

MISSISSIPPI  
**RURAL HEALTH**  
ASSOCIATION



## **Rural Health Clinic Conference**

May 26 & 27, 2022

*Virtual*

**May 26, 2022**

1:00 p.m.      **Mississippi Legislative and Policy Updates**  
Ryan Kelly

This session will explore rural health-related bills on the local and national level, in addition to a highlight new billing codes and compliance policies for rural health clinics.

2:00 p.m.      **Panel Discussion: Obesity, Diabetes and Cardiovascular Disease Prevention and Management in Rural Health Clinics**  
Speakers TBD

This panel discussion will feature several member clinics in Mississippi focused on chronic disease management and prevention in the rural health clinic.

3:00 p.m.      **HCC and Social Determinants of Health**  
Julie Scott, ArchProCoding

This session will continue the discussion of the previous panel on chronic disease management and focus on the underlying element of social determinants and HCC coding for improved documentation and coding in the RHC.

4:00 p.m.      **How the Culture of Telehealth is a Different Mindset**  
Becky Sanders, MBA

This session will detail opportunities and expectations for providing care in the RHC via telehealth to patients.

5:00 p.m.      **Adjourn Day 1**

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**May 27, 2022**

1:00 p.m.     **RHC Billing Update: Mental health, telehealth, & hospice**  
Patty Harper, Inquiseek

This billing update will focus on mental health, hospice care and telehealth codes and reimbursement.

2:00 p.m.     **MS Opioid Prescribing Regulations**  
*Jordon Hillhouse, CPS, Mississippi Public Health Institute*

*This session will update members on Mississippi prescribing regulations related to opioid medications.*

3:00 p.m.     **Strategies to Avoiding Ransomeware**  
*John Mark Casey, BCI*

*Ransomeware is everywhere! This session will educate members on the different types of ransomeware affecting clinics and how to spot and avoid these traps.*

4:00 p.m.     **Linking Clinical Care and Community Health to Improve Health Outcomes in Mississippi**  
Getty Israel

This session will demonstration how the union of clinical care and public / community health can provide improved outcomes for patients in Mississippi.

5:00 p.m.     **Adjourn Conference**