# TJC & CMS Infection Prevention & Control Overview

#### **WHEN**

March 31, 2022 8:30AM - 4:00PM

#### **WHERE**

Pierson Conference Center 6820 Deerpath Road Elkridge, MD 21075

#### **PROGRAM FEE**

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# **Program Overview**

The surveys for 2020-2021 have been early based on Medicare's desire to surprise healthcare organizations. Continuous readiness becomes a must in this environment. Let Judith M. Atkins, RN, MSN share with you feedback and implications for Infection Practitioners and their staff and Committee Members. You will gain an understanding of The Joint Commission, Centers for Medicare/Medicaid Services, and Center for Disease Control's approach to Infection Control and Prevention.

# **Program Objectives**

- 1. Describe the 2021 Joint Commission Infection Prevention and Control process for surveys.
- 2. List the steps in the survey process for CMS and CDC in 2020/2021.
- Describe The Joint Commission's virtual survey format.
- 4. List new implications for Operative and Invasive Procedural Areas.
- 5. List the top two findings for TJC, CMS, and CDC.

# **About the Speaker**

Judith M. Atkins, RN, MSN, President and CEO McKenna Consulting

Judith has over 20 years of experience as a public speaker and consultant to health care professionals. Hundreds of healthcare organizations, nationally and internationally, have participated in the McKenna System while preparing for a Joint Commission review. These healthcare organizations have done well in the area of compliance with The Joint Commission and Centers for Medicare and Medicaid.

# **Target Audience**

The Joint Commission/CMS Coordinator; Chief Nurse Executive; Infection Control Practitioners and members of the Infection Control Committee; Performance Improvement Coordinator and Staff; Department Managers responsible for Infection Prevention and Control; and Staff from Nursing and Ancillaries. Staff from anywhere doing high level disinfecting and sterilization will benefit from this program. Departments usually include; Imaging, Provider Based

Practices (especially urology); OR and Central Sterile; Endoscopy and Anesthesia. Facilities staff will benefit from ventilation, temperature and humidity discussion.

## **Accredited Continuing Education**



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Judith M. Atkins, RN, MSN Nothing to Disclose

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Kelly Yost Nothing to Disclose

Dee Morgillo, MEd, CHCP Nothing to Disclose

Holly M. Hampe, D.Sc., RN, MHA, MRM Nothing to Disclose

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