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MDS TRAINING WORKSHOPS

MDS Basic Part I and MDS Basic Part II Workshops



Presenter

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Meeting Details

MDS Basic Part I - April 22nd - 23rd (In Person)
MDS Basic Part II - May 20th - 21st (Virtual)
You can sign up for one or both!

Day 1 - 10:00 AM to 4:30 PM
Day 2 - 8:00 AM to 2:30 PM

Location MDS Part I: RSCK Relators of South Central Kansas, 170 Dewey St., Wichita, KS 67202
MDS Basic Part II: Virtual

All AITs get a 10% discount just contact KHCA to sign up today!

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April 22- 23 (RSCK-Wichita)

MDS Basic Part I Workshop

Topics Covered:

- Introduction to the RAI Process
- Role of the MDS in the Long Term Care Survey Process (LTCSP)
- Line-by-line coding instructions for crucial sections typically done by the MDSC where instructions can be confusing: Interview Skills, MDS Sections B, GG, H,I, J, M, N, O, and P. (Note: Only the specified MDS sections will be covered.)
- Care Area Assessments (CAA) and Care Planning
- OBRA Scheduling

May 20-21 (Virtual)

MDS Basic Part II Workshop

Topics Covered:

- Quality Measurement in a Nursing Facility
- Using the MDS-based QM Manual to interpret and facility and resident level QM reports
- Five-Star Rating System
- SNF Value Based Purchasing
- SNF Quality Reporting Program (QRP)
- Patient-Driven Payment Model (PDPM) and PPS Scheduling
- Medicare in a SNF
- Kansas: MDS role in Medicaid payment

Who Should Register?

MDS Basic Part I Workshop - Perfect for new administrators and AITs to increase their knowledge on how the federally mandated resident assessment tool determines Reimbursement and monitors National Quality of Care. This two-day MDS Basic Part I workshop is designed for new MDS Coordinators and interdisciplinary team members who are looking to strengthen their knowledge, confidence, and competence in the MDS process.

MDS Basic Part II Workshop - This two-day MDS Basic Part II workshop is designed for MDS Coordinators with at least six weeks of experience who are ready to build on their foundational knowledge. Participants will deepen their understanding of MDS coding and explore how accurate coding impacts quality measures, reimbursement, and resident outcomes.

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Judy Wilhide Brandt, known for her ability to comprehend and explain complex issues in ways that are easy to understand, serves as an advisor, auditor, and trainer for multiple long term care providers across the country. She has over 25 years of experience in positions of increasing responsibility in nursing facilities as a nurse manager, executive, and consultant. She has been a State surveyor and RAI Manager for the Commonwealth of Virginia. She is a nationally known speaker, trainer, and author.

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Agenda

MDS Basic Part I Workshop- RSCK, 170 W. Dewey St., Wichita, KS 67202

Wednesday, April 22 from 10:00 am – 4:30 pm	
10:00 am – 12:30 pm	• Introduction to RAI Process • RAI Regulatory Requirements • Interview Skills • Coding Sections G, H, I, J, M, N, O, and P • MDS in the Survey Process
12:30 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch provided
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Line-by-Line Coding (continued)
2:30 pm – 2:45 pm	Break
2:45 pm – 4:30 pm	Line-by-Line Coding (continued)
Thursday, April 23 from 8:00 am – 2:30 pm	
8:00 am – 10:00 am	• Line-by-Line Coding • CAA and Care Planning • Medical Review in a SNF
10:00 am – 10:15 am	Break
10:15 am – 12:00 pm	• CAA and Care Planning • New Requirements for RAI and Care Planning
12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	Lunch provided
12:30 pm – 2:30 pm	OBRA Scheduling

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MDS Basic Part II Workshop - Virtual Live

Wednesday, May 20 from 10:00 am – 4:30 pm	
10:00 am – 12:30 pm	Medicare in a SNF/PDPM
12:30 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	PDPM
2:30 pm – 2:45 pm	Break
2:45 pm – 4:30 pm	SNF - QRP & VBP
Thursday, May 21 from 8:00 am – 2:30 pm	
8:00 am – 10:00 am	• Quality Measurement in a SNF, how to interpret the MDS 3.0 Facility/Resident Level QM reports, Explanation of major QM specifications
10:00 am – 10:15 am	Break
10:15 am – 12:00 pm	• Continue discussion of quality measurement • Five-Star Rating System
12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	Lunch
12:30 pm – 2:30 pm	Role of MDS in Kansas Medicaid

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Continuing Education

Nurses: The Kansas Healthcare Association is approved as a provider of continuing nursing education by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. Each offering is approved for 13 contact hour applicable for RN and LPN relicensure (KSBN LT0030-0338)

Administrators: Each course is approved for 13 continuing education credit hours for Kansas licensed adult care home administrators by the Kansas Department Aging and Disability Services. KDADS Health Occupations Credentialing sponsorship number LTS-A0001.

Operators: This course offering is approved for 13 continuing education clock hours for the Kansas registered operators in the core area of Administration by the Kansas Department of Aging and Disability Services. KDADS Health Occupations Credentialing Approved Sponsorship number: LTS-A0001.

Social Workers: This course is approved for 13 hours of continuing education hours for Kansas licensed Social Workers by the Kansas Behavioral Sciences Regulatory Board. Approval number: 17-006.

Dietitians: This course is approved for up to 13 continuing education clock hours for Kansas Licensed Dietitians by the Kansas Department of Aging and Disability Services. KDADs Health Occupations Credentialing Approved Sponsorship Number: LTS-A0002.

CE's will be provided to those that complete a registration and the follow-up attendance verification form.

Cancellation Policy

When written notice is received at least 5 days prior to the workshop a refund will be given minus an administrative fee of 25%. Attendee substitutions are permitted. You are responsible for cancelling any hotel reservations you have made.

Cancellations made within 48 hours of the in-person event will NOT receive a refund. An attendee substitution is recommended. Special dispensation will be given with proof of survey during the training dates.

Registration Fees

MDS Basic Part I Workshop| April 22-23, 2026 Member $325 | Non-Member $450 **Seating is Limited**	MDS Basic Part II Workshop| May 20-21, 2026 Member $325 | Non-Member $450

*Material will be emailed to registered participants. Printed copies of materials will not be provided.