

AGENDA

Tuesday, May 14

7 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.

Check-in and Breakfast

8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

"What's your REAL Job??" – Larry Minnix

In an era of great complexity in health care in general and long term care in particular, there are mounting pressures on leaders to comply with regulations, do more with less, and manage documentation. While these duties are an imperative, losing touch with the most satisfying parts of our work- our REAL jobs- can lead to burn out and career dissatisfaction. This session workshop is organized to help us rekindle appreciation for the most rewarding dimensions of our calling as leaders.

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

Break

10:15 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Pat Fritz – Mountain Pacific Quality Health

Pat will discuss the outcome of the 11SOW Collaborative work, NHSN reporting initiative, Culture Change Collaborative, antibiotic stewardship collaborative and antipsychotic medication measure challenge.

11:00 a.m. – Noon

Creative Staffing Models – Today and Beyond - Louann Lawson, BA, RN, RAC-CT, CIMT, Pathway Health Services

This session will provide LTC leadership with ideas on how to improve the staffing changes we face in our care centers today. Learn creative and exciting new ways to attract and retain staff.

Noon – 1 p.m.

Lunch

1 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Patient Driven Payment Mode: Prepare and Prevail – Louann Lawson

CMS has published the final rule for SNF Medicare Part A reimbursement for FY 2020. The Patient Driven Payment Model (PDPM) will replace the current RUGS IV classification system. In this interactive class, participants will learn the mechanics of the PDPM classification system. Each participant will leave class with an actionable plan for their facility.

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Nursing Competencies – Meeting & Exceeding Expectations – Louann Lawson

This session will provide nursing leadership and educators with guidance on creating clinical competencies in post-acute care.

3 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.

Break

3:15 p.m. – 4:30 pm

Purposeful Preparations for Phase 3 – Louann Lawson

This session will provide the participant with helpful information to prepare for implementing Phase 3 regulations related to the State Operations Appendix PP for long term care. While it may seem the first two phases included the most work, Phase 3 includes comprehensive programmatic changes requiring extensive training for staff members. Join us for this information packed session to help prioritize the next steps for compliance.

4:30 p.m. – 5 p.m.

The Secrets of Life – Larry Minnix

Based on his book, HALLOWED GROUND- Stories of Successful Aging", Larry Minnix will share the secrets of successful aging- and living- as gleaned from the lives of many people he has learned from over his 40 plus year career.

Wednesday, May 15

7 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.

Check-in and Breakfast

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

Interim Legislative Topics Discussion

8:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

Mike Ceballos, Director, Wyoming Department of Health

9:45- a.m. – 10 a.m.

Break

10: a.m. – Noon

LeadingAge Town Hall

Janine Finck-Boyle, LeadingAge

Nancy Hooks, LeadingAge

Nancy Bunot, Facilitator



Louann Lawson, BA, RN, RAC-CT, CIMT, is the Clinical Reimbursement Team Leader for Pathway Health. With nearly 40 years of long term and acute care experience, Louann has been an active member in the health continuum. As a registered nurse, Louann has held multiple clinical and leadership positions that provide her with extensive experience to support and to grow clinical teams. As a Pathway Health consultant, Louann is an educator who has successfully trained hundreds of professionals regarding MDS/Medicare/Medicaid processes, clinical quality initiatives, and reimbursement protocols. She conducts comprehensive survey and reimbursement audits as well as directed plans of correction. She also serves as an Interim MDS Coordinator and DON. Louann has spoken across the nation for multiple organizations and takes it upon herself to be an active member of the healthcare community. She is currently the Clinical Reimbursement Team Leader for Pathway Health.



Larry Minnix is the former president and CEO of LeadingAge. He led it for 15 years and has spent more than four decades in the business. All the while, the Georgia native has freely dispensed folksy morsels of wisdom that typically leave the receiver enlightened and grinning.

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