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The CMS Hospital Infection Control Worksheet & Proposed Changes Webinar #T4031

DATE AND TIME

April 25, 2017 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. CT

OVERVIEW

Infection control is hit hard during a hospital survey, so every facility should have a full-working familiarity with the CMS interpretive guidelines, as well as the proposed changes for assessing compliance with the infection control Conditions of Participation (CoPs).

This presentation will explain what staff need to do to be ready for surveyors, and will provide them with a better understanding of the CMS infection control interpretative guidelines and worksheet. This program will also discuss the proposed infection control standards and changes, including the requirement to have an antibiotic stewardship program. It will also discuss important memos on infection control issues from CMS, ISMP IV guidelines and safe injection practices issues, and other facets of this worksheet.

TARGET AUDIENCE

All infection control professionals including CNOs, CMOs, physicians, front-line nurses, nurse managers, supervisors and directors, infection control nurses and coordinators, nurse educators, hospital epidemiologists, performance improvement, risk management, and compliance and patient safety officers should participate. Others that should attend include anyone interested in or responsible for infection control. *Because CMS infection control standards are the same for all hospitals, CAHs are highly encouraged to attend this session as well.*

OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this session, the participants will better understand the CMS Infection Control Worksheet and will be able to:

1. Discuss the memos on infection control issues.

- 2. Identify the infection control worksheet tracer on indwelling urinary catheters.
- 3. Explain the CMS requirements for safe injection practices and sharps safety.
- 4. Discuss the infection control worksheet section on hand hygiene tracer.

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. Ms. Dill Calloway has authored over 100 books and numerous articles. She is a frequent speaker and is well known across the country in the area of healthcare law, risk management, and patient safety. The presenter has no real or perceived conflicts of interest that relate to this presentation.

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