

# NARHC SPR. INSTITUTE | 2012

## MONDAY, MARCH 19, 2012

	<b>Breakfast</b> <i>(on your own)</i>
<b>7:30 – 8:30 am</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>8:00 – 5:00 pm</b>	<b>CONFERENCE VENDORS: Mon. &amp; Tues. only</b>
<b>8:30 – 9:00 am</b>	<b>Welcome and Conference Overview</b> <i>W/m. John Gill, PA, President, NARHC, Wauchula, Florida</i>
<b>9:00 – 10:00 am</b>	<b>Legislative Update</b> <i>Bill Finerfrock, Executive Director, NARHC, Washington, DC</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants will learn about current legislation, some regulations, &amp; changes likely to affect them.</li> </ul>
<b>10:00 – 10:30 am</b>	<b>Networking Break</b>
<b>10:30 – 11:30 am</b>	<b>Compliance 101 and Medical Practice Programs</b> <i>Cynthia (Cindy) R. Dupree, CPA, CCS, FHFMA, Partner, Draffin &amp; Tucker, LLP, Albany, GA</i> The Patient Protection & Affordable Care Act (PPACA) extended compliance program requirements to all provider types. Small orgs. can implement a practical program that meets Federal requirements, too! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants will learn the elements of the Federal guidelines for compliance programs.</li> <li>• Participants will learn how to implement a compliance program that meets Federal requirements but is practical for the smaller organizations.</li> </ul>
<b>11:30 – 12:30 pm</b>	<b>RHC Regulations and Compliance</b> <i>Robin Veltkamp, VP, Medical Practice Compliance &amp; Consulting, Health Services Associates, Inc., Fremont, MI</i> Since an RHC is expected to function under the guidelines measured by State inspectors, it is important that the clinic implement processes to maintain and monitor the effectiveness of these processes as part of their daily operations. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants will develop an understanding of required daily functions within the RHC.</li> <li>• Participants will learn to develop tools to monitor the RHC requirements.</li> <li>• Participants will learn to understand and prepare for the Annual Advisory Committee Meeting.</li> </ul>
<b>12:30 – 1:30 pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b> <i>(on your own)</i>
<b>1:30 – 3:00 pm</b>	<b>Cost Reporting 101</b> <i>Jim Estes, NARHC Treasurer/Secretary, Owner/Consultant, Healthcare Horizons, Bartlesville, OK</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants will learn basic cost report data requirements.</li> <li>• Participants will learn Cost Report sections &amp; how they impact the overall encounter rate calculations.</li> <li>• Participants will locate their encounter rate, bad debt &amp; total reimbursement on cost report forms.</li> <li>• Participants will learn what costs are allowable/reasonable for Physician-Owner comp. &amp; much more!</li> </ul>
<b>3:00 – 3:30 pm</b>	<b>Networking Break</b>
<b>3:30 – 4:30 pm</b>	<b>Gaining Access to State, Federal and Other Resources by Working With Your SORH</b> <i>Teryl Eisinger, Director, NOSORH, Sterling Heights, MI</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants will learn how to make use of their State Office of Rural Health.</li> <li>• Participants will learn about the National Health Service Corps.</li> <li>• Participants will learn about Medicare Partnership with Patients.</li> </ul>

## TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 2012

	<b>Breakfast</b> <i>(on your own)</i>
<b>8:00 – 8:30 am</b>	<b>Registration</b> <i>(for those who didn't register Mon.)</i>
<b>8:00 – 5:00 pm</b>	<b>CONFERENCE VENDORS: Mon. &amp; Tues. only</b>
<b>8:30 – 10:00 am</b>	<b>Complete RHC Billing</b> <i>Janet Lytton, RHIT, Director of Reimbursement, Rural Health Development, Cambridge, NE</i> Discussion of what can be billed in the RHC and how we bill the services. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants will learn what services are covered/not covered in the RHC.</li> <li>• Participants will learn how to assure their RHC is not missing any charges.</li> <li>• Participants will learn to bill Preventive Services properly!</li> </ul>
<b>10:00 – 10:30 am</b>	<b>Networking Break</b>
<b>10:30 – 11:30 am</b>	<b>Advanced Cost Reporting Topics</b> <i>David James, CPA, North American Healthcare Management Services, St. Louis, Missouri</i> This session will review the components & preparation of the RHC cost report. Participants will gain an understanding of the requirement & necessity to submit the cost report & will learn what areas of the clinic info. need to be compiled. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants will learn about cost reporting worksheets, reclassifications, and adjustments.</li> <li>• Participants will learn about carve out issues and procedures.</li> <li>• Participants will learn about Medicare bad debt Issues.</li> <li>• Participants will learn about flu &amp; pneumococcal Issues.</li> </ul>
<b>11:30 – 12 :00 pm</b>	<b>Prescription Cards - Steve Rohm, National Sales Manager, The Prescription Card, Cranberry Township, PA</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn how to help your uninsured/underinsureds pay lab &amp; imaging tests, drugs, &amp; diabetic supplies.</li> </ul>

