CMS Hospital Surgery, Anesthesia and PACU Requirements: Are You in Compliance? - July 23
Date: July 23, 2020  Time: 9:00 AM

Location:
9 to 11 am
Webinar

Registration:
IHA Members: $195 per organization
Non-IHA Members: $250 per organization

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CMS revised the final anesthesia standards four times in two years. Did that leave you confused?

This webinar will review the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) hospital Conditions of Participation (CoPs) for surgery, anesthesia and post-anesthesia care units (PACU), including the most commonly cited deficiencies and how to avoid them. The program will cover important CMS memos that discuss medication management, IV and safe opioid use. You’ll also get insight into changes that affect history and physicals (H&P), informed consent, safe injection practices, compounding and beyond use dates (BUDs), and more.

The expert presenter, Sue Dill Calloway, RN, MSN, JD, authored a book on the CMS anesthesia standards and can provide clarity and answer your questions. She will review how the CMS guidelines affect sedation in the emergency department and the gastrointestinal (GI) lab, as well as the current interpretive guidelines regarding pre-anesthesia evaluations, post-anesthesia evaluation and anesthesia services. You will also learn the cause for delays of 10% of surgical procedure and how to avoid an average loss of $600,000 a year due to these delays.

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OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this session, participant should be able to:

- Recall that there are a number of policies and procedures required by CMS related to surgery and anesthesia services.
- Describe that CMS has a section that addresses PACU requirements.
- Recall that CMS has a list of things that must be included in the OR register.
- Describe what information is required for an informed consent and that it should be on the chart before surgery.
- Discuss the 48-hour requirements for the post-anesthesia evaluation of both inpatients and outpatients.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This program is designed for hospital and health system leaders and staff in:

- Compliance
- Clinical care (i.e. nursing, medical staff, anesthesiologists)
- Quality improvement
- Patient safety
- Risk management
- Health information management
- Legal affairs

SPEAKERS

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Sue has been a nurse attorney and consultant for more than 30 years. Currently, she is president of Patient safety and Healthcare Education & Consulting. She was previously the chief learning officer for the Emergency Medicine Patient Safety Foundation.

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