# ACCC 2017 ONCOLOGY REIMBURSEMENT MEETINGS

Wednesday, August 30

Rochester, NY Hyatt Regency Rochester Wednesday, November 15

Richmond, VA Delta Hotel by Marriott Tuesday, December 12

Atlanta, GA Westin Atlanta Perimeter North





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Don't miss this free meeting, a benefit of ACCC membership. Non-ACCC members are invited to attend for the low registration rate of \$69.

You'll get a fresh perspective on oncology reimbursement issues, tools to strengthen your program, and information to help you weather market changes.

All members of the cancer care team who deal with oncology business and reimbursement will benefit from this meeting. Gain a comprehensive perspective in just one day of sessions:

- Hear the latest trends in oncology coding and billing, navigate changing regulations, and learn how to overcome reimbursement obstacles
- Find out how to optimize your patients' insurance coverage by expanding access and eliminating barriers—helping to save money for your patients and program
- Gain practical management how-to's for increasing efficiencies through the proper management of financial data
- Discover strategies for the practical application of radiation oncology CPT codes in physician office and hospital settings
- Learn how to smoothly transition to new quality data reporting requirements under MACRA's Merit-Based Incentive Program System (MIPS) and Advanced Alternative Payment Models (APMs)



II This was my first meeting and I was completely impressed: free registration (wow), timely sessions, engaging speakers. Well done.



## **ABOUT**

#### THE ASSOCIATION OF COMMUNITY CANCER CENTERS

**The Association of Community Cancer Centers (ACCC)** is the leading advocacy and education organization for the multidisciplinary cancer care team. More than 23,000 cancer care professionals from over 2,500 hospitals and practices nationwide are affiliated with ACCC. Providing a national forum for addressing issues that affect community cancer programs, ACCC is recognized as the premier provider of resources for the entire oncology care team. Our members include medical and radiation oncologists, surgeons, cancer program administrators and medical directors, senior hospital executives, practice managers, pharmacists, oncology nurses, radiation therapists, social workers, and cancer program data managers. Not a member? Join today at accc-cancer.org/membership or email membership@accc-cancer.org.

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Registration/Breakfast in Resource Center 8:00 - 9:00 am

Introduction & Welcome 9:00 - 9:15 am

Oncology Coding Updates 9:15 - 10:15 am

Cindy Parman, CPC, CPC-H, RCC

Coding Strategies, Inc.

The 2017 Medicare rules bring significant changes, including place-of-service modifiers, an increase in oncology Comprehensive-APCs, shifts in radiation oncology payment classifications, expanded packaging in the hospital outpatient department, more IMRT inclusive services, and preparation for Appropriate Use Criteria using Clinical Decision Support Mechanisms. This fast-paced session will provide tools to navigate the regulations that impact oncology coding and billing.

Break in the Resource Center 10:15 - 10:45 am

Important Data Points for Your Cancer 10:45 - 11:45 am Program's Financial Health

Ricky Newton, CPA

Cancer Specialists of Tidewater

Managing data to track the performance of your program and implement sound financial strategies is mandatory in today's economic environment. Gain practical management how-to's for increasing efficiencies of revenue cycle management, accounts receivable auditing policies, and payer contracting.

11:45 am - 12:45 pm What You Need to Know about Reporting **Under MACRA's Mandatory Quality Payment** Program

> Michael Marron-Stearns, MD, CPC, CFPC Apollo HIT, LLC

The Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act of 2015 (MACRA) streamlined three Medicare quality programs into two tracks: the Merit-Based Incentive Program System (MIPS) and Advanced Alternative Payment Models (APMs). Acquire strategies for generating and reporting data to cover attestation under these value-based reimbursement programs. Learn what you should be doing now to help your cancer program smoothly transition to quality data reporting requirements under MACRA.

12:45 – 1:45 pm Lunch in the Resource Center

Financial Counseling: Optimize Patient 1:45 - 2:45 pm Insurance

Dan Sherman, MA, LPC

The NaVectis Group

Financial toxicity is one of the leading side effects of cancer care treatment. With a growing underinsured patient population and rising costs of care, the need to educate patients about their cost-sharing responsibilities is critical. Gain insight to optimize your patients' insurance coverage by expanding access and eliminating barriers—helping to save money for your patients and program.

Prepare for Reimbursement Challenges 2:45 - 3:45 pm of the Next 12 Months

Ron DiGiaimo, MBA, FACHE

Revenue Cycle Inc.

The next two years will be pivotal for oncology coding and reimbursement. As we prepare to convert to new coding for Radiation Oncology MPFS in 2019, correct documentation will be crucial for determining and supporting medical necessity. Hear an in-depth review of coding and reimbursement trends, including financial counseling, compliance, and authorizations in medical and radiation oncology. Gain tactical knowledge to support your department and help overcome reimbursement obstacles.

3:45 - 4:00 pmClosing Remarks

> Jennifer A. Wilson, MBA, CAE Association of Community Cancer Centers

Agenda and session times subject to change.



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II The opportunity to network with other oncology professionals and discuss current challenges was invaluable. //

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