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Mental Health First Aid Training for Rural North Dakota Communities

QHA is providing Mental Health First Aid training to increase rural communities' capacity to use an evidence-based practice to appropriately recognize the signs and symptoms of individuals experiencing mental illness, respond to acute needs, and refer to additional available resources. The training is offered to the workforces of critical access hospitals, long-term care facilities, and community service providers.

This training also seeks to increase utilization of available behavioral health resources by increasing awareness of resource linking services through the development of awareness campaigns and materials to be used by Mental Health First Aid trainees.

See the attached flyer or visit ND Healthcare Partners Events Calendar for training dates.

NDHA's 2024 Daisy Nurse Leader Award Nominations

The NDHA DAISY Nurse Leader Award was established to recognize and honor nurses

who demonstrate exceptional leadership that aligns with the mission and values of the North Dakota Hospital Association.

In collaboration with the North Dakota Nurses Association, NDHA is now accepting nominations for the 2024 NDHA DAISY Nurse Leader Award and will announce the winner of the NDHA DAISY Nurse Leader Award at the NDHA Leadership Conference held on April 22-23, 2024, at the Baymont Inn & Suites, Mandan, ND.

Deadline for nomination submissions is 3/1/24. Please review the linked criteria prior to submitting and use this link to complete the nomination form: https://forms.office.com/r/A59xXABeYz.

Mark Your Calendars and Plan to Attend NDHA's 3rd Annual Leadership Conference

NDHA's 3rd Annual Leadership Conference is scheduled for April 22-23, 2024, and will feature insightful presentations on NDHA legislative priorities, workplace safety, and more. Select state legislators are being invited to be part of a panel discussion so stay tuned for more information!

The highlight will be the closing keynote by David Wasserman, the acclaimed senior editor and elections analyst for The Cook Political Report with Amy Walter. David, one of the country's leading election forecasters, will deliver the essential Road Map to the 2024 Elections.

The agenda will be finalized and registration will open in mid-February. The event April 22nd will feature the presentation of the NDHA Daisy Award, and networking with hors d'oeuvres and a bar. April 23rd will include a full day of presentations.

Hotel rooms will be available for the evening prior under the room block C-Suite Leadership. Please call the hotel directly at 701-663-7401 to make your reservations.

ND HFMA Annual Institute

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When: February 21-23, 2024
Where: Radisson Hotel, 605 E. Broadway Ave, Bismarck, ND

Who should attend?
Chief financial officers, chief executive officers, reimbursement and revenue cycle directors, business office managers, accounting managers, and anyone involved with patient financial services.

EVENT REGISTRATION
HOTEL REGISTRATION (Link only good through Monday, February 5th!)

North Dakota Society for Healthcare Risk Management (NDSHRM) February Webinar Announcement

The NDSHRM is hosting the following webinar in collaboration with Minnesota and Montana SHRM partners. NDHA member hospitals are invited to join. There is no cost to register.

ERM and Patient Safety in Hospital at Home Delivery Models
February 16, 11:00 a.m. CST

This presentation will discuss the development of HaH programs and how the care model works. We will discuss the rationale for the HaH program and how it aligns with objectives for access, safety, experience, and affordability. We will discuss enterprise risk considerations when setting up a HaH program and describe a sample quality and safety program to monitor and measure the HaH program.

Our Presenters

Maggie Neustadt, JD, CPHRM, FASHRM is the Vice President of Risk and Claims Management for Saint Luke's Health System, Western Region of BJC Health System in Kansas City, Missouri. As an attorney and clinical risk manager, Maggie directs patient safety activities for the enterprise and is responsible for managing exposures for the system's captive insurance program. Before joining Saint Luke's Health System in 2011, Maggie was Senior Counsel at Husch Blackwell, specializing in professional liability litigation.

Maggie is a speaker, author, and faculty member of the American Society of Healthcare Risk Managers, covering emerging trends in healthcare risk management with an emphasis on healthcare transparency practices. Maggie earned her certification as a Professional Healthcare Risk Manager from the American Hospital Association in 2017. She was awarded the designation of Fellow of the American Society of Healthcare Risk Managers in 2020.

