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Coming Events

1. **PQRS 2013 – Avoid the Penalty, Earn a Bonus** – Webinar - Tues, Dec 10, 12:15 p.m.
2. **Patient Reminder, by Clientell** – Webinar – Wed, Dec 11, 12:15 p.m.
3. **New Partners Services for the New Year!** – Webinar, Wed, Jan 15, 12:15 p.m.
4. **Meaningful Use Stage 2** – Webinar, Wed, Jan 22, 12:15 p.m.
5. **Healthcare Trends for 2014** – Webinar, Wed, Jan 29, 12:15 p.m.

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Services to help you!

- **MedLine Group Purchasing** – guaranteed minimum 8% savings; one office will save 28% on their purchases using this program. Contact us for a Purchase Savings Audit.
- **Medical Waste Savings** – offices are saving \$1000s! Why not yours?
- **Smart Pay** improves cash flow and reduces time-consuming collection efforts.
- **Patient Reminder** reduces missed appointments and lost revenue.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE! – Avoid PQRS Penalty in 2015!

Our last PQRS webinar for 2013 is next week. Learn how to use the DocSite registry to comply with PQRS and avoid the Medicare penalty. To save money, enter our discount code: **VIPPQRS13**.

Payer Contract Review is a benefit available at no cost covering major payer contract points.

Did You Know?

Up to 35% of the average medical practice's total revenue increasingly comes from patient payments, according to a McKinsey & Co report. It's important to have a written collections policy in place and to train staff on how to collect at time of service! Learn how our **SmartPay** program can help you.

Top Docs

94 members of Physician Partners were recognized by San Diego Magazine as Top Doctors in 2013, including Board members Dr. Ted Mazer and Dr. Jeffrey Sandler. Congratulations to all! See the list at www.physicianresourcecenter.com

Notables

- **Dr. Bobby Garg** is a Tough Mudder, contributing to the Wounded Warrior Program – congratulations on completing the course!
- **Dr. Nicole Nguyen** moved to 15725 Pomerado Rd., Ste 214, Poway
- **Dr. Joseph Stein** moved to 4060 Fourth Ave., Ste 500, San Diego
- **Dr. Jamieson Glenn and Dr. Timothy Peppers** opened 2 new offices: 320 Santa Fe Dr., Ste 300, Encinitas, and 6221 Metropolitan St., Ste 201, Carlsbad. New phone is 760-230-5188
- **Orthopaedic Specialists of North County** has a new office in Carlsbad: 6121 Paseo Del Norte, Ste 200, Carlsbad. Phone: 760-724-9000

Physician Partners is moving! We'll remain at 550 Washington, and move to #841, San Diego. Stop by and see our new digs!

Welcome New Members

Physician Partners welcomes 7 new members: **Drs Mimi Guarneri** (*Internal Medicine, La Jolla*), **Roger Kasendorf** (*Physical Medicine & Rehab, Carlsbad*), **Adrienne Lajoie** (*Gastroenterology, Encinitas*), **Ahmad Mansour** (*Gastroenterology, Encinitas*), **John Murphy** (*Orthopaedic Surgery, Kearny Mesa*), **Kevin Tan** (*Ophthalmology, Hillcrest*), and **Brenton Wynn** (*Physical Medicine & Rehab, South Bay*).

Happy Holidays from Physician Partners!

Physician Partners mission is to improve patient access by increasing the viability of physician practices.