

The next Home Health, Hospice & DME Open Door Forum is scheduled for Wednesday, January 11, 2023 PM at 2:00 PM-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
Chair – Brian Slater, Center for Medicare, CMS
Co-Chair- Kelly Vontran, Center for Medicare, CMS
Moderator – Jill Darling, Office of Communications, CMS

- Announcements & Updates
 - Extension of the Rural Add-On Payment for HHAs in Low-Population Density Areas for CY 2023
 - Expanded Home Health Value-Based Purchasing (HHVBP) Model Update
 - Website: <https://innovation.cms.gov/innovation-models/expanded-home-health-value-based-purchasing-model>
 - Help Desk: HHVBPquestions@lewin.com
 - HHCAHPS Survey Updates
 - Email questions about HHCAHPS to hhcahps@rti.org or call (866) 354-0985 or email the CMS Mailbox at homehealthcahps@cms.hhs.gov
 - Home Health ODF Topics
 - Public Reporting
 - Next QAO Interim Performance Report available on iQIES
 - OASIS-E release active as of 1/1/23
 - Hospice ODF Topics
 - Public Reporting
 - February 2023 Refresh
 - HOPE
 - Beta Test analysis in progress
 - March/April HQRP Forum
 - Other
 - Final Quarterly Update in January 2023
 - Health Equity
 - Special Focus Program (SFP)

III. Open Q&A

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