



8TH ANNUAL Telehealth Summit of South Carolina

**FREE One Day
Pre-Conference
Sessions**

at the Columbia Metropolitan
Convention Center

**Tuesday, March 31st
1:00-4:00pm**

Sessions are concurrent (select one session).
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SESSION A

Telehealth Billing and Compliance Bootcamp

While telehealth has been around for quite some time, payers have only recently begun to acknowledge the benefits and are slowly expanding the coverage for these services to their beneficiaries. As coverage expands, it is important for health care providers and staff to understand billing and compliance rules. This presentation is intended to be an intense overview or "bootcamp" which will provide essential information about billing and compliance for telehealth services.

SESSION B

TelePresenter Certification

Don't miss this free training on best practices for provider and patient sites such as how to "present" the patient during a telehealth examination. This training will highlight key components to enhancing the quality of the telehealth encounter from the perspectives of the health care community, the telehealth provider and the patient. It will include information about telehealth etiquette and "webside" manner as well as tips to facilitate patient satisfaction with telehealth interactions.

SESSION C

School-Based Telehealth

Telehealth is changing how schools deliver health care services for both students and faculty. School-Based Telehealth is a delivery method that not only increases health care access and improves health outcomes, it reduces travel time, costs and absenteeism from school and work. With improved access to primary care, chronic disease management, and mental health services through telehealth, students no longer have to leave the school setting to visit a health care provider. This session will describe how to set up a school-based telehealth program and provide lessons learned from some successful school-based programs.

SESSION D

Telemental Health

Telemental Health is quickly becoming the norm. It doesn't mean the end of face to face visits, but telemental health has proven to be an integral part of ongoing mental health therapy. It is about access to quality mental health services for the patient. This session will provide an overview of telemental health services in various settings, as well as present legal and regulatory issues, and examine performance measurements.