

# Michigan Medicaid Health Information Technology Forums



The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) provides significant financial incentives, up to \$63,750 per eligible Medicaid professional, to encourage the adoption and “meaningful use” of EHRs in ways that improve quality, increase efficiency, and promote safety. In order to provide physicians and hospitals with a better understanding of the federal incentive programs for health information technology (HIT) adoption, Michigan Medicaid has scheduled five information forums across the state. These forums will explain the intent of the federal statute and seek input from doctors and hospitals as to how this program can be implemented to best meet the needs of providers and the state. Additional details are on the reverse side.

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| DATE     | CITY         | TIME                                       | LOCATION  | HOST ORGANIZATION                                     |
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| April 28 | Detroit      | Hospitals: 2:00 pm<br>Physicians: 5:00 pm  | Medical Society of SE Michigan<br>3031 W. Grand Blvd. Suite 645<br>Detroit, MI 48202    | Wayne County Medical Society                          |
| May 5    | Mt. Pleasant | Physicians: 7:00 am<br>Hospitals: 10:00 am | CMU Health Professions Bldg.<br>2255 Global Telepresence Room<br>Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858 | Michigan Health Information Alliance                  |
| May 7    | Marquette    | Physicians: 8:00 am<br>Hospitals: 10:00 am | UPHCN Superior Room<br>228 W. Washington St.<br>Marquette, MI 49855                     | UP Health Information Network                         |
| May 18   | Lansing      | Physicians: 7:00 am<br>Hospitals: 10:00 am | University Club Fireplace Room<br>3435 Forest Road<br>Lansing, MI 48910                 | Capital Area Regional Health Information Organization |
| May 20   | Grand Rapids | Physicians: 7:00 am<br>Hospitals: 10:00 am | Spectrum Healthier Communities<br>665 Seward Avenue, NW<br>Grand Rapids, MI 49504       | Alliance for Health                                   |

If you are unable to attend in person, the May 18 event will be broadcast live over the web and archived for later online viewing. The May 7 event will be videoconferenced through the UP Telehealth Network. For more information, visit <http://www.MichiganHealthIT.org>.

These sessions are free, but space is limited. Please register at <http://www.MichiganHealthIT.org> or call 877-338-7106.

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