

Texas Association of Rural Health Clinics Education Conference



August 11 - 13, 2010
Omni Hotel Downtown
Austin, Texas

RHC Certification Requirements ~ Texas State Medicaid and CHIP
CMS Update ~ TrailBlazer Medicare RHC Update
Medicare Advantage ~ Billing ~ Electronic Health Records
Legislative Update ~ FQHC Orientation
10 Common Medicaid Billing Errors for RHCs

Who Should Attend?



Rural Health Clinic Administrators Physicians
Business Managers Physician Assistants
Hospital Administrators Nurse Practitioners

TARHC
Annual Membership Meeting

Thursday, August 12th
at 4:50 pm

Election of new board members and review of association business.

If you aren't a current member of TARHC, you're still invited to attend our membership meeting and learn more about us.

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Conference Agenda

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Wednesday, August 11

- 1:00 pm - 1:15 pm Welcome and Opening Remarks
- 1:15 pm - 3:00 pm RHC Certification Requirements
Craig Jimerfield, Health Facility Compliance DSHS, San Antonio
- 3:00 pm - 3:30 pm Refreshment Break with Exhibitors
- 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm RHC Certification Continued
- 5:00 pm Closing Remarks for the Day
- 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm Social Hour/Conference Attendee Mixer

Thursday, August 12

- 7:00 am - 8:00 am Breakfast with Conference Exhibitors
- 8:00 am - 8:45 am Legislative Update
Don McBeath, Texas Organization of Rural & Community Hospitals, Austin
- 8:45 am - 9:45 am CMS Update
Becky Peal-Sconce, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Dallas
- 9:45 am - 10:15 am Refreshment Break with Exhibitors
- 10:15 am - 12:00 pm TrailBlazer Medicare RHC Update
Steven Mildward, TrailBlazer Healthcare Enterprises, LLC, Dallas
- Noon - 1:30 pm Luncheon with Special Guest Speaker (Invited)
- 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm Medicare Advantage Panel
- 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm RHC Billing
Charles A. James, Jr., CEO, North American Management Services, St. Louis, MO
- 3:30 pm - 3:50 pm Refreshment Break with Exhibitors
- 3:50 pm - 4:50 pm Electronic Health Records
Jim Estes, Healthcare Horizon, Bartlesville, OK
- 4:50 pm - 5:20 pm TARHC Business Meeting

Friday, August 13

- 7:00 am - 8:00 am Breakfast with Conference Exhibitors
- 8:00 am - 9:00 am Texas Medicaid/CHIP Report
Kimberly Davis, Texas Health and Human Services Commission, Austin
- 9:00 am - 10:00 am FQHC Orientation
Jose Camacho, Texas Association of Community Health Centers, Austin
- 10:00 am - 10:15 am Break
- 10:15 am - 11:15 am 10 Common Medicaid Billing Errors for RHCs
Rhonda Williams, Texas Medicaid and Healthcare Partnership, Austin
- 11:15 am Conference Wrap-up and Closing Remarks

SPEAKERS

Jose Camacho, Texas Association of Community Health Centers, *Austin*

Kimberly Davis, Texas Health and Human Services Commission, *Austin*

Jim Estes, Healthcare Horizon, *Bartlesville, OK*

Charles A. James, Jr., CEO, North American Management Services, *St. Louis, MO*

Craig Jimerfield, Health Facility Compliance DSHS, *San Antonio*

Don McBeath, Texas Organization of Rural & Community Hospitals, *Austin*

Steven Mildward, TrailBlazer Healthcare Enterprises, LLC., *Dallas*

Becky Peal-Sconce, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, *Dallas*

Rhonda Williams, Texas Medicaid and Healthcare Partnership, *Austin*

HOTEL INFORMATION

This educational conference will be held at the **Omni Hotel Downtown**, 700 San Jacinto, Austin, TX 75701. The special guest room rate is \$119.00 (S/D). Ask for the TARHC Education Conference when making reservations. Call the hotel directly at 512/476-3700 to make your reservations **before July 27th** to assure accommodation and rate.

REGISTRATION AND FEES

Registration fee includes program materials, lunch, and refreshments. Registration desk opens at 10:30 am for check-in and to pick up badges and material packets. All facilities are fully accessible to the handicapped. *If you require special assistance, please call the TARHC headquarters prior to the conference at 512-873-0045.*

SUBSTITUTION & CANCELLATION

Registrants unable to attend may send an alternate; please notify TARHC of any changes prior to the event. For cancellation, notify us in writing prior to **July 27, 2010**. Refunds, minus a \$25 processing fee, will be available for notices received by this date. No refunds will be issued for cancellations received after this date. TARHC reserves the right to cancel or reschedule the event if deemed necessary; or should a situation beyond the control of TARHC arise to prevent holding the conference, TARHC will not be held liable for any expenses incurred by the registrants, except for the registration fee, which would be refunded.

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED



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