

THE NEW MEDICAID COMPLIANCE PROGRAM

OMIG*, SED* and the DOH are required to protect the integrity of the Medicaid in Education Program, by preventing instances of improper Medicaid payments before they are made, and by recovering inappropriate payments made to providers.

Hal Matott, from the New York State Education Department, Office of Operations, and Management Services, Medicaid in Education, will be presenting to Nassau BOCES districts on November 24th, the new requirements that school districts must adhere to.

The requirements to be discussed are:

1. Medicaid Compliance Program – Mandatory for districts who claim \$500,000 or more, recommended for all other districts
2. Selection of a Compliance Officer – Mandatory for all districts who bill Medicaid
3. Confidential Disclosure Policy – Mandatory for all districts
4. Certification Training – Mandatory Medicaid Certification for all “relevant employees”

On a positive note, we are expecting your percentages of the federal share to increase. This means that districts may be receiving more money back on their claims.

* SED Confidential Disclosure Policy and Commitment to Compliance docs are listed at:
http://www.oms.nysed.gov/medicaid/news_announcements/home.html

*Office of the Medicaid Inspector General
www.omig.state.ny.us

The OMIG has also posted a Frequently Asked Questions
<http://www.omig.state.ny.us/data/content/view/79/65>

Tuesday November 24, 2009

8:30am – 11:00am

Nassau BOCES Conference Center

One Merrick Avenue

Westbury, NY

Conference Room #1, 2 &3

The following School Personnel are highly encouraged to attend:

- ◆ District Business Manager
- ◆ Director of Special Education
- ◆ Medicaid Data Entry Person

Please **RSVP** by **November 13, 2009** via email to:

Medicaid Helpdesk: medicaid@mail.nasboces.org

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