



WEBINAR

CMS Hospital QAPI Worksheet and New Standards (Webinar T7058)

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Speakers:

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Target Audience

Performance Improvement directors and staff, risk management, quality staff, compliance officer, chief nursing officer, chief medical officer, patient safety officer, nurse educator, staff nurses, nurse managers, leadership staff, board members, accreditation staff, department directors, infection preventionist and anyone else who is responsible to ensure the CMS CoPs related to performance improvement are met which includes requirements on risk management and patient safety.

Course Curriculum

If CMS showed up at your door tomorrow would you be able to show that you are in compliance with the Quality Assessment and Performance Improvement (QAPI) standards? Have you implemented the 2020 changes? Did you know there is a section in the QAPI standards that address patient safety and risk management?

This program is a must attend for any hospital, especially Critical Access Hospitals (CAHs). The webinar will cover the final changes to the QAPI standards that were effective November 29, 2019, as well as the QAPI standards for CAHs in the final Hospital Improvement Rule. CAHs have an additional 18 months to implement since this rewrote all the CAHs QAPI standards.

The QAPI worksheet is designed to help State and Federal surveyors assess compliance with the QAPI standards, including validation and certification surveys.

The worksheet is also an excellent communication tool to help hospitals understand the expectations from CMS.

Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of this session, participant should be able to:

- Recall that CMS has a worksheet on QAPI
- Describe that there is a section on QAPI in the CMS hospital CoP manual that any hospital that accepts Medicare or Medicaid reimbursement must follow
- Discuss that the Board is ultimately responsible for the QAPI program and must ensure there are adequate resources for PI
- Recall that hospitals are receiving a high number of deficiencies in QAPI
- Discuss that CMS has completely rewritten the QAPI requirements for CAHs

Speaker Bio

Sue Dill Calloway is president of Patient Safety and Healthcare Consulting and Education company, where she focuses on medical legal education, especially Joint Commission and the CMS hospital CoPs regulatory compliance. She also lectures on legal, risk management and patient safety issues. Previously, Sue was a director for risk management and patient safety for the Doctors Company. She was the VP of legal services at a community hospital and served as the privacy officer and the compliance officer. She was also a medical malpractice defense attorney for 10 years and has three nursing degrees in addition to a law degree.

She is a well-known lecturer and the first in the country to be a certified professional in CMS. She has written 102 books and thousands of articles.

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