

Practicing Physicians Advisory Council

Hubert H. Humphrey Building
Room 800
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
200 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20201

May 19, 2003 - Agenda

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| 8:30 – 8:35 a.m. | A. Open Meeting | Michael Rapp, M.D.
Chairman
Practicing Physicians Advisory Council |
| 8:35 – 9:30 a.m. | B. Oath of Office
and Welcome | Thomas A. Scully
Administrator
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services |
| 9:30 – 9:45 a.m. | C. Opening Remarks | Tom Grissom
Director
Center for Medicare Management
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services |
| 9:45 – 10:15 a.m. | D. Status and Update | Paul Rudolph, M.D.
Executive Director
Practicing Physicians Advisory Council
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services |
| 10:15 – 11:00 a.m. | E. Physicians Regulatory
Issues Team (PRIT) Update
a. CMD Communications
b. 30 day physician visits
for PT services | Kenneth Simon, M.D.
Richard Lawlor, D.C., MBA
Medical Advisors
Office of the Administrator
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services |
| 11:00 - 12 noon | F. Volume Performance
Measures/ Volume
Intensity Adjustments | John Shatto
Actuary
Office of the Actuary
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services |
| 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. | Lunch | |

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- 1:00 – 2:00 p.m.** **G. Stark II**
1. Do you think that the physician self-referral provisions have had an effect on the patterns of physician referrals?
2. What changes do you want to make to the statute or the regulations?
- Paul Olenick**
Director
Division of Technical Payment Policy
Centers for Medicare Management
Centers for Medicare & Medicare Services
- 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.** **H. HIPAA Privacy Rule**
Cell phone communications
- Linda Sanches**
Office of Civil Rights
Jodi Goldstein
Office of General Counsel
Health & Human Services
- 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.** **I. Access to Physician Services**
- Renee Mentnech, RN, MSN**
Director
Division of Beneficiary Research
Office of Research Development & Information
Centers for Medicare & Medicare Services
- Kevin Hayes, PhD**
Medicare Payment Advisory Committee
- 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.** **J. Wrap Up & Recommendations**
- Michael Rapp, M.D.**
Chairman
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- Tom Grissom**
Director
Center for Medicare Management
Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services
- Paul Rudolf, M.D.**
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