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## **The CMS Hospital Interpretive Guidelines on Infection Control & Antibiotic Stewardship Program**

**Webinar #T4037**

### **DATE AND TIME**

May 9, 2017

9:00 - 11:00 a.m. CT

### **OVERVIEW**

This program will cover the current CMS infection control standards in detail. It will also examine the TJC antibiotic stewardship program requirements and the CMS proposed infection control standards containing a requirement for an antibiotic stewardship program. Ms. Calloway will review some significant proposed changes to the infection control standard from the Hospital Improvement Act, and will discuss the CDC and FDA update review procedure for cleaning, disinfecting, and sterilizing reusable medical devices and the CDC vaccine storage and handling toolkit. She will also discuss recent CMS memos on infection control such as the safe injection practices, CRE and insulin pen memos.

### **TARGET AUDIENCE**

Anyone involved with infection control regulations and standards, including, but not limited to infection control professionals/perfectionists, CNOs, CMOs, COOs, physicians, nurses and nurse educators, quality improvement staff, risk managers, pharmacy staff, epidemiologists, environmental services, compliance officers and legal counsel and others interested in or responsible for infection control.

### **OBJECTIVES**

1. Give examples of the many policies and procedures required by CMS in the area of infection control.
2. Identify the Joint Commission antibiotic stewardship program requirements.
3. Discuss the CMS requirements regarding the national standards of care and practice.
4. Describe the CMS requirement regarding mandatory infection control education.

6. Identify the safe injection practices memo issued by CMS specific to the use of a clean needle and syringe.

### **FACULTY**

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Sue Dill Calloway has been a nurse attorney and consultant for more than 30 years. Currently, she is president of Patient Safety and Healthcare Education and Consulting and was previously the chief learning officer for the Emergency Medicine Patient Safety Foundation. She has conducted many educational programs for nurses, physicians, and other health care providers. Sue has authored over 100 books and numerous articles. She is a frequent speaker and is well known across the country in the area of health care law, risk management, and patient safety. Sue has no real or perceived conflicts of interest that relate to this presentation.

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