

# PACAH

Pennsylvania Coalition of Affiliated  
Healthcare & Living Communities

## 2020 SUMMER WEBINAR SERIES

### Brave New World: Navigating the Future of Long-Term Care

#### **FREE-OF-CHARGE for facilities and staff of PA**

The landscape of long-term care is constantly changing, and the novel coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) brings a new shift in how the continuum of care functions for providers and residents alike.

Join PACAH for a series of webinars designed to navigate new procedures and guidance, and provide timely and pertinent information on all aspects of facility management and resident care.

#### **REGISTRATION**

Visit [pacahpa.org](http://pacahpa.org) to register for each webinar individually.

#### **SESSION INFORMATION**

Session details are included in this mailing, and can also be found at [pacahpa.org](http://pacahpa.org).

#### **CEU INFORMATION**

Each individual webinar has been submitted, but not yet approved, by the National Continuing Education Review Service (NCERS) of the National Association of Long Term Care Administrator Boards (NAB) for 1.5 total each credit hours.

Each webinar offers 1.5 available credit hours fulfilling the requirements of the Pennsylvania State Board of Nursing. NOTE: If your license renewal deadline is 7/29/20, you can earn up to 10.5 credit hours)

PACAH is an approved provider through the Department of Human Services Bureau of Human Services Licensing, and is approved for 7.5 total credit hours for licensed personal care home administrators. See individual session descriptions for eligible sessions.

PACAH is registered with the Pennsylvania State Board of Accountancy and is approved for 4.5 total credit hours. See individual session descriptions for eligible sessions.

*Certificates of attendance will be distributed via email by August 7, 2020. NAB/NCERS CEUs will be uploaded to the registry per NAB/NCERS guidelines.*

## **EARN UP TO 12 NHA AND NURSING CEUS**

# 2020 SUMMER WEBINAR SERIES - AGENDA

## TUESDAY, JULY 14

### DEFENSIVE DOCUMENTATION

1 - 2:30 p.m.

NAB, RN, PC - 1.5 CEUs

In today's litigious culture, documentation in the medical record is the primary source utilized when it comes to trying defend the care and services that have been provided. This session is geared toward providing strategies and key elements in medical record documentation to meet the challenges of documenting.

Learning objectives will consist of:

- Review the role of the medical record in litigation.
- Describe key requirements of a defensible medical record.
- Understand how the medical record is used to prove/disprove allegations.

*Angela Huffman, BSN, RN, WCC, Clinical Services Coordinator  
Affinity Health Services, Inc.*

## WEDNESDAY, JULY 15

### THERAPY BEST PRACTICES TO SUPPORT FACILITIES DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

1 - 2:30 p.m.

NAB, RN, PC - 1.5 CEUs

During this chaotic and unprecedented time, it is important to not lose sight of the necessary job therapists must do to get their residents stronger, and back to prior level of function while, at the same time, support the facilities in their infection control efforts. Some residents are experiencing a disease process like never before, and therapy is essential in keeping them safe and healthy to progress through each plan of care. Collaboration with nursing, aides, managers, and families through education and systems will allow the residents to achieve a full recovery.

*Heather Meadows, CCC/SLP, Executive Director of PA, CDP Executive Director  
Premier Therapy, LLC*

## THURSDAY, JULY 16

### COVID-19 & THE IMPACT ON MEDICAID & MEDICARE: NAVIGATING & OVERCOMING THE CHALLENGES

1 - 2:30 p.m.

NAB, RN, CPA - 1.5 CEUs

The COVID-19 pandemic has caused changes in timing and procedures for Medicaid eligibility, guardianships, and the courts in general. The presenters will highlight the specific changes and explain strategies to efficiently achieve your facility's goals in this extraordinary time. We will discuss the changes to the Medicaid application, appeal, and redetermination processes caused by COVID-19, and provide tips to navigate them. Plus, there will be a discussion on the availability of emergency guardianships during this time. Finally, the presentation will address court closings, how long they will last, the types of hearings that continue during the closings, the effects on your facilities and residents, and methods to mitigate delay and other negative consequences.

In this session attendees will learn how to:

- Most effectively and efficiently obtain Medicaid eligibility for your residents, despite covid-19 challenges.
- Effectively navigate and overcome changes caused by COVID-19 to the courts' procedures and deadlines for guardianships.
- Effectively navigate and overcome changes caused by COVID-19 to the courts' procedures and deadlines for lawsuits.

*John N. Kennedy, Esq., Founder, President & CEO  
Benjamin J. Glatfelter, Esq., Shareholder  
Casey L. Slotter, Esq., Attorney  
Kennedy, PC Law Offices*

## TUESDAY, JULY 21

### PA WORKERS' COMP - COVID-19 - INSURANCE COVERAGE, PROTECTING EMPLOYEES, AND BASIC RISK MANAGEMENT

1 - 2:30 p.m.