Christopher Allman, JD, CPHRM, DFASHRM (President-Elect American Society for Healthcare Risk Management), is the Director of Compliance & Privacy for Medically Home, a national Hospital at Home Provider located in Boston, Massachusetts.

During his more than twenty-seven years as an attorney,Mr. Allman has focused his career on general health law, including all areas of regulatory compliance on the federal and state levels, healthcare risk management, and litigation. Mr. Allman is the author of "Case Law Update,"a column that appears in the quarterly ASHRM Journal and has also published articles on a variety of healthcare topics. He was a contributor to the ASHRM Healthcare Claims and Litigation Playbook, the ASHRM Leadership Playbook and an associate editor of the ASHRM ERM Playbook. Mr. Allman is also the 2024 ASHRM President-Elect.

Mr. Allman is a Certified Professional in Healthcare Risk Management (CPHRM), a

Distinguished Fellow of the American Society for Healthcare Risk Management (DFASHRM), a past president of the Michigan Society of Healthcare Risk Management and has served as an advisory board member for the American Society for Healthcare Risk Management (ASHRM) from 2020-2022 and has served as the Chair of the Advocacy Task Force from2012-2014 and on the ASHRM ERM Task Force. Mr. Allman graduated from Wayne State University Law School in 1996 and Hope College in 1992.

To Register
Please register for *ERM and Patient Safety in Hospital at Home Delivery Models* on Feb 16, 2024, 11:00 AM CST at:
https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/927139427438178390

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

Questions? Contact Cyndi Siders at csiders@sidershealthcareconsulting.com

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HHS Releases New Voluntary Performance Goals to Enhance Cybersecurity Across the Health Sector and Gateway for Cybersecurity Resources

Last week, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services(HHS), through the Administration for Strategic Preparedness and Response,announced new efforts in ongoing work to protect the healthcare sector from cyberattacks. What's new is a set of cybersecurity performance goals designed to improve the response to attacks and minimize residual risk. A recent analysis by HHS reports that federal law enforcement agencies are now treating cyberattacks on hospitals as "threat to life" crimes,and that rural hospitals face additional challenges, including antiquated hardware and software systems, rising cybersecurity insurance premiums, and securing talent with the right technical skills.

Read news release here.

Class Action Settlement Opportunities - Q1 2024 Report

See the linked quarterly report below from MCAG providing insight into current and pending class actions that could benefit your organization.

MCAG is a Strategic Business Partner of Hospital Services, Inc., d/b/a HSIsolutions, a subsidiary of the North Dakota Hospital Association (NDHA). Revenue share earned from Strategic Business Partner relationships helps offset the expenses of NDHA and strengthens the value of its programs.

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NDHA Education Calendar

All times listed are Central time.

OSHA Hospital-Based First Receiver Training
Limited to 30 spots at each location to sign up sooner than later!
Dates:

- Bismarck – February 27 – CHI St. Alexius
- Minot – February 28 – Trinity Health
- Jamestown – March 5 – Jamestown Regional Medical Center
- Dickinson – March 7 – CHI St. Alexius
- Hazen – March 26 – Sakakawea Medical Center
- Grand Forks – April 10 – Altru Health

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2024 Nurse Leadership Webinar Series
Dates:

1/25/24: Finance 101 for the Non-Financial Leader (recording)
2/22/24: Keys to FMLA & ADA Compliance
3/25/24: Mentor's Supercharge
5/6/24: NDHA Legislative Update & Advocacy 101

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- Webinars are recorded so you can sign up any time and receive the link to any webinars you may have missed!

February 2024

How to Appeal Insurance Claim Denials: Navigating the Maze
Date: 2/21/24 | From: 9:30 - 11:00 a.m.

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Analyzing Performance Issues
Date: 2/22/24 | From 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

- View description

Scout to See Ahead of the Game: Act Today to Create Tomorrow
Date: 2/29/24 | From: 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

- View description

March 2024

Empowering Rural Care: Dynamic Staffing Solutions and Retention
Date: 3/19/24 | From: Noon - 1:00 p.m. **FREE for NDHA Members Only**

- View description

April 2024

2024 Credentialing and Privileging Webinar Series with Kathy Matzka
Dates: Various | From: 10:30 a.m. - Noon

- View description

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