

# Advisory Panel on Clinical Diagnostic Laboratory Tests

## Agenda

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Central Office

Auditorium

Wednesday, August 26, 2015

This meeting provides a forum for interested parties to make presentations and submit written comments on new test codes for 2016. **Please note that, for new test codes, we will be discussing only the codes addressed in our Clinical Laboratory Fee Schedule CY 2016 Updates**, located on the web at <https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/FACA/AdvisoryPanelonClinicalDiagnosticLaboratoryTests.html>. Comments and recommendations on whether codes identified as gapfilled codes from last year's final determination is a separate and distinct process that will not be discussed at this meeting.

**Outside Call-In Number: 877-267-1577**

**WebEx Meeting Number: 396 303 539; password: n/a.**

**Call-in begins at 8:45 am ET on August 26, 2015.**

**Live Stream Available at <http://www.cms.gov/live/>. Live stream begins at 8:45 am ET.**

### AGENDA

**8:30 a.m.** Arrival and Check-In

**9:00 a.m.** Welcoming Remarks  
Marc Hartstein  
Director, Center for Medicare, Hospital and Ambulatory Policy Group

**9:15 a.m.** Welcome and Panel Introductions  
Steve Phurrough, M.D  
Panel Chair, CMS Medical Officer

**9:45 a.m.** Welcome/Agenda/Crosswalk vs. Gapfill  
Valerie Miller  
Director, Center for Medicare, Division of Ambulatory Services

#### **Session 1: New Code Crosswalks (not drugs)**

**10:00 a.m.** Scheduled Public Presentations

**10:45 a.m.** Open Public Presentations

**11:00 a.m.** Panel Deliberations/vote/recommendations

**12:00 p.m.** Lunch Break

**1:00 p.m.** Panel Deliberations/vote/recommendations

#### **Session 2: Drug Testing Structure**

**2:00 p.m.** Scheduled Public Presentations

**2:45 p.m.** Open Public Presentations

**3:00 p.m.** Break

**3:15 p.m.** Panel Deliberations/vote/recommendations

**5:00 p.m.** Meeting Adjourns