On December 8, 2006, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) issued a final rule on hospital Conditions of Participation on Patients’ Rights, including new requirements on the use of restraint and seclusion. The rule is effective January 8, 2007 for all hospitals participating in Medicare and Medicaid, including both general hospitals and freestanding psychiatric hospitals. The 50-page final rule is available at http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/01jan20061800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2006/pdf/06-9559.pdf.

To help hospitals understand and meet the new requirements, the National Association of Psychiatric Health Systems has organized a special telephone conference call. The presentation, including CMS staff as faculty, will highlight the changes in the regulation as well as the types of organizational changes that hospitals need to consider to ensure compliance. A representative of psychiatric nursing leadership will discuss the role of the trained registered nurse in the implementation of the rule. Also hear from a physician with responsibility for implementing policy for care of patients with behavioral health needs.

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