

The Cardiopulmonary Rehab PRE-Conference

Putting It All Together: Rules, Regulations & Rehab

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March 26th 0830-1130 Registration to begin at 0800

Drury Inn & Suites West Des Moines

(lunch will be on your own)

Conference to follow with registration to begin at 1230

Pre-Conference Information geared toward:

- ✓ persons new to cardiac rehab (CR) or pulmonary rehab (PR)
- ✓ those who desire a further understanding of the rules, regulations, and management of these programs
- ✓ individuals who want a better understanding of *why* things are done the way they are
- ✓ those looking for ways to “put all the pieces together” and avoid *extra* paperwork

Information, including sources, will be discussed and provided.

Examples will be shared as available

Topics to cover:

- Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) - Regulations pertaining to CR and PR
 - Physician supervision
 - Program requirements
 - Patient registration, billing, and reimbursement
- Medicare Administrative Contractor (MAC) and how they affect our services
- American Association of Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Rehabilitation (AACVPR) Guidelines and Recommendations for practice
 - ITPs
 - Patient and Program Outcomes
 - Staff development and competencies
 - Brief overview of AACVPR recommendations (based on certification criteria) whether you intend to certify your program(s) or not
- Differences in insurance coverage (Medicare, Medicare-Advantage, Medicaid, VA, commercial)
- Office of Inspector General (OIG) and other regulatory audits
- Marketing your programs
- Where do I look to find the answers?