

Health Care Reform: An Overview of the New Legislation

Satellite Conference and Live Webcast

Tuesday, December 14, 2010 12:00-1:30 p.m. (Central Time)
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The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act became law in March but how many people really know how their health care coverage will be affected, and as a health care provider can you provide answers to questions patients might have? Did you know the plan will greatly expand Medicaid, while cutting from the Medicare program? The law also requires all Americans and legal citizens to have health insurance and will penalize those who are not covered. Program faculty will take an in-depth look at the \$870 billion dollar plan and discuss the changes it will have on health care coverage.

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

1. Describe key elements of the legislation.
2. Discuss the economic and insurance rationales for the provisions.
3. Focus on the implications for Medicaid and employers.
4. Describe how the program is financed and the implications for taxpayers and Medicare beneficiaries.
5. Present a general timeline for implementation.

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CONFERENCE DETAILS:

Target Audience: Medicaid and Medicare employees and recipients, health insurance providers and recipients, physicians, nurses, social workers, public health officials, public health administrators, small business owners, anyone interested in learning more about health insurance changes

Continuing Education: Nurses 1 hour, Social Workers 1 hour

Registration: www.adph.org/alphtn

Technical Information: To receive complete technical information you must register at www.adph.org/alphtn.

Satellite - Live satellite conference on C band (analog).

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On Demand - Available 2-3 business days after the live broadcast from the On Demand page of our website.

Conference Materials: Posted on our website approximately one week before the program for registered participants.

Conference Details Questions: Call: 334-206-5618 | Email: alphtn@adph.state.al.us

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