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Hospitals have reported surveyors showing up at their doorstep just to go over the three worksheets. CMS has issued many important survey memos related to safe injection practices and infection control. The Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) issued a memo on this topic on what hospitals are expected to do to comply with the CDC standards on safe injection practices. Additionally, all hospitals should be in compliance with all ten of the CDC safe injection practices. Do you know what these ten requirements are and how do you ensure you are in compliance?

CMS is placing a high priority on improving patient safety and the quality of care. This is consistent with their initiative, the Partnership for Patients: Better Care, Lower Costs, which is aimed to keep patients from getting injured or harmed while in the hospital setting. The goal is to reduce hospitals acquired conditions by 20%. CMS feels that hospitals in full compliance with the hospital CoPs will be in a better position to reduce healthcare acquired conditions.

Webinar Objectives

- Discuss that the infection control work sheets contain a list of items that will be assessed during the on-site survey in order to determine compliance with safe injection practices
- Describe that the CDC has ten standards on safe injection practices that all hospitals should be following
- Recall that every hospital should have a policy on safe injection practices and staff be educated on this
- Discuss that ISMP has published a 26 page guideline on IV push medication for adults

Target Audience

Infection Preventionist, Infection Control Committee Members, Pharmacists including the Director of Pharmacy, All nurses, Physicians, CNO, COO, Nursing Supervisors and Department Directors, Anesthesiologist and CRNAs, OR Directors, OR Nurses, Nurse Educator, JC Coordinator, Performance Improvement Director and PI Staff, CMO, ASC staff, Compliance Officer, Regulatory Compliance Director, Ambulatory Clinic Directors and Staff, Hospital Owned Physician Office Staff, OR Nurses, Radiology and Clinical Professional Staff, All Department Directors and anyone involved in safe injection practices
Webinar Outline
Safe Injection Practices

- All staff should be trained
- Hospitals should have safe injections practices P&P
- CMS Memo on Safe Injection Practices
- CMS Memo on 4 Infection Control Breaches
- CDC Memo on Insulin Pens
- ISMP IV Push Guidelines for Adults
- CMS IC Worksheet section on Safe Injection Practices

- ISMP guidelines on IV push medication for adults
- Ten cases MRSA
- Fungal meningitis cases
- EMPSF free memo on safe injection practices
- Single and multi-dose vials
- Hospital and ASCs infection control violations
- Masks must be worn when doing LP or epidural for pain relief
- CDC Guidelines on Safe Injection Practices
  - CDC’s 10 recommendations for Safe Injection Practice
- CDC Guidelines for Isolation Practices
- Nevada ASC violations of Safe Injection Practices
  - Reuse of syringes
- CDC Resources on Safe Injection Practices
  - Contamination of multidose vials
  - 5 cases failure to wear mask when inserting epidural line
  - Catheter flushing in oncology clinic and 99 cases HCV
  - Nebraska hematology/oncology clinic outbreak irrigating IVs from 500 cc IV bag
  - HCV
  - Accuchek glucometer contamination
- Joint Commission standard
- CMS Infection Control Standards
- Unsafe injection practices as a never event
- WHO Guidelines for Safe Injection Practices
- Infusion Nursing Standard of Practice
- ASC Quality Collaborative Toolkit
- APIC and other recommendations to include in policy
- Cleaning of glucascan and blood glucose testing equipment
- All hospitals and ASCs should have a policy on safe injection practices

About the Speaker
Sue Dill Calloway, R.N., M.S.N, J.D. is a nurse attorney and President of Patient Safety and Healthcare Consulting and Education. She was the past VP of Legal Services at a community hospital in addition to being the Privacy Officer and the Compliance Officer. She worked for over 8 years as the Director of Risk Management and Health Policy for the Ohio Hospital Association. She was also the immediate past director of hospital patient safety and risk management for The Doctors Insurance Company in Columbus area for five years. She does frequent lectures on legal and risk management issues and writes numerous publications.

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