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Save the Dates!

Basics: September 19, 2019

Advanced: September 25, 2019

Location: Southfield Town Center Tower 4000 Southfield MI 48075

Register at: www.sshelpcenter.com/events



ANNOUNCING OUR FALL SEMINARS FOR HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS

Dear Subscriber:

First, I want to thank those of you who have called and sent emails suggesting how we could improve our seminars and what information would be most helpful in your practices.

We will hold our traditional basic seminar on Thursday, September 19, 2019 starting at 9 AM. We are again authorized to give 3 credits of continuing education to both social workers and case managers who attend the full 3 hour program.

The course entitled "Social Security Disability and SSI – The Basics" will cover the essential information explaining the differences and similarities of social security disability and supplemental security income. These are the 2 disability programs available to the seriously disabled. It is essential that all of you, as first responders to the most sick and vulnerable, are equipped with the basic understanding of these two Social Security programs. Our basic course will cover the how, when and where of filing the claim, the typical pitfalls that must be avoided, and how best to provide the medical information to SSA that will hopefully result in the claim being approved. We will go over our list of the 13 items where you, the healthcare provider, can make a vital difference in not only having your claimant approved for benefits but making every effort to have the approval go through as soon as possible. We have now added a 14th difference, namely, reducing the time it takes to get the claim through and paid.

If our basic seminar is not enough, and you are serious about getting as complete a foundation as possible, we are holding an ADVANCED seminar entitled, THE STUFF SOCIAL SECURITY DOESN'T TELL YOU. This course will be offered on September 25, 2019, 6 days after our Basic course, and at the same location and time.

You can register for the basic course on our website. If still interested in getting additional training, the advanced course will be available for registration after the completion of the basics course. The cost for <u>EACH</u> program is \$35.00. Both will start at 9 AM on the scheduled day and conclude at Noon. We are excited to offer this intensive training this Fall, and hope to see you there!

Thank you,

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