



# TACHC Weekly Wrap-Up

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### **March/April TACHC CPI Webcast Series: The Privacy and Security of Patient Information**

If you missed Part 1 of TACHC's March/April CPI Webcast Series: The Privacy and Security of Patient Information, you can still access the recording and participate in Part 2 on April 25th by registering [HERE](#). The recording will be sent to you via email within 4 business days of the webcast, so you can submit the homework and get feedback on that homework in Part 2. Please note that the homework for this series will get you started on the risk assessment of the security of your information technology, an item currently the focus of healthcare provider audits by the federal HIPAA regulator, the Office of Civil Rights. We plan to offer continuing education credits for Part 2. Questions? Contact [Cecile](#)

**Carson** at TACHC.

### **ICD-10CM Clinical Webcast Series**

Each Wednesday in June 2014, 12 PM-1:30 PM (CST)

Target Audience: Clinicians

\$200, all four webcasts (Members Price)

\$300, all four webcasts (Non-Members Price)

- Guidelines & Overview of ICD-10CM
- FQHC-Pertinent Sections of Coding Manual
- How to Code, Part 1
- How to Code, Part 2

Register **HERE**. Questions? Contact **TACHC Director of Clinical Affairs Davelyn Eaves Hood**.

## **GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE**

**March/April TACHC CPI Webcast Series: The Privacy and Security of Patient Information**

See **Upcoming Events**.

## **CLINICAL AFFAIRS**

**ICD-10CM Clinical Webcast Series**

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## **GROUP PURCHASING**

**TACHC 340Better Contract with Merck**

TACHC is thrilled to announce a new contract available on the 340Better pharmacy program with Merck. **Effective April 1, 2014**, the TACHC 340Better pharmacy program will have available Merck's Dulera, Nexplanon and NuvaRing. Click **HERE** for more information.

## **OUTREACH**

**New Bilingual Videos Explain the Marketplace to Consumers**

Time is of the essence. **Open Enrollment for the 2014 Marketplace ends March 31st**. Through My Texas My Health, TACHC and Cultural Strategies have produced two short videos in English and Spanish to explain the Marketplace. The videos are meant for Open Enrollment and BEYOND. Play the videos in your waiting rooms, at health fairs, and at other outreach events. DVDs have been sent to all Texas health center Certified Application Counselors (CACs). You can also access the videos **HERE**. **Post them on your website, your Facebook page, and other social media outlets! Get them out into your communities!**

Questions? Contact TACHC's **Sonia Lara**.

## R&R

### **Dentistry Recruiting Event - Reply by Friday, March 21st**

With great enthusiasm, we continue in our mission to support member organizations in fulfilling their clinical and administrative staff workforce needs.

**TACHC recruitment staff will be speaking with students at the Baylor School of Dentistry in Dallas this March 27th.** If your center has a **new Dentistry opportunity** that you would like us to help you recruit for at this event, click **HERE** and complete the easy online position profile **by COB Friday, March 21st.** Have questions or need assistance? Contact **April Sartor, TACHC Recruitment Dept. Program Assistant.**

### **DEADLINE EXTENDED: NHSC 2014 Loan Repayment Program Application**

Please share the following with providers who may be interested in loan repayment opportunities. The National Health Service Corps (NHSC) program provides loan repayment assistance to licensed primary care medical, dental, and mental and behavioral health providers who work in areas of great need.

**The deadline to submit applications is now 6:30 pm CT, March 24, 2014.**

Please refer applicants to the **2014 Application and Program Guidance** to review program requirements and encourage them to visit the **application checklist on the NHSC website.** Additional questions can be addressed to the Customer Care Center at 1-800-221-9393. Go straight to the **Application Portal** to apply now.

## NEWS

Please help us congratulate **Paula Gomez, executive director of Brownsville Community Health Center**, for her induction into the **NACHC Advocacy Hall of Fame** during the NACHC P&I conference! This is the most prestigious of all health center advocacy awards. Paula was awarded this honor at the NACHC Reception at the Newseum on Thursday, March 20th.

Congratulations to **Wellness Pointe** for receiving **PCMH Level 1 Recognition** from the National Committee for Quality Assurance for their Pediatric Department!

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