



Continuing Education Activity

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Title: The Vision for Healthcare Transformation

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Estimated Time: 1 Hour
Course Format: In-person Presentation
Course Fee: Free

Activity Goal/Description: The overall goal of this activity is to inform CMS staff, contractors and others about policies developed by CMS, new trends in health care, and the constantly evolving medical industry. This informational series will provide the foundation for the participant to support health care policy and program development, implementation and review at a level of excellence.

Target Audience: Physicians and other Health Care Professionals

Activity Learning Objective: By the end of the presentation, you should be able to:

- Recognize the vision for Health Care Transformation
- Identify elements of the transformational process
- Select opportunities & levers of change

Instructions for Participation and Credit:

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