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UPCOMING EVENTS

BlueCross BlueShield Lunch & Learns

Mansfield Center - Burns Auditorium

Wednesday, February 15, 2017

Lunch 11:30 to 12:00 pm

Workshop 12:00 to 2:00 pm

Wednesday, May 17, 2017

Lunch 11:30 to 12:00 pm

Workshop 12:00 to 2:00 pm

Wednesday, August 16, 2017

Lunch 11:30 to 12:00 pm

Workshop 12:00 to 2:00 pm

Wednesday, November 15, 2017

Lunch 11:30 to 12:00 pm

Workshop 12:00 to 2:00 pm

2017 CPT Coding and Compliance Updates

with Guest Speaker Robin Linker

Mansfield Center – Burns Auditorium

Tuesday, March 21, 2017

Check-in/Breakfast 7:30 to 8:30 am

Workshop 8:30 to 4:30 pm

Outreach

Reimbursement Benefit

Your membership in Rocky Mountain Health Network includes an outreach reimbursement program. Every April, the RMHN Board of Directors reviews the outreach reimbursement requests and approves them for the subsequent 12 months. If you are currently approved for reimbursement and want to continue receiving reimbursement for providing outreach clinics, or if you want to request approval for accessing your reimbursement benefit for a new outreach clinic, please send your documentation to Cheryl Ross cross@rmhn.org no later than March 17th. This will give us time to review and prepare the requests prior to the April 4th board meeting.

A copy of the current policy can be obtained by emailing a request to Cheryl Ross at cross@rmhn.org. All required documentation must be received for the review in order to be considered by the RMHN Board.

Micros and MACRA (from Carol Beam)

Thanks to all of you who made this year's annual meeting a great success (despite the blizzard that was going on). I would also like to thank Nathan Bays for sharing his expertise with everyone – MACRA is complicated and he did a great job of distilling the information to make it meaningful and actionable. RMHN has posted several of Nathan's articles on our website – if you go to RMHN.org and click on 'Member Resources', scroll down a little to find links to several articles specific to MACRA. Check back at this site often – we will keep it updated with new information as it comes available.

I would also encourage you to visit the Rocky Mountain Accountable Health Network website (www.rmahn.org) and learn more about the ACO and the Medicare Shared Savings Plan (MSSP). You will also find detailed information on the quality scores for the MSSP for the past couple of years. This is important because participating in an MSSP helps providers with the MIPS scoring, particularly the quality component of MIPS. And we know that quality will have the most weight of the 4 categories for the next several years.

Please remember that you all have a standing invitation to learn more about the ACO and the MSSP. This invitation also includes MACRA and MIPS topics. I am available to come to your office whenever it works for you. We can go over the advantages of participating in the MSSP – especially now that MIPS is upon us.

And let us know if you would like a copy of the annual report that was distributed at the annual meeting. We'll make sure you get one. Thank you all for supporting your PHO.

Welcome New Members

(Jan 2017)

Arthritis & Osteoporosis Center

Wendy L Donough FNP

Ortho Montana, PSC

Austin O'Shea PAC

Arthritis & Osteoporosis Center

Daryl K MacCarter MD

RiverStone Health

Abigail G Dalton PA

St. James Radiation Oncology

Douglas Debenham MD

Bauer & Clausen Optometry

Jessica J Forsch OD

RiverStone Health

Skye R Heston MD

SVHC Heart & Vascular Center

Theresa A D'Avila PAC

Morledge Family Eye Clinic

Chelsea L Crandell OD

Silver Spark PC

Chad E Jackson LCPC



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