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Good News – Physician Partners Members Named 2016 Top Doctors

Physician Partners members have once again been featured prominently in the list of SD County Top Doctors! 14% (nearly 100) of our members were recognized in 2016 – Congratulations! See the list: scrippsamg.com

Regulatory Updates

Final Rule – MACRA

Make sure to attend our Physician Resource Center Special Presentation on Nov. 17th – tomorrow! Learn how to be successful with MIPS and how MACRA final rules will affect your practice.

HIPAA Risk Assessment

It's that time of year. If you treat Medicare patients, you need to review your office policies and make sure you're up to date on HIPAA security procedures. To learn more and download a risk assessment tool, go to: healthit.gov/providers-professionals/security-risk-assessment

NEW Stuff

Senior Wellness/Medicare Open Enrollment

Scripps Affiliated Medical Groups is actively participating in Medicare Open Enrollment Campaigns, targeting seniors in San Diego County. Check out this infographic outlining the 4 easy steps to enrollment:

scrippsamg.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/11/Scripps-AMG-Medicare-Help-Infographic.pdf

Contact ashley@partnersdocs.com if you'd like copies of this helpful info for your patients.

Chronic Care Management (CCM)

CMS rewards physicians for managing Medicare patients with 2 or more chronic conditions. Learn how providing this program to your Medicare patients can increase revenue, and improve satisfaction of patients and staff, without the need for additional office resources or upfront costs. Contact: beth@partnersdocs.com.

Scripps Affiliated Medical Groups – Physician Benefits!

Comprehensive Digital Marketing for your medical practice is included in your Physician Partners membership dues! Thousands of visitors are hitting the website every month! Check your profile: scrippsamg.com

Other technology benefits include a free patient health app, Health Gorilla-Clinical Connectivity to LabCorp, Quest, Imaging Healthcare, & Scripps Labs.

Education & Networking Events

1. **MACRA Final Rule, MIPS, & ACO, Special Presentation** – Featured speaker: *Chris Emper, JD, MBA, MACRA expert & ParrCare Solutions Government Affairs Advisor*, Thurs, Nov. 17, 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m., Scripps Mercy Hospital, San Diego – West Auditorium
2. **PQRS 2016** – Webinar, Wed, Nov. 30, 12:15 p.m. (Having trouble using the Partners coupon? Contact us for help before you submit!)
3. **End of Year Gifting, by Absolute Solutions** – Webinar, Wed, Dec. 7, 12:15 p.m.
4. **Save 10% on Staffing Solutions, by Office Works** – Webinar, Wed, Dec. 14, 12:15 p.m.
5. **Office Manager Lunch, North County** – Thurs, Jan. 19, Scripps Corporate, La Jolla – SAVE THE DATE!
RSVP 619-359-6600

Missed a Webinar – Want More Info?

You can find past webinars and other useful information at physicianresourcecenter.com

Bottom Line Solutions from our Physician Resource Center

- **PhySource Solutions** – Our newest member offers revenue cycle management & coding services, and discounted coding audits.
- **Chase Bank** – New promo – Great benefits with Chase Ink Business Credit Card! Contact ashley@partnersdocs.com for more details.

Welcome 4 New Members

Welcome our new members: **Dr. Maria Castillo** (OBGyn, National City), **Dr. Radhika Hariharan** (Endocrinology/Diabetes/Metabolism, Escondido), **Dr. Marsha Martinson** (OBGyn, National City), and **Dr. Ilinca Vladescu** (Hospitalist, Encinitas).

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