

Medicare Home Health PPS Billing Billing Basics and Beyond



On-Demand Video Streaming Webinar

Presented By:

**Home Care Association of New Hampshire in Partnership with the
California Partnership for Health Services at Home**

Speaker – Melinda Gaboury

Description: Billing is a very critical part of home health and this two day workshop will lay a concrete foundation of that process for all participants. Participants will learn a more effective approach to the Medicare PPS regulation, conducting Medicare verifications and understanding adjustments.

This training would be beneficial to any home health agency Administrator, Director of Nursing, Nursing Supervisor, Coder, OASIS Encoder, Clinician, and any financial and billing staff.

At the conclusion of the program, participants will be able to:

1. Calculate and evaluate the HHRG, HIPPS Code and Episode Exceptions.
2. Effectively verify Medicare Eligibility of patients and complete a RAP and Final Claim form. Calculate Adjacent Episodes.
3. Describe the process for effectively auditing a Chart for purposes of identifying prebill issues.
4. List NonRoutine Supplies and steps in billing them.
5. Identify reason codes on electronic Medicare RAs.
6. Analyze PPS Changes for 2011
7. Describe the process for effectively billing Medicare Secondary Payor.
8. Detail the process of Outliers.
9. Identify process for appropriately delegating responsibilities to billing department staff. Discuss reports required for review each month.
10. Audit a Chart for purposes of identifying prebill issues. Calculate HHRG based on completed OASIS form.

Faculty: Gaboury is co-founder and Chief Executive Officer of Healthcare Provider Solutions, Inc. (HPS). Melinda Gaboury and Mark Cannon founded the company in April 2001 to provide financial, reimbursement, clinical and cost reporting services to home health agencies and hospice. Prior to the inception of Medicare PPS Gaboury began researching, auditing and review processes with OASIS, ICD-9 Coding and clinical documentation. She has developed and taught clinician and billing Medicare PPS Training Workshops in a variety of venues. Gaboury's priority remains bridging the gap between clinical and financial issues in home health agencies. Gaboury has been a speaker for several state home care associations. In addition to her speaking engagements and consulting, she is author of *Home Health Pocket Guide to OASIS-C*.

Nurse Contact Hours: Continuing Education hours will be provided to participants who view the program in its entirety (12 Hours). A request for Certificate of Completion along with an evaluation form must be sent to CAHSAH once program has been completed. Please allow 1-2 weeks for your certificate to arrive.

Registration

Complete the registration form and return to HCANH. Confirmation(s) will be sent via email to each individual registrant with login information. Please provide an email address for each registrant to ensure delivery of login credentials. Please provide a shipping address to ensure delivery of reference material. The registration fee includes one login credential for one (1) person. Upon receiving credentials, registrant will have approximately three (3) months access (24/7) to view the session.

PLEASE NOTE: Each paid registration includes one (1) user login only and (1) hard-cover reference manual. Handouts will be mailed to participants within 3-5 days of registration deadline. Please complete the evaluation form and fax back in exchange for your certificate. **There will be no refunds after login credentials have been sent.**

Registration: **HCANH Members:** \$299 per log-in

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