

# **COVID-19** Roundtable

Supporting Clients in the Health Care Industry



- Education
- Coaching
- Community
- Resources



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### **Topics for Discussion:**

- The impact of the COVID-19 crisis on the health care industry
- Essential information needed to advise your clients in this industry

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**Supporting Health Care Clients** 

### Areas of Support

- Emergency Funding
- Revenue Cycle
- Cash Flow
- Operations
- Compliance





### **Emergency Funding**

**Small Business Administration** 

Payroll Protection Program

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

Accelerated and Advance Payment Program

Department of Health and Human Services

- Provider Relief Fund
- Reimbursement for treating uninsured COVID-19 patients



### Revenue Cycle

#### Sequestration

- Suspension May 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020
- Extended through 2030

#### **Telehealth**

Expansion of CPT codes

HHS – Provider Relief Fund

Balance Billing



### Revenue Cycle

- Fee schedule
- Billing company
- Staff and processes
- Policies and procedures
- Reporting metrics



### Cash Flow

- Develop cash flow projections
  - Medicare Advance Payment Program
  - Delayed employer payroll taxes and tax estimates
  - Other deferrals
- Impact of revised operational and capital budgets on cash flow
- Provider compensation



### **Operations**

- Opportunity to make changes
  - Schedule
  - Services
  - Staffing
  - Office flow
- Evaluate profitability of service lines
- Cybersecurity and telehealth





### Compliance

- HIPAA
  - Enforcement discretion regarding telehealth
  - Enforcement discretion regarding release of PHI for public health purposes
  - Review Security and Privacy Rule policies and procedures
- Stark
  - Blanket waivers permitting certain financial relationships
- Physician oversight



# Questions



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