

PURSUING HOSPITAL CLAIMS



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LIABILITY FOR PATIENT CARE

- Liability for care provided an adult.
(Patient > 18 years)
- Liability for care provided a Minor.
(Who is considered a Minor?)
- Probate/Estate issues.
- Prisoner Care.
- Bankruptcy.

THIRD PARTY PAYOR ISSUES

- What is a third party payor?
- How is liability established.
- Impact of PPO's, TPA's & stop loss coverage.
- Verifying benefits and authorizing admissions.
- Importance of the assignment of benefits.
- Responding to Payor denials.

OHIO PROMPT PAY STATUTES

- Timeliness of payment.
- Calculation of time/noting all actions on the hospital business record.
- Insurance liability for Emergency Care.
- Insurer take backs.