

## Meeting the Physician Supervision Challenge for Provider-Based Clinics

Webinar #T2900

### DATE AND TIME

April 8, 2014

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. CT

### OVERVIEW

- What are the specific requirements for physician supervision?
- Why is the Medicare program really demanding?
- Why has physician supervision recently become an issue?
- Can mid-level practitioners satisfy the supervisory requirements?
- What affirmative steps must hospitals take to ensure compliance?
- Is this solely a Medicare issue?
- Can auditors go back in time to verify proper physician supervision?
- What additional changes are anticipated in the near future?
- What are the compliance implications?
- Will this ever be a RAC issue?

### TARGET AUDIENCE

CEOs, COOs, CFOs, CNOs, CMOs, physicians, non-physician practitioners, outpatient departmental managers, clinic managers/administrators, coding personnel, coding, billing and claims transaction personnel, financial analysts and compliance personnel.

### PROGRAM TOPICS

- Review of the Provider-Based Rule (PBR)
- Compliance Issues for Provider-Based Clinics
- Physician Supervision Requirements
- Operational Concerns
- RAC Audit Concerns

### OBJECTIVES

1. Delineate the requirements relating to physician supervision requirements.
2. Discuss the basic operational processes for provider-based clinics and hospital provider-based clinical activities.
3. Describe the differing requirements for in-hospital, on-campus and off-campus clinics and hospital operations.
4. Review the supervisory requirements for PB services.
5. Discuss both the overt and the subtle changes being made by CMS relative to supervisory requirements for hospital-based operations.
6. Describe how the supervision guidance is morphing.
7. 'Incident-to' concept for both physicians and hospitals.
8. Discuss the difference between 'clarifying' guidance and 'changed' guidance.
9. Appreciate the steps that must be taken relative to documentation for meeting the supervisory requirements.
10. Discuss possible RAC issues for retroactive application.

### FACULTY

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