NAB, RN, PC - 1.5 CEUs

This presentation will focus on Workers' Comp issues affecting healthcare employers, with useful information for investigating and handling claims based on positive tests by employees, and care for patients/residents with COVID-19. Basic risk management refresher for employers with concerns regarding general liability associated with workplace COVID-19 cases.

*Kenneth G. Scholtz, Esq., Shareholder  
Tucker Arensberg, P.C.*

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## WEDNESDAY, JULY 22

### UNTIL THE BALL DROPS: WHAT EMPLOYERS NEED TO KNOW ABOUT ADMINISTERING FFCRA PAID LEAVE THROUGHOUT THE REMAINDER OF 2020

1 - 2:30 p.m.

NAB, RN, PC, CPA - 1.5 CEUs

The Families First Coronavirus Response Act (FFCRA) will remain in effect until December 31, 2020, which means that employers will be administering this law throughout whatever the next wave of the COVID-19 pandemic may hold - including, for example, the impact of rescheduling activities in the "new normal" that had been on hold during stay-at-home orders, the possibility that schools will not reopen in the fall, and the potential second wave of the virus in the fall and winter months. This session will provide, free of legalese, a checklist of things that employers need to think about when their employees request FFCRA paid leave, explain some of the more nuanced provisions in the law, and walk through multiple examples to show how to administer the FFCRA in real life scenarios.

*Katherine Koop Irwin, Esq., Shareholder*

*Jeremy V. Farrell, Esq., Shareholder*

*Tucker Arensberg, P.C.*

## THURSDAY, JULY 23

### SKILLED NURSING FACILITY SURVEYS IN THE TIME OF COVID-19

1 - 2:30 p.m.

NAB, RN - 1.5 CEUs

Surveys as we knew them are temporarily a thing of the past, and according to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) on their April 15, 2020 national call, the new normal will continue until further notice. This session will provide information on a few things skilled nursing facilities (SNFs) need to know about surveys and enforcement during the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic emergency, and include any timely updates.

*Paula G. Sanders, Esq., Co-Chair - Health Care Practice Group, Chair - Coronavirus (COVID-19) Taskforce*

*Post & Schell, P.C.*

## TUESDAY, JULY 28

### TREATING AND PREVENTING COVID-19: WHAT HAS A PANDEMIC TAUGHT US?

1 - 2:30 p.m.

NAB, RN, PC - 1.5 CEUs

This webinar will be presented by a pharmacist and provide attendees with up-to-date information about the treatment and prevention of COVID-19. Every day we are hearing about additional treatments, studies, and progress with the development of a vaccine. This session will focus on providing up-to-date information, covering what is currently known about treating the COVID-19 infection. The review of current science won't stop there - we will also discuss other considerations when treating patients with active COVID-19 infections, such as isolation and medication administration. Using infection control protocols and governmental guidance to prevent the spread to healthy residents will also be presented, so that we can all learn from what this pandemic has taught us so far.

*Rob Leffler, R.Ph, Vice President of Clinical Services*

*PCA Pharmacy*

## THURSDAY, JULY 30

### NAVIGATING YOUR FACILITY'S FINANCIAL LANDSCAPE

1 - 2:30 p.m.

NAB, RN, CPA - 1.5 CEUs

This session will provide a general industry update, and discuss timely, relevant financial matters in relation to COVID-19 and the Cares Act. Industry update will consist of discussions around census challenges, labor shortages, PDPM, Medicaid Fiscal Accountability Regulations (MFAR), along with SNF Value Based Purchasing and Quality Reporting Program. COVID-19 Cares Act will also be included in the industry update, and will include discussions that evolve around the Payroll Protection Program and the loan forgiveness standards, provider relief funds, attestation requirements, quarterly reconciliations, and recent accounting pronouncements on how to account for funds received.

*Jennifer Cidila, CPA, Partner - Health Care Services*

*Brandon Harlan, CPA, Partner - Health Care Services*

*Edward Klik, Partner - Health Care Services*

*Michael Kessler, CPA, CGMA, Partner - Health Care Services*

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- Affiliation with the County Commissioners Association of Pennsylvania (CCAP), giving members an instant lobbying influence unparalleled by other associations
- An association seat on CCAP's Human Services Committee and commissioner liaisons to PACAH, providing policy support from local elected officials
- One "FREE Call" with expert legal counsel plus follow-up reduced legal services
- Opportunity to sit on PACAH's committees
- Regular email and newsletter updates on issues impacting long-term care for an unlimited number of staff
- Access to PACAH Listserv to discuss issues with fellow members
- FREE webinars with CEUs
- Regional meetings to discuss issues with members
- Discounted registration fees to PACAH's two yearly statewide conferences, offering NHA, PC, RC/AL, Fiscal, Nursing and Dietary credits and the opportunity to network and learn from premier experts in the healthcare and long-term care industry
- FREE quarterly fiscal staff meetings with OLTL staff, and more!

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