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The CMS Restraint and Seclusion Webinar

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DATE AND TIME

July 8, 2009

12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. CT

OVERVIEW

Restraint and Seclusion is a hot spot with both CMS and the Joint Commission and a common area where hospitals are cited for being out of compliance. The restraint policy is one of the hardest to write and understand in healthcare today. CMS has issued interpretive guidelines on restraint and seclusions for hospitals on April 11, 2008 and October 17, 2008. These are extensive covering 50 pages. This program will simplify and take the mystery out of the restraint and seclusion interpretive guidelines. It will provide a crosswalk to the July 1, 2009 Joint Commission standards. Avoid the restraint nightmare now and let us take the mystery out of these confusing regulations by attending this program.

Every hospital that accepts Medicare patients will have to comply with the interpretive guidelines even if the hospital is Joint Commission accredited. Hospitals will need to revise their policies and procedures to comply with these and will need to provide restraint training to staff. There is also a requirement that physicians and anyone who writes an order for restraints will have to be educated on the hospital's policy. The new guidelines explain the training requirements for the RN doing the one hour face-to-face visits for patients who are violent and or self destructive. There are basically 21 issues covered by the new CMS interpretive guidelines. The Joint Commission standards on restraint and seclusion will be reference also be covered since these must be included in the hospital's policy and procedure. It is important to recognize which is the most stringent.

TARGET AUDIENCE

Compliance officers, CNOs, chiefs of medical staff, COOs, nurse educators, medical staff coordinators, RMs, patient safety officers, senior leadership, hospital legal counsel, PI directors, Joint Commission coordinators, nurse managers, quality directors, chief medical officers and others responsible for compliance with hospital regulation. Persons responsible for rewriting the hospital policies and medical staff bylaws attend.

FACULTY

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Sue Dill Calloway is a nurse attorney and the director of hospital patient safety for OHIC Insurance Company and The Doctors Company. She has done many educational programs for nurses, physicians and other health care providers. She has authored over 100 books and numerous articles. She is a frequent speaker and is well known across the country in the area of health care law, risk management and patient safety.

PROGRAM TOPICS

- Right to be free from restraint
- Providing copy of right to patients and restraint protocols
- Medical restraints and behavioral health restraints
- Violent and self-destructive behavior
- New definition of restraint and seclusion
- Manual holds of patients
- Leadership responsibilities
- Drugs used as a restraint and standard treatment
- and many more topics

OBJECTIVES

- Define the changes to the CMS restraint guidelines including that the requirement that all deaths that occur while the patient is in restraints or within 24 hours after must be reported to CMS.
- Recall that CMS requires that all physicians and others who order restraints must be educated on the hospital policy.
- Describe the new CMS restraint education requirements for staff including the hospital requirement for first aid training and what training the RN who does the one hour face to face visit must have.

PRICE

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