QUALITY ISSUES SYMPOSIUM FOR ASSISTED LIVING:
Quality: A Complex Challenge in Assisted Living
August 17, 2016
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The Business of Quality
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CONTENT
This program is specifically focused on the assisted living environment and the challenges of providing quality care to residents that have greater demands and who have more complex health issues. It will explore the development and implementation of systems that are critical in the delivery of care. Discussion will include the process of root cause analysis as it pertains to the quality improvement process and methods for auditing the results of systems implementation. Quality improvement projects will be presented in a case study approach with active audience participation.

OBJECTIVES
At the completion of the program, participants will be able to:
1. Describe the Quality Assurance Quality Improvement approach to the delivery of care.
2. Identify and explain the five elements of QAQI.
3. Identify the tools and resources available for the implementation of QAQI.
4. Define root cause analysis and explain how to use this tool effectively.

SCHEDULE
8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. ...... Registration
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. ...... Quality Assurance Quality Improvement Approach to the Delivery of Care
10:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. ...Break
10:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. ...The Five Elements of QAQI
12:15 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. ...... Lunch (included)
1:00 p.m. - 2:15 p.m. ......Tools and Resources Available for the Implementation of QAQI
2:15 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. ......Break
2:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. ...... Root Cause Analysis

AUDIENCE
This program is appropriate for administrators, nurses, and all staff in assisted living facilities.

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT
This program is appropriate for the educational requirement for assisted living administrators and direct care staff. This program meets the continuing competency requirements of six hours for the renewal/reinstatement of a Nebraska Nursing Home Administrator’s license as granted by the Nebraska Board of Nursing Home Administrators. This program meets the criteria of an approved continuing education program of six hours for nurses. Approval has been requested from the American Dietetic Association for six hours of continuing education credit for dietitians and dietary techs. This program meets the criteria of an approved continuing education program for social work. This program is appropriate continuing education for activity coordinators.

Participants must stay in the education program the entire time to receive full credit.

Nurses: Please bring your nursing license number with you to the training.

Nebraska Health Care Association is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Midwest Multistate Division, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.

Evaluation forms will be handed out at the beginning of the training. To successfully complete this training, attendees must complete and submit the evaluation at the completion of the training.

SPEAKER
Randy Kozeal, President, LTC Midwest, LLC, Wilber, Nebraska
There is no perceived or identified speaker or planning committee member conflict of interest.

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The Nebraska Assisted Living Association is a division of the Nebraska Health Care Association.

HOTEL ROOM BLOCK
For the August 17-18, 2016, programs, a block of sleeping rooms is available for the nights of August 16-17, 2016, at the hotels listed below. To secure accommodations of your choice, please make reservations as soon as possible. Ask for the Nebraska Health Care Association Group Rate!

HOLIDAY INN SOUTHWEST
Phone 402-421-1893
2500 Tamarin Ridge Road, Lincoln NE 68512
Rate: $81.99 per night
Release date: August 2, 2016
Direct access to reserving overnight accommodations available online. Directions at nehca.org (Events)

HAMPTON INN
Phone 402-420-7800
5922 Vandervoort Drive, Lincoln NE 68516
Rate: $89 per night
Release date: August 2, 2016

RESIDENCE INN
Phone 402-423-1555
5865 Boboli Lane, Lincoln NE 68516
Rate: $89 per night
Release date: August 2, 2016
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Thursday, August 18, 2016

CONTENT
Quality is a core competency for any health care organization with intention to survive over the coming decade. Partners are gained or lost based on quality measurement. Quality is also a payment metric in the CMS value-based payment programs, as evidenced by the upcoming 2018 SNF readmission measure. The CMS quality reporting program requires data submission on metrics likely to be utilized in future payment programs. Management must align these key clinical business drivers with operational understanding of how these quality measures must be monitored for future payment. In this program, the changing reimbursement landscape, acute care initiatives, use and monitoring of key quality metrics in payment, exploration of partnership potential, and the link to adverse event reporting will be explored.

Designed as an interactive program, participants are asked to bring a laptop, tablet, phone, or internet-accessible device for use during the program.

