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Rural Hospital Federal Update Webinar

Date: Monday, November 10, 2014

Time: 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time (3 pm C, 2 pm M, 1 pm P, Noon am AK and 11 am HI)

Expected Webinar Duration: 45 minutes

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has released the outpatient prospective payment system (PPS) final rule for 2015, and the physician fee schedule final rule. The 2014 midterm elections are complete and Republicans have a majority in the Senate.

During this webinar, we will review the final rules and our advocacy agenda on several key issues, including: Recovery Audit Contractors; CMS's two- midnight policy, 96-hour condition of payment; direct supervision, hospital readmissions, and more. We also will review the outcome the election and what to expect for the balance of the calendar year and the 114th Congress.

Priya Bathija, senior associate director, AHA policy, will cover the final rules and Sarah Macchiarola, senior associate director, AHA federal relations will review the outcome of the elections and AHA's advocacy agenda for rural hospitals.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'John P. Supplitt'.

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