcompare/search.html>
 - New CMS mailbox – HomeHealthQuestions@cms.hhs.gov
 - Conversion to the new OASIS ASAP system –
 - <https://qtso.com/hhatrain.html>
 - Haven 10.8 –
 - <http://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/OASIS/HAVEN.html>
 - OASIS Data Specifications –
 - <http://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/OASIS/DataSpecifications.html>
 - OASIS Validation Utility Tool –
 - <https://www.qtso.com/vendoroasis.html>
 - OMB approval of OASIS-C1/IC-9
 - HHC measures delay until July 2015
 - Hospice Item Set – 1st quarter stats and Q&A
 1. Contact information for QTSO Technical Help Desk:
 - (877) 201-4721 or by email at help@qtso.com
 2. Link to “Hospice Item Set (HIS)” portion of cms.hhs.gov website:
 - <http://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/Hospice-Quality-Reporting/Hospice-Item-Set-HIS.html>
 3. Link to hospice portion of qtso.com website:
 - <https://www.qtso.com/hospice.html>
 4. Contact information for Hospice Quality Help Desk

- HospiceQualityQuestions@cms.hhs.gov
- System errors for Hospices
- Fingerprinting Update
- CAHPS® Hospice Survey
 - Reminders for Hospices and Vendors
 - National implementation schedule
 - Vendor selection and authorization
 - Data warehouse access
 - OMB status
 - Links and other information:
 - CAHPS Hospice Survey web site: www.hospicecahpsurvey.org
 - Technical assistance: hospicecahpsurvey@hcqis.org
 - Toll free at 1-844-472-4621
- HH & Hospice Claims Processing Update
- Sequestration and Hospice Cap Calculation

III. Open Q&A

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