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Part 1 Preventing Adverse Events in Nursing Homes: Working Together to Keep Residents Safe

Friday, Jan. 31, 2020 | 12:30-1 p.m. MT | 11:30 a.m.-noon PT

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According to an Office of Inspector General (OIG) report, more than one-third of Medicare beneficiaries experienced some form of adverse event or temporary harm during a skilled nursing facility stay. Nearly 60% of these events were likely preventable and over half of the residents experiencing harm returned to a hospital for treatment as a result. Join **Jennifer Pettis** for the first segment of a two-part deep dive into common adverse events in nursing homes and the personal and financial costs of these incidents.

About the Presenter



Jennifer Pettis, MS, RN, CNE, WCC, is associate director of the long-term care program for Nurses Improving Care for Healthsystem Elders (NICHE) at the New York University Meyers College of Nursing. Established in 1992, NICHE is the leading nurse-driven program designed to help hospitals and health care organizations improve the care of older adults. She has extensive clinical, managerial, consulting, and training experience, including as a consultant to the Division of Nursing Homes at CMS.

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