Are you registered for all of the upcoming events HTH and HTHU are offering? Be sure to review all of the upcoming events by visiting the Events page on our webpage at hometownhealthonline.com. Remember to share the upcoming dates with your team.

Get connected! Please contact a HomeTown Health team member if you are interested in joining the “HomeTown!” listserv.

**SPRING HAPPENINGS**

**Thank you for attending**

A special thank you to all of the hospital and business partner attendees that joined us at the 17th Annual HomeTown Health Spring Conference. You all had a hand in making the conference a true success. We were privileged to host the event and see rural community healthcare professionals coming together to discuss and plan for the changing direction of healthcare. All attendees can access the conference materials and resources by clicking here. If you have forgotten your password, please contact a team member and we would be happy to assist.

**Florida Treasure**

June marked the completion of the 5th Annual Florida Conference in Orlando, Florida. The participation and engagement of the Florida hospitals and business partners is, once again, what made this event such a success! Through review and education of financial, operational, quality and legislative processes, we were able to find hidden treasures in healthcare and unearth those gems for rural hospitals. Thank you for your continued service and support toward the survival of rural healthcare. All attendees can access the conference materials and resources by clicking here. If you have forgotten your password, please contact a team member and we would be happy to assist.

**Georgia Medicaid Fair**

Did you miss the live broadcast from the 2017 Medicaid Fair? Click here for Medicaid handouts and recordings.

**HR Virtual Conference**

Released May 2017 and available for purchase. Click here or visit the School of Revenue Cycle Management on ihthu.net to learn more about the 0.4 IACET CEUs that can be earned with completing this education.

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**HTC NEED-TO-KNOW**

**Hospital Transformation Consortium**

Did you miss the free informational Kickoff Webinar for the Hospital Transformation Consortium (HTC)? If so, please click here for the recording, or here for the Program Registration & Pre-Assessment.

Are you a SHIP participant? Are you looking for a program that meets all of the SHIP requirements? Are you interested in the latest education on topics like Financial Improvement, Quality and HCAHPS, or Technology? If you answered yes to any of these questions then the 2017-2018 HTC program is designed for your team! Don’t forget that direct funds can be used for this program as well.

This program includes:

- A MIPS Roadmap (Provider Alternative Payment Models/Merit Based Incentive Program) with Morris, Manning & Martin
- Quality Transformation: HCAHPS Mini-Series, Rural Health Clinic Clinical Quality Measures, and Quality Leadership Recharge Series presented by ICAHN
- HCAHPS Best Practices & Managers Toolkits from HomeTown Health
- Pricing Transparency: Focus on Chargemaster Series presented by HomeTown Health
- Cost Report Mini-Series & Supplemental Support Courses presented by Draffin & Tucker
- Clinical Documentation Improvement (CDI) Series presented by HCOS, The Dunnick Group, LLC, & HTH, along with a Rural Coding Specialist Support Course program
- Quarterly Coding & ICD-10 Update Series presented by HCOS
- Technology Transformation: Microsoft Office Staff Training

All hospitals that wish to participate should register for the program online, submit their contact information, and complete the Pre-Assessment Survey by July 14th. (This includes regular hospital registration, and also SHIP Grant funded hospitals. Additional details can be found in the webinar recording regarding these options.) If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to Jennie Price via email or another member of the HomeTown Health team! Let us help you reach your financial, quality and technology improvement goals!

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**FALL CONFERENCE**

**Save the Date!**

HomeTown Health 18th Annual Fall Conference

October 18-20, 2017

Callaway Gardens in Pine Mountain, GA

Mark your calendars!

**COMING SOON**

Have you registered for education? Click the linked titles below for more information and easy registration!

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**July 2017 Educational Opportunities**

**Monthly Georgia Medicaid Call:**
July 5th @ 10:00am Eastern

**Monthly Medicare Call:**
July 12th @ 10:00am Eastern

**2017 PAS Recertification:**
July 13th @ 12:30pm Eastern

**2017 Quality Transformation:**
MIPS Roadmap
July 17th @ 1:00pm Eastern

**2017 Financial Transformation:**
Four Key Roles for CDI: Role #1
July 18th @ 11:00am Eastern

**Rural Community Care Network & HIT:**
July 19th @ 12:30pm Eastern

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July 2017 Educational Opportunities Cont...

