

POHMS and NJSOM VIRTUAL FALL CONFERENCE
November 5-6, 2020

Thursday, November 5, 2020

8:30 am **Welcome and Opening Remarks**
 Diane Carter- POHMS President
 Linda DeAngelis – NJSOM President

8:45 am to 9:45 am
 COVID-19, Elections & Cancer Care – What A Year!!!
 Ted Okon - Executive Director
 Community Oncology Alliance

9:50 am to 10:50 am
 2021 E&M Changes and Documentation Requirements
 Michelle Weiss
 Weiss Oncology Consulting

- *Learn which codes are affected by the changes*
- *Understand the new E/M Guidelines and how to choose the level of service*
- *Know when and how the prolonged service codes apply*
- *Evaluate oncology coding examples*

10:50 am to 11:30 am
 Break – Please visit our Virtual Exhibit Hall

11:30 am to 12:30 pm
 The Evolving Oncology Practice Model
 Scott Friedly, MS, CPC
 Takeda Oncology

- *Mergers and consolidation of Payers, PBMs & SPs – 2 slides*
- *High deductible health plans & their impact on patients and care*
- *OOP Costs for Oral anticancer medications*
- *Medicare Advantage Overview, including growth in enrollment and OOP costs*
- *Implementation of Step Therapy in Medicare Part B covered drugs*
- *Spotlight on Oral Oncolytic Adherence*

12:30 pm
 LUNCH BREAK – Don't forget to visit our Virtual Exhibit Hall and gain more points for our challenge

1:00 pm to 2:00 PM
 Overview of HIPAA Developments
 Helen Oscislawski, Esq
 Managing Partner
 Attorneys at Oscislawski LLC

- *Review of the HIPAA basics*
- *Review of HIPAA Breach response, notices and reporting*
- *Key OCR HIPAA enforcement actions & resolution agreement*
- *Key HIPAA guidance and FAQs issued by HHS/OCR*
- *Developments and federal guidance on security, ransomware attacks, telehealth, and use of software Apps*
- *HIPAA litigation re: patient access rights, fee copy caps and directing copies to third-parties*
- *Regulatory change to calculating Penalties for HIPAA violations*

2:00 pm to 2:30 pm
 Break – please visit our Virtual Exhibit Hall

2:30 pm to 3:00 pm
 Overview of HIPAA Developments Continued

3:10 pm to 4:00 pm
 TBD

4:30 pm CHOC Member Business Meeting
(By invitation only for Active and Associate CHOC members)

Friday, November 6, 2020

8:00 am POHMS Member Business Meeting
(By invitation only for Active and Associate POHMS Members)

9:00 am to 10:00 am

Harassment in the Workplace: How To Avoid Liability
COVID-19 Business Updates
George C. Hlavac, Esq.
Hoffman Hlavac & Easterly
Attorneys at Law

This presentation will focus on the steps that all medical practices must take to protect against harassment-based liability. Issues to be discussed include: the importance of properly drafted harassment policies; mandatory employee harassment training; understanding the employer's duty to prevent harassment in the workplace; and taking prompt and appropriate corrective action with respect to inappropriate employee conduct.

10:00 am to 10:20 am

Break – please visit our Virtual Exhibit Hall

10:20 am to 10:50 am

Pandemic Law
George C. Hlavac, Esq.
Hoffman Hlavac & Easterly
Attorneys at Law

This presentation will address the employment law issues that all hospitals and medical practices have been struggling with during the COVID-19 pandemic, including: furloughs, layoffs, recalls, unemployment compensation, discrimination claims, child care leave, ADA and FMLA problems, and many others. The presentation will include a 15 minute general Q&A to answer pandemic-related employment law questions that attendees may have.

11:00 am to 12:00 noon

How the Information Blocking Rules Changed HIPAA
Helen Oscislowski, Esq
Managing Partner
Attorneys at Oscislowski LLC

- *What constitutes “Information Blocking” (i.e., “interfere with,” “prevent” or “materially discourage”) by healthcare Providers, including discussion of specific use case examples*
- *How to permissibly educate your patients about privacy & security risks without engaging in impermissible “interference with” sharing of EHI*
- *How to implement the “Preventing Harm” exception, and revise your HIPAA Policy accordingly*
- *How to implement the “Privacy” exception, and revise your HIPAA Policy accordingly*
- *Impact of the “Content & Manner” exception*
- *Penalties applicable to providers who engage in Info Blocking*
- *Deadlines for healthcare Provider compliance*

12:00 pm

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12:20 pm to 1:00 pm

How the Information Blocking Rules Changed HIPAA – *Continued*

1:00 pm Conclusion and Closing Remarks