

CMS Hospital Quality Assessment and Performance Improvement Worksheet and QAPI Conditions of Participation

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OVERVIEW

This program is a must-attend for any hospital that accepts Medicare or Medicaid since they must be in compliance with the Quality Assessment and Performance Improvement (QAPI) section of the CMS worksheet. This program will also cover the revised QAPI standards, including the high number of patient safety deficiencies.

The CMS QAPI worksheet is an excellent communication tool so a hospital will know what to expect from CMS. The worksheet is used by State and Federal surveyors on all survey activity in hospitals when assessing compliance with the QAPI standards. QAPI is an important issue to CMS and an increased area of focus in 2016. This program will also highlight the patient safety deficiencies that hospitals have received in this area as well.

TARGET AUDIENCE

This program is for performance improvement staff to attend. Other staff that should attend include risk management, quality staff, compliance officer, CNO, patient safety officer, nurse educator, staff nurses, nurse managers, leadership staff, board members, accreditation staff, department directors, infection preventionist and anyone else who is responsible for ensuring the CMS Conditions of Participation (CoPs) related to performance improvement are met.

OBJECTIVES

1. Identify the CMS QAPI worksheet.
2. Locate the section in the CMS hospital CoP manual, which explains how hospitals who accept Medicare or Medicaid reimbursement must follow those guidelines.

3. Explain how the board is ultimately responsible for the QAPI program and must ensure there are adequate resources for performance improvement personnel.
4. Discuss the high number of QAPI deficiencies hospitals are receiving.

FACULTY

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