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<b>12:00 – 1:00 pm</b>	<b>Lunch (provided)</b> <b>Risk Management - <u>Jim Estes</u>, NARHC Treasurer/Secretary, Healthcare Horizons Owner, Bartlesville, OK</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participants will learn from a light-hearted look at clinic operations that should be considered in when assessing the potential risks to both patients and staff.</li> </ul>
<b>1:00 – 2:00 pm</b>	<b>Preparing your Practice (RHC) for ICD-10 by 2013**</b> <b><u>Patty Harper</u>, RHIA, AHIMA-Approved ICD-10-CM/PCS Trainer, InQuiseek, LLC, Ruston, LA</b> Participants will learn the history, structure, & implementation strategies to meet the Oct. 1, 2013 deadline. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participants will learn the history of the ICD-10 Codes Sets used in the United States.</li> <li>Participants will receive an introduction to ICD-10 Code Structure and Guidelines.</li> <li>Participants will learn Practical Readiness Strategies and Training Tips.</li> </ul> <i>*This presentation qualifies for CEUs from American Health Information Management Association.</i>
<b>2:00 – 3:00 pm</b>	<b>Hot Topics/Emerging Issues (Panel)</b> <b><u>Charles James, Janet Lytton, Jim Estes, Julie Quinn</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participants will learn about Carve Outs, Specialists, &amp; Minor Surgical Procedures in the RHC.</li> <li>Participants will learn how to get paid for Part D Drugs.</li> <li>Participants will learn about Pain Management Issues in the RHC.</li> <li>Participants will learn common pitfalls of bad debt reimbursement claims on the Medicare cost report.</li> </ul>
<b>3:00 – 3:30 pm</b>	<b>Networking Break</b>
<b>3:30 – 4:45 pm</b>	<b>MAC Discussion Panel</b> – Reps from the Cahaba, Palmetto, Trailblazer, and/or Highmark will help participants with hot topics & answer other FAQs.

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 2012

	<b>Breakfast (on your own)</b>
<b>8:30 – 9:00 am</b>	<b>HPSA/MUP Negotiated Rulemaking Update</b> <b><u>Gail Nickerson</u>, NARHC Vice-President, Director of Clinic Services, Adventist Health, Roseville, CA</b> Following two failed attempts to revise the methods of determining health shortage areas through proposed rules, there has been a national convening of stakeholders and technical experts to work on developing a consensus. This session will be a report on that process and what came out of it. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participants will become familiar with methodologies of determining health shortage areas.</li> <li>Participants will learn the details of the HPSA/MUP negotiated rulemaking process.</li> <li>Participants will know the outcome of the process.</li> </ul>
<b>9:00 – 9:30 am</b>	<b>Rural Assistance Center at Your Service</b> <b><u>Aubrey Madler</u>, MLS, Information Specialist, Rural Assistance Center, Grand Forks, ND</b> Explore RAC's free services and resources, with a glimpse at their website's new layout, & 3 new features: Economic Impact Analysis Tool, Community Health Workers Toolkit, & an HIT Toolkit. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participants will learn to calculate economic impact of their clinic on the community.</li> <li>Participants will learn how to locate funding opportunities, model programs &amp; free resources to help clinics deliver better health services.</li> <li>Participants will learn to access resources to help choose, implement, &amp; operate various types of HIT.</li> </ul>
<b>9:30 – 10:00 am</b>	<b>Networking Break</b>
<b>10:00 – 11:00 am</b>	<b>Meaningful Use – What You Need to Know</b> <b><u>Michael R. Bell</u>, CPA, Partner, Wipfli, LLP, Spokane, WA</b> Great emphasis has been placed on electronic health records and electronic health information systems. Congress has provided financial incentives that are a limited time offer. Both provider-based and freestanding RHCs need to understand the requirements, incentives and penalties. We will explore this program from beginning to end and provide participants with guidance covering all of these areas. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand monetary incentives related to EHR, meaningful use, &amp; the penalties of non-compliance.</li> <li>Learn who is eligible under Medicare and Medicaid and the types of eligible practitioners.</li> <li>Learn about qualified EHR vendors, stages &amp; timetables for meaningful use &amp; reporting requirements.</li> </ul>
<b>11:00 – 11:30 am</b>	<b>Cancer Control Strategies – <u>Glenna Dawson</u>, Project Director, Cancer Prevention &amp; Control Research Network, University of Texas School of Public Health, Houston, TX</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participants will learn evidence-based cancer control strategies recommended in the Community Guide of the Community Preventive Services Task Force.</li> <li>Participants will be able to describe two new initiatives to accelerate the use of evidence-based cancer control strategies in Community Health Centers.</li> </ul>