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Integrating Behavioral Health Screening to Improve Patient Care

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April 21, 2014 - 12:00-1:00 pm

Screening, Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) is a Medicaid Redesign Team initiative (#83) targeted at identifying individuals who use alcohol and drugs at high risk levels with the goal of preventing or mitigating health consequences, including: diseases, accidents, and injuries. Behavioral risks and disorders are responsible for 40% of deaths, most chronic illness, over \$300 billion in healthcare costs, and over \$600 billion in other costs. This is a Medicaid covered service endorsed by the US Preventive Services Task Force (USPSTF), the US Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), the Joint Commission, and the National Commission for Quality Assurance (NCQA).

- Charles W. Morgan, MD, FASAM, FAAFP, DABAM, who has worked in the field of Addiction Medicine for over three decades and has lectured and served on expert panels and committees on local, regional and national levels. He currently is Medical Director of John L. Norris Addiction Treatment Center in Rochester, New York, Deputy Medical Director of the New York State Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services, and serves as Medical Director Emeritus of Seabrook House, Inc. in Bridgeton, New Jersey.

This webinar will demonstrate how SBIRT can strengthen your programs by:

- improving quality of care by focusing on safety, effectiveness, patient-centeredness, timeliness, efficiency and equity;
- improving clinical efficacy by addressing root causes of poor health e.g., poor nutrition, physical inactivity, and substance use disorders; and
- providing guidance on proper Medicaid billing for SBIRT.

GREAT NEWS! Participants will receive one Continuing Medical Education (CME) credit AND the first 100 to request training will receive scholarship

funding to attend the 4 hour SBIRT Certification Course

To sign up for the online meeting: Go to

<https://meetny.webex.com/meetny/j.php?MTID=mf410c5f161d6f53145a42bf9a2966083>

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Local: 1-518-549-0500

Toll Free: 1-844-633-8697

Alternate Toll Free - (For callers not able to call the 844 Toll Free Number): 1-866-776-3553

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1. Go to <https://meetny.webex.com/meetny/mc>

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<https://meetny.webex.com/meetny/j.php?MTID=m3f0d156ad0afca707ac100c56cb52189>

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