2017 Technology Transformation: Microsoft Mini-Series: Microsoft Word
July 21st @ 12:30pm Eastern

Florida Rural Hospital Webinar:
July 26th @ 11:00am Eastern

Leadership Retreat:
July 26-27 @ The Lodge at Lake Oconee
2017 HTH Leadership Participants Only

MedPerformance Webinar:
July 28th @ 10:00am Eastern

2017 Technology Transformation: Microsoft Mini-Series: Excel
July 28th @ 12:00pm Eastern

2017 Quality Transformation: HCAHPS - What does it mean for the community?
July 28th @ 1:00pm Eastern

August 2017 Opportunities

Monthly Georgia Medicaid Call:
August 2nd @ 10:00am Eastern

2017 Technology Transformation: Microsoft Mini-Series: Excel Advanced
August 4th @ 12:00pm Eastern

Monthly Medicare Call:
August 9th @ 10:00am Eastern

2017 BSC Recertification:
August 10th @ 12:30pm Eastern

2017 Financial Transformation: Pricing Transparency in Healthcare
August 10th @ 2:00pm Eastern

Leadership Finance Live Meeting
August 14th in Atlanta, Georgia
2017 HTH Leadership Participants Only

2017 Financial Transformation: Four Key Roles for CDI: Role #2
August 15th @ 11:00am Eastern

August 2017 Educational Opportunities Cont...

Rural Community Care Network & HIT:
August 16th @ 12:30pm Eastern

Harvard ManageMentor Program:
August 16th @ 12:30pm Eastern
2017 HTH Leadership Participants Only

2017 Technology Transformation: Rural Medical Home Network Series
August 17th @ 12:30pm Eastern

Georgia RSBM PPS Live Training (South)
August 17th @ 9:00am Eastern
RSBM Program Participants Only

Georgia RSBM CAH Live Training (South)
August 18th @ 9:00am Eastern
RSBM Program Participants Only

Quadax Business Partner Webinar:
August 18th @ 10:00am Eastern

CAH Quarterly Webinar:
August 22nd @ 1:00pm Eastern

Florida Rural Hospital Webinar:
August 23rd @ 11:00am Eastern

Georgia RSBM PPS Live Training (North)
August 24th @ 9:00am Eastern
RSBM Program Participants Only

2017 Quality Transformation: HCAHPS - Patient Satisfaction
August 25th @ 1:00pm Eastern

Georgia RSBM CAH Live Training (North)
August 25th @ 9:00am Eastern
RSBM Program Participants Only

Pinnacle Health Webinar:
“Solutions for Physician Recruitment During A Shortage”
August 25th @ 10:00am Eastern

HTH Navigation
HomeTown Health Interactive Maps:
The Georgia and Florida interactive maps are wonderful tools to utilize when planning facility visits or reviewing hospital demographics.

Click for Georgia  Click for Florida

Business Partner Highlight
Ask the Industry Experts
Have you had a chance to meet our new Business Partner Director, Sherri Ackerman?

Take a few moments to learn more about her on the HomeTown Health Team page. She can answer any business partner questions you may have, as well as help you connect with the industry experts with proven results.

With HomeTown, businesses are not just considered another vendor, they are partners; working with us to help provide resources and solutions to the rural healthcare market.

Interested in learning more about the HomeTown Health Business Partners?

Click here for a full list of Business Partners and HomeTown Health’s Business Partner Program.

Turnover Report
Resources to Stay Connected
As turnover in Georgia and Florida rural hospitals occurs, HomeTown Health will continuously assist in keeping you current and connected.

- For more information on hospital turnover, please review Becker’s Hospital Review Executive Moves page
- Interested in Georgia healthcare breaking news? Check out Georgia Health News
- Interested in Florida healthcare breaking news? Check out Health News Florida
For more information on HomeTown Health Business Partners, Members, and Events, visit our website at www.hometownhealthonline.com or contact:

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