OHA Adult Cardiac Catheterization Workshop: Changes Are Coming

January 22, 2016

Quest Conference Center at Polaris
8405 Pulsar Place
Columbus, Ohio 43240

Overview:
After several years of advocacy and collaboration, the Ohio Department of Health is promulgating revised adult cardiac catheterization (cath) regulations. The new rules will replace existing rules that classify adult cardiac cath labs as either low risk (diagnostic procedures) or high risk (diagnostic and therapeutic procedures).

New rules, expected to take effect by Spring 2016, will create three categories of adult cardiac cath labs: Level 1 diagnostic-only labs, Level II labs that can perform diagnostic procedures and percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI) without open heart services on-site, and Level III labs that can perform the full range of diagnostic and therapeutic procedures with open heart services on-site. This workshop will review those rules in the context of research regarding outcomes and patient safety, and also review the regulatory and legal context including compliance, ODH surveys including preparation and administrative appeals, National Cardiovascular Data Register and ODH reporting, and the opportunity for low-volume open heart services to close but continue performing PCI to serve local communities.

Who Should Attend:
Physicians, nurses, internal and external legal counsel, Cath lab managers

Agenda:

8:30 a.m.  Registration
9:00 a.m.  Welcome and Introductions
   Director Richard Hodges, Ohio Department of Health
   or Lance Himes, General Counsel, Ohio Department of Health

9:15 a.m.  Keynote
   Dr. Thomas Aversano, Associate Director of Johns Hopkins Cardiology at GBMC, Associate Professor of Medicine, Director of Atlantic C-PORT Projects
   - Data
   - Patient Safety
   - Quality of Care

10:15 a.m.  Beverage break
10:30 a.m.  New Rule Requirements and Legal Considerations
   Karen Smith, J.D., RN, Partner with Bricker & Eckler’s Health Care Group
   Chris Kenney, Director of Regulatory Services with Quality Management Consulting Group
   • Review proposed rules
• Waiver/variance consideration
• Necessary action to be compliant
• Recommended action for best practice
• Informed consent
• Transfer protocols
• Credentialing
• Peer Review

11:15 a.m.  Panel 1 Discussion: Patient Safety and Quality of Care

Dr. Thomas Aversano
Associate Director of Johns Hopkins Cardiology at GBMC, Associate Professor of Medicine, Director of Atlantic C-PORT Projects, specializing in cardiovascular disease

Dr. Barry George (invited)
Interventional cardiologist . . .

Dr. Dan Simon
Interventional cardiologist . . .

Topics to include:
• Quality of care
• Patient safety
• Considerations for low-volume open heart programs

12:30 p.m.  Lunch

1:15 p.m.  Survey process

Allen Killworth, Partner with Bricker & Eckler’s Health Care Group
Wanda Iacovetta, Ohio Department of Health, Bureau of Community Health Care
Review survey process
Identify common issues in recent survey findings

2:15 p.m.  Panel 2 Discussion: Regulatory Matters

Phil Ennen, CEO, Community Hospitals and Wellness Centers
CHWC is the first C-Port participant in Ohio. Phil is a member of the senior leadership team that worked with ODH to create the waiver option and to bring the Atlantic C-Port study group to Ohio. He currently serves as OHA’s representative on ODH’s Interventional Cardiology Advisory Group.

Steve Hack, RT. (R)(CV), RCIS
Director of cardiovascular services at Knox Community Hospital

Karen Smith, JD, Partner in Bricker & Eckler’s health care group with a general health law practice emphasizing general corporate, federal and state regulatory issues, Medicare provider-based matters, Medicare/Medicaid compliance, and physician contracting.

Michelle Love, RN, MSN, MBS, CCM
Director of Quality Management Services at QMCG with expertise in health care administration, physician practice management, quality improvement, risk management, peer review, utilization management, medical necessity, case management, Medicare coordination, patient safety, regulatory plans of correction and regulatory compliance, patient care outcome metric development and monitoring, and health care provider competency evaluation.

**Chip Glass**, JD, LLM (invited)
Office of Health Assurance and Licensure

Topics to include:
- Regulatory
- Survey experience
- Peer review
- Quality assurance, performance improvement programs

3:15 p.m.  Evaluations

3:30 p.m.  Adjourn

**CONTINUING EDUCATION**
The Ohio Hospital Association (OLN-0017-P) is approved as a provider unit of continuing education by the Ohio Board of Nursing through the approver unit at the Ohio League for Nursing (OBN-006-92) and provider unit status is valid through June 30, 2017.

**REGISTRATION**
The registration fee for this program is $175 per registrant for OHA member hospitals and corporate partners. The registration fee for non-members is $225. This fee covers all handout materials, lunch and beverage breaks. Return the attached registration form along with full payment to the **Ohio Hospital Association**, 155 E. Broad St., Suite 301, Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3640. Full fee payment must accompany registration. Credit card payments may only be submitted online at [www.ohiohospitals.org](http://www.ohiohospitals.org) select Education and then Educational Events and select your program.

**CANCELLATIONS**
A refund of registration fees will be made to those registrants notifying OHA of cancellation three (3) working days prior to program date. A $40 processing fee will be assessed against each refund. No refunds will be made after that date.

**Overnight Accommodations**
Registrants are responsible for making their own overnight arrangements. We have blocked a small amount of room at the Fairfield Inn and Suites by Marriott, 9000 Worthington Road, Columbus, Ohio 43082, 614-568-0770. The rate is $119 plus applicable taxes. Rate includes hot complimentary breakfast; high speed internet.

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