

The next CMS Hospital/Quality Initiative Open Door Forum scheduled for:

Date: Tuesday, February 8, 2022

Start Time: 2:00pm-3:00pm Eastern Time (ET)

Please dial-in at least 15 minutes before call start time.

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I. Opening Remarks

Acting Chair – Emily Forrest (Center for Medicare)

Moderator – Jill Darling (Office of Communications)

II. Announcements & Updates

- FY 2022 IPPS final rule with comment period – Graduate Medical Education provisions of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2021
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- FY 2023 Wage Index Timetable Update

III. Open Q&A

****COVID-19 related questions are welcome****

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