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Ms. Salinski has disclosed that she does not have any relevant financial relationships with commercial interests.

Date: Wednesday, November 7, 2012
Target Audience: All Physicians and Practice Managers
Fee: CMS Members: Complimentary

Schedule: Registration & Light Dinner: 6:00 p.m.- 6:30 p.m.

Presentation: 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Location: Chicago Medical Society Bldg., 33 W. Grand, 3rd. Floor, Chicago, IL 60654

Overview: HIPAA compliance is becoming more of a concern now than it was prior to the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health (HITECH) Act. The HITECH Act not only imposed new compliance obligations, and stiffer penalties for non-compliance, on covered entities and their business associates, but it also opened the door for a new wave of government enforcement actions as the Act gave state governments the express authority to file suit in federal district on behalf of state residents for HIPAA violations. There were also several developments in 2011 which point to a renewed focus on HIPAA enforcement.

Desired Learning Outcomes: At the completion of this learning activity, participants should be able to:

- Modify their current HIPAA policies to comply with the HITECH Act.
- Promote awareness and proper procedures among their staff to improve compliance with the protection and security of PHI (Protected Health Information).

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Education (ACCME). The Chicago Medical Society is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

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