

Ethics for Nursing Home Administrators:

A Focus on New Requirements of Participation, Fraud & Abuse Laws, OIG Guidance, Identifying and Investigating Abuse, Neglect, Exploitation, the Proper Use of POLST in the Nursing Home and Transforming Advanced Illness Care

April 21, 2017 | NJHA Conference and Event Center, 760 Alexander Rd, Princeton, N.J. 08540

Registration | 9 a.m.

Fee | NJHA/LANJ Members: \$59

Program | 9:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Non-members: \$89

Seminar | EDU 1719

Program Overview:

Nursing home administrators and others engaged in the management of nursing homes are consistently faced with complex, challenging and changing operational, clinical and legal situations that require a firm understanding of business and clinical ethics as well as federal and state compliance mandates. NJHA and LeadingAge NJ have partnered with the law firm of Epstein Becker and Green, the NJ Office of the Long Term Care Ombudsperson and National Quality Partners to offer this program that will satisfy the four hours of ethics content for administrator licensure.

It will focus on the corporate compliance and ethics provisions of the final nursing home requirements of participation, federal fraud and abuse laws and regulations, anti-kickback and office of inspector general guidance related to new business relationships, identifying and investigating negligence, elder abuse and financial exploitation, using POLST appropriately and transforming advanced illness care.

Objectives:

1. Learning the path to compliance with the corporate compliance provisions of the final nursing home requirements of participation published in 2016.
2. Understanding the risks inherent in even unintentional non-compliance with federal fraud and abuse laws and regulations, and how a facility can navigate the risks and ensure it is making the correct operational, financial and strategic decisions.
3. Understanding the risks under the anti-kickback and OIG guidance in topics ranging from swapping to joint ventures to relationships with hospitals and navigating the legal requirement to do voluntary refunds/disclosures under the federal 60-day rule.
4. Identifying negligence and understanding the signs of elder abuse and financial exploitation.
5. Learning how to appropriately use the POLST in nursing homes compared to the appropriate use of other advance directives.
6. Enhancing the nursing home's role in transforming advanced illness care.

Target Audience:

Nursing home administrators, compliance officers, risk managers, finance staff, department heads and clinical managers.

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New Jersey Hospital Association, Princeton, NJ

April 21, 2017

AGENDA

- 9 a.m. Registration
- 9:30 a.m. **Welcome and Overview**
- 9:35 a.m. *Anajana D. Patel, Esq.*
Epstein Becker and Green

Key Areas of Business and Operational Ethics

- Corporate compliance and ethics provisions of the final nursing home requirements of participation
- Federal fraud and abuse laws and regulations
- Anti-kickback and office of inspectors general guidance related to new business relationships

- 11:15 a.m. *James W. McCracken*
Long Term Care Ombudsman

Negligence, Elder Abuse, Financial Exploitation

- How to identify negligence, abuse and exploitation
- Properly conducting an investigation

- 12:00 p.m. **Appropriate use of the POLST in Nursing Homes**

- 12:45 p.m. **Transforming Advanced Illness Care**
Wendy Prins
National Quality Partners Senior Advisor

- 1:35 p.m. *Evaluation and Adjournment*

CONTINUING EDUCATION:

This continuing education program is sponsored/conducted by the Health Research and Educational Trust and is in compliance with N.J.A.C. 8:34-7.3 to provide licensed nursing home administrator (LNHA) and certified assisted living administrator (CALA) education credits accepted by the Nursing Home Administrators Licensing Board. This education activity may only be used for continuing education credit and not to meet academic college credits.

This education activity has been approved for **4.0** LNHA/CALA credits.

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DISCLOSURE INFORMATION:

Full disclosure will be provided at the educational activity.

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