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**MDS Connexion 2019**  
What's New

In 2019 we will continue to see changes in how the MDS is coded and utilized. This educational offering will cover topics related to some of the changes for 2019.

Topics to be covered will include: MDS coding changes for 2019, measures for the Skilled Nursing Facility Quality Reporting Program (SNF QRP), SNF QRP reports, changes to the calculation of the 5 star rating system, coding MDS sections GG and I, how MDS sections GG and I are used for the Patient Driven Payment Model (PDPM)

**Speaker:**

**Carol Hill MSN, RN, RAC-MT, RAC-MTA, DNS-MT, QCP-MT, CPC**

Carol has over 30 years' experience as a Registered Nurse. Over 25 years of her experience has been in the long-term care industry where she has served as an MDS Coordinator, DON/ADON, case review expert, quality resource specialist as well as a consultant/trainer for long term care facilities in Alabama and Mississippi. She received her Master's degree in nursing from the University of North Alabama. Carol is a Resident Assessment Coordinator-Master Teacher, Resident Assessment Coordinator-Master Teacher Advanced, Director of Nursing Services-Master Teacher, QAPI Certified Professional-Master Teacher, Certified Professional Coder and an AHIMA approved ICD-10 CM Trainer.

**Registration fee: \$150 per person** Registration fee includes handout material. Onsite registration based on availability. Space is limited so register early. Coffee and water will be available throughout the day. **Lunch will be on your own.** Begin the registration process online at [www.hilledservices.com](http://www.hilledservices.com) under the MDS Connexion 2019 tab

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**July 8, 2019**

**Holiday Inn Express & Suites  
1701 Main St. Fultondale, AL 35068**

**July 26, 2019**

**Wind Creek Casino and Hotel Atmore  
303 Poarch Road Atmore, AL 36502**

**Registration 8:30-9:00**

**Educational Offering 9:00-4:00**

**Objectives:**

At the conclusion of this educational offering the participant will be able to:

- State two items added to the MDS 3.0 for 2019
- Recognize MDS items used to calculate the Skilled Nursing Facility Quality Reporting Program (SNF QRP) Measures
- Recall one report used to identify facility rates for SNF QRP measures
- Identify the three domains used to calculate the overall Five Star Quality Rating System
- Identify two changes to the Five Star Quality Rating System effective April 2019
- Recognize how resident diagnosis are used in the Patient Driven Payment Model (PDPM)
- Apply coding instructions to accurately code MDS section GG for a case study

**Please complete one form for each participant**

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