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Albuquerque Area Virtual Training
April 17 – April 26, 2023

Training times by time zone

11:00 AM ET	10:00 AM CT	9:00 AM MT	8:00 AM PT
3:30 PM ET	2:30 PM CT	1:30 PM MT	12:30 PM PT

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is committed to helping the Indian Health Service (IHS), Tribal Health Programs, and Urban Indian Programs (ITU) to maximize their ability to access third party resources. To meet this objective, CMS, in partnership with the States, the Social Security Administration and IHS, provides training on the programs and benefits available through Medicare, Medicaid, and the Health Insurance Marketplace.

The target audience for the CMS ITU trainings is:

- Business Office staff
- Benefits Coordinators
- Patient Registration staff
- Billing and Coding staff

Topics at a glance:

- CMS Tribal Affairs Updates
- Medicare, Medicaid, Social Security
- Coding, Billing, and much more.

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

Monday, April 17 11:00 am—12:30 pm ET	Division of Tribal Affairs Beverly Lofton — CMS Division of Tribal Affairs
Monday, April 17 3:30 pm—5:00 pm ET	Medicaid Updates Stacey Steiner – Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
Tuesday, April 18 11:00 am—12:30 pm ET	Outreach and Education Kristen Bitsuie — National Indian Health Board (NIHB).
Tuesday, April 18 3:30 pm—5:00 pm ET	Medicare/Medicaid Fraud and Compliance Special Agent Kelly Blackmon — HHS Office of Inspector General
Wednesday, April 19 11:00 am—12:30 pm ET	Colorado Medicaid Bre Benbenek — Colorado Department of Health Care Policy & Financing Brooke Greenky — Colorado Department of Healthcare Policy and Financing Janelle Gonzalez — Colorado Department of Healthcare Policy and Financing
Wednesday, April 19 3:30 pm—5:00 pm ET	Social Security Updates Rhonda Romero — Social Security Administration
Thursday, April 20 11:00 am—12:30 pm ET	New Mexico Medicaid Charles Canada – New Mexico Medicaid
Thursday, April 20 3:30 pm—5:00 pm ET	New Mexico Managed Care Panel Blue Cross and Blue Shield of New Mexico Western Sky Community Care Presbyterian Health Plan
Monday, April 24 11:00 am—12:30 pm ET	Exchange - BeWell NM Miranda Tso — BeWell NM
Monday, April 24 3:30 pm—5:00 pm ET	Novitas Medicare Billing and Coding Gail Atnip — Novitas Solutions, Inc. Kim Robinson — Novitas Solutions, Inc.

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE (cont'd)

Tuesday, April 25 11:00 am—12:30 pm ET	Medicare 101 (SHIP) Kris Winterowd — NM State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP)
Tuesday, April 25 3:30 pm—5:00 pm ET	Medicare Updates Gaye Humphries — Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
Wednesday, April 26 11:00 am—12:30 pm ET	VA Programs and Benefits Terry Obago — U.S Veterans Administration Marcia Echavaria — U.S Veterans Administration
Wednesday, April 26 3:30 pm—5:00 pm ET	BFCC-QIO Nancy Jobe — KEPRO

CEUs

You will receive 1 CEU from AAPC (American Academy of Professional Coders) for each webinar you attend up to a maximum of 14 CEUs for this virtual training.

PLEASE NOTE: You will need to participate in the full webinar and not log off early to receive the CEU certificate. A link will be sent to an online evaluation form to complete after each webinar. Your feedback is important to help us improve.

- Participants who complete the evaluation within 24 hours of receipt will receive their CEU(s) certificate within 48-hours
- Evaluations completed outside of the initial 24-hour timeframe will be awarded the CEU certificate(s) 3 business days after this training ends.
- Lastly, an overall evaluation form will be sent at the end of the training about the overall experience.

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