

**Practicing Physicians Advisory Council  
Hubert H. Humphrey Building  
Room 505A  
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services  
200 Independence Avenue, SW  
Washington, DC 20201  
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<b>08:30-08:40</b>	<b>A. Opening Remarks</b>	<b>Vincent J. Bufalino, M.D., Chairman, Practicing Physicians Advisory Council</b>
<b>08:40-08:50</b>	<b>B. Welcome</b>	<b>Liz Richter, Deputy Director, Center for Medicare Management</b>
<b>08:50-09:10</b>	<b>C. PPAC Update</b>	<b>Kenneth Simon, M.D., M.B.A., Executive Director, Practicing Physicians Advisory Council</b>
<b>09:10-09:30</b>	<b>D. PRIT Update</b>	<b>William Rogers, M.D., Director, Physicians Regulatory Issues Team, Office of External Affairs</b>
<b>09:30-10:30</b>	<b>E. 2010 PQRI and E-Prescribing Update</b>	<b>Michael Rapp, M.D., J.D., Director, Quality Measurement and Health Assessment Group, Office of Clinical Standards and Quality</b>
	<b>Physician Resource Use Measurement And Reporting Program Update</b>	<b>Sheila Roman, M.D., MPH, Medical Officer, Hospital &amp; Ambulatory Policy Group, Center for Medicare Management</b>
		<b>Colleen Bruce, J.D., Health Insurance Specialist, Division of Practitioner Services, Hospital &amp; Ambulatory Policy Group, Center for Medicare Management</b>

<b>10:30-10:45</b>	<b>F. Break</b> <i>(Chair Discretion)</i>	
<b>10:45-11:30</b>	<b>G. Quality Improvement Initiative</b>	<b>Barry Straube, M.D., Chief Medical Officer, Director, Office of Clinical Standards &amp; Quality</b>
<b>11:30-12:15</b>	<b>H. 10<sup>th</sup> Scope of Work Update</b>	<b>Paul McGann, M.D., Deputy Chief Medical Officer, Office of Clinical Standards &amp; Quality</b>
<b>12:15-12:45</b>	<b>I. Swearing-in Ceremony</b>	<b>Charlene Frizzera, Acting Administrator, Centers for Medicare &amp; Medicaid Services</b>
<b>12:45-01:45</b>	<b>J. Lunch</b>	
<b>01:45-02:15</b>	<b>K. Medicare Physician Fee Schedule (MPFS) Final Rule</b>	<b>Cassandra Black, Director, Division of Practitioner Services, Hospital &amp; Ambulatory Policy Group, Center for Medicare Management</b>  <b>Marc Hartstein, Deputy Director, Hospital &amp; Ambulatory Policy Group, Center for Medicare Management</b>
<b>02:15-02:45</b>	<b>L. OPPS/ASC Fee Schedule Final Rule</b>	<b>Carrie Bullock, M.H.S., Acting Deputy Director, Division of Outpatient Care, Hospital &amp; Ambulatory Policy Group, Center for Medicare Management</b>
<b>02:45-03:00</b>	<b>M. Break</b> <i>(Chair Discretion)</i>	

**03:00-03:45**

**N. Fraud and Abuse  
Update**

**Kim Brandt, Director, Program  
Integrity Group, Office of  
Financial Management**

**03:45-04:15**

**O. Wrap Up and  
Recommendations**