OBJECTIVES
At the completion of the program, participants will be able to:
1. Identify CMS methods for transforming from volume-based to value-based payment systems.
2. Frame the acute care quality initiatives and impact on the post-acute partnerships.
3. Explore quality standing of local hospitals and identify opportunities on Hospital Compare.
4. Identify and assess key metrics related to post-acute care partnerships and organizational position.
5. Identify current opportunities and barriers to partnership based on Nursing Home Compare data.
6. Define the measure to be used in the SNF 2018 Value-Based Payment Measure.
7. Utilize the Quality Reporting Program measures in considering potential financial measures and opportunities for quality improvement.

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10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. .....Acute Care Hospital Initiatives Impacting Post-Acute Care
10:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. ...Break
10:45 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. ...Hospital Compare: Interactive Activity
11:15 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. ...Post-Acute Care Partnerships and Organizational Position
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. .....Lunch (included)
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. .......Current Opportunities and Barriers to Partnership – Nursing Home Compare Data
2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. .........SNF Value-Based Purchasing Program and Measures
2:30 p.m. - 2:45 p.m. .........Break
2:45 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. ......Quality Reporting Program in Potential Financial Measures and Quality Improvement Opportunities

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SPEAKER
Cynthia L. Mason, LCSW, NHA, LHRM, Vice President of Provider Services, Providigm, LLC, Denver, Colorado

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REGISTRATION INFORMATION

PRE-REGISTRATION is encouraged. Registration at the door will be accepted only if space permits.

Registrants are billed as soon as a registration is received by NNFA/NALA. If an invoice is not received within three business days, please call 402-435-3551 to confirm that the registration was received by the NNFA/NALA office.

All NNFA/NALA Personal Associate, Business Associate, and Student Members; NHPCA members; LPNAN members; and non-members – fees must be paid in advance and must accompany the registration form.

Online Registration – Go to nehca.org
To register by mail, fax or email, use the attached registration form.

REGISTRATION FEES

QUALITY ISSUES FOR ASSISTED LIVING ONLY

Member* on/before August 2 ................$132 per person
Member* after August 2 ........................$157 per person
Non-member on/before August 2 .........$264 per person
Non-member after August 2 ...............$289 per person

Registration includes lunch, breaks and handouts.

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REGISTER FOR BOTH DAYS AND SAVE 10%!

QUALITY ISSUES FOR ASSISTED LIVING AND
QUALITY ISSUES FOR NURSING FACILITIES

Member* on/before August 2 ................$238 per person
Member* after August 2 ........................$263 per person
Non-member on/before August 2 .........$476 per person
Non-member after August 2 ...............$501 per person

*Member rates apply to NNFA, NALA, LPNAN, and NHPCA members.

Substitution, cancellation, and refund policies can be found at nehca.org.

REGISTRATION FORM

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August 18, 2016

Registrations Accepted Online or by Mail, Fax, Phone, or Email
NNFA/NALA, 1200 Libra Dr Ste 100, Lincoln NE 68512-9332
nehca.org • fax 402-475-6289 • phone 402-435-3551
education@nehca.org

To register more than one person, duplicate this form as necessary.
Please print clearly!

Facility ________________________________________________________
Phone ________________________________________________________
Address _______________________________________________________
City ____________________________ State _________ Zip ____________
Name_________________________________________________________
Title _________________________________________________________
Email _________________________________________ Fee $ ________

All Nurses: Nursing License #____________________

Aug. 17 - Assisted Living  Aug. 18 - Nursing Facilities  Both Days

Membership Type:  □ NNFA  □ NALA  □ Other

By participating in this activity, you grant NNFA/NALA the right
to release your contact information to a sponsor/commercial
interest organization. If you do not wish to have your name, mailing
address, and email address released, please check the box below.
□ I do not wish to have my name, mailing address, and/or
email address released.

If you have a disability that warrants special requirements,
please attach a written description of your needs.

If you have special dietary restrictions or requests,
notify us at least five days prior to the event.

Membership Status:  □ Member  □ Non-Member

Billing Information:
□ Check Enclosed  □ Cash  □ Credit Card  □ Invoice**

Cardholder’s Name (PRINT) _______________________________
Credit Card # _____________________________________________
Expiration Date__________________________ CVC # _______
Cardholder’s Billing Address, City, State, Zip __________________
Cardholder’s Email _______________________________________
Signature ________________________________________________

Your signature on the line above will authorize this transaction.

**See Registration Information

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