



2018 Healthcare Bundled Payments Conference

Essential Strategies to Achieve Success in the New Era of Bundled Payments, Facilitating Valuable Provider and Payer Partnerships, Leveraging Risk Exposure, and Reducing Healthcare Costs While Improving Patient Outcomes

September 13 – 14, 2018 • Delano Las Vegas • Las Vegas, NV

Overview

The healthcare industry is undergoing tremendous and rapid transformation in order to substantially reduce healthcare spending while simultaneously improving patient outcomes and population health. Payment reimbursement models are transitioning at a furious pace from traditional fee for service payment structures to value-based models. Bundled Payments is at the forefront of payment reform and it is ushering in a new era of healthcare, further propelled by the recent CMS mandates. In addition to reducing healthcare spending costs, hospitals and health systems assume accountability for both financial and patient outcomes for the entire episode of care. Health plans are encountering challenges of how to process Bundled Payments claims and develop new infrastructures.

We have created a high-level forum featuring Providers and Payers who will share their insights and expertise on how to prepare and be successful with the new Bundled Payment models. This impressive program will include distinguished members from highly regarded hospitals, health systems and health plans featuring best innovative practices to utilize in today's rapidly evolving world of healthcare.

This is the only conference on Bundled Payments that will equip you and your organization with innovative strategies and tools to succeed in the new era of healthcare and payments. By attending the 2018 Healthcare Bundled Payments Conference in *Las Vegas, NV* on September 13 – 14, 2018, you will learn what highly regarded hospitals, health systems and health plans are doing to be prepared for the challenges that lie ahead in 2018 and beyond.

Intended Audience

From Hospitals, Health Systems, Health Plans, Medical Groups, PHOs, IPAs, Physician Practices:

Chief Executive Officers, Chief Medical Officers, Chief Financial Officers, Chief Operations Officers, Chief Compliance Officers, Chief Information Officers

Also, Vice Presidents, Directors and Managers of:

- Bundled Payments
- Health Reform
- Case Management
- Government Relations
- Value-Based Health
- Accountable Care
- Revenue Cycle
- Health Insurance Exchanges
- Utilization Review
- Coding
- Network Management
- Episodes of Care
- Government Programs
- Patient Financial Services
- Healthcare Financing
- Population Health
- Quality
- Finance
- Compliance
- Medical Records
- Auditing
- Risk

- Operations
- Clinical Operations
- Engagement
- Reimbursement
- Business Development
- Claims Management
- Payer Relations
- Hospitalist Services
- Clinical Documentation Programs
- Managed Care
- Medical Informatics
- Marketing
- Contract Administration
- Medical Management
- Care Management
- Provider Relations
- Outpatient Services
- Health Information Management

This program is also geared towards States, Government Agencies, Vendors, Healthcare Consultants, Solution Providers, Disease Management Organizations, Third Party Administrators, IT & Business Process Outsourcing Companies and Enrollment Brokers.

Agenda

Day One – Thursday, September 13, 2018

7:15 *Conference Registration & Morning Breakfast*

8:15 *Chairperson's Opening Remarks*

Ken Steele

Principal

ECG Management Consultants

8:30 A Successful Bundled Payment Program: Enhancing Operational Impacts, Measuring Outcomes, and Making Progress in a Fast-Changing Environment

Jake Yount

Director, Network Pricing & Expense Analysis

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina

9:15 A Proven Organizational Framework for Bundled Payment Success

Ken Steele

Principal

ECG Management Consultants

10:00 *Networking Break & Refreshments*

10:30 Successful Strategies to Implement an Effective Healthcare Bundled Payments Program

DaNita Weddle, DHA, PMP

Director, Alternative Payment Models

Trinity Health

11:15 Migrating from Fee-for-Service to Fee for Quality & Value: The Experience of Payers within Healthcare Bundled Payments

Kim Eason

Manager, Episodes of Care Program

Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey

12:00 Luncheon for All Attendees & Speakers

1:15 How Outliers and Social Determinants Can Drive Your Value Based Payments Strategies?

Ramesh Sairamesh, MS, Mphil, PhD

CEO & President

CapsicoHealth, Inc.

2:00 Panel Discussion: Examining the Impact of Behavioral Health on Effectively Managing Bundled Payments

Kim Eason

Manager, Episodes of Care Program

Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey

DaNita Weddle, DHA, PMP

Director, Alternative Payment Models

Trinity Health

Curtis Lowery, MD

Chairperson, Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology

University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences

3:00 Networking Break & Refreshments

3:30 The Evolution of Bundled Payments – Negotiating and Implementing Bundled Payment Agreements from the Ground Up

Thomas Aubel

Senior Director, Alternative Payment Methodologies

UPMC Health Plan

4:15 Implementing Effective Payer-Provider Relationships within Bundled Payments: Payer-Provider Collaborations that Drive Value in Care

Syed Akhtar, MD, MHCDS

Regional Medical Officer

CareMore Health

5:00 End of Day One

Day Two – Friday, September 14, 2018

7:15 Morning Breakfast

8:15 *Chairperson's Recap of Day One*

Ken Steele
Principal
ECG Management Consultants

8:30 Successful Use of Lay Navigators within Bundled Payments – Improving Quality and Reducing Cost of Care

Edward Partridge, MD
Medical Director & Director, Comprehensive Cancer Center
University of Alabama at Birmingham Health System

9:15 Managed Care Bundled Payments: Trials and Tribulations

William Munley
Administrator
Shriners Hospitals for Children

10:00 *Networking Break & Refreshments*

10:30 Examining Considerations for Implementing an Effective Bundled Payments Pilot

Ronald Walters, MD, MBA, MHA
Associate Vice President, Medical Operations & Informatics
MD Anderson Cancer Center

11:15 How to Respond to Bundled Care: Transforming Healthcare through the Use of Technology to Build a Distributed Healthcare Network

Curtis Lowery, MD
Chairperson, Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences

12:00 *Conference Concludes*

Workshop Session

Thursday, September 13, 2017 · 5:15 p.m. – 7:15 p.m.

A Road Map and Playbook for Implementing Bundled Payments: Implementing a Viable Bundled Payments Program to Boost Outcomes and Revenue

Are you participating in a bundle, but feel you could be more successful? Or are you determining if you want to move in this direction, but are uncertain of the effort required? This workshop, led by Huron Consulting, will take you through an interactive self-assessment exercise focused on the key pillars of success in bundled payment models: Cost & Margin Management, Clinical Variation Management & Patient Care Processes, Provider Alignment Strategies, and Patient Engagement. Participants will gain an

understanding of the critical success factors as well as a high-level self-evaluation of their organization's current capabilities in each area.

ABOUT THE WORKSHOP LEADER:

Hazel Seabrook, RN, MBA is a *Managing Director* at **Huron Consulting Group**. Hazel is the clinical market leader for Huron's Cost and Clinical Solution. In her current role she has the responsibility for directing complex projects from concept to fully operational status. Additionally, she works with the leadership team to identify and develop solutions to assist clients meet the demands of the changing clinical landscape.

Hazel, who is a registered nurse, has more than 30 years of experience in the healthcare industry. Under her leadership, Hazel has helped many hospitals and health systems realize long-term cost savings to enhance their operations. She joined Huron Healthcare in 2007 as a managing director.