

# AGENDA

## New York State Nursing Home Quality Initiative Conference

- 8:30-9:00am **Registration**
- 9:00-9:30am **I PRO – Welcome**
- 9:30-10:45am **CMS Quality Measures**
- QM Overview
  - QM Definition and Risk Adjustment

10:45-11:00am ***BREAK***

- 11:00-12:00pm **CMS Quality Measures (Cont'd)**
- QM Calculation (Record Selection/MDS Items)
  - Differences Between New Risk Adjusted QMs and CMS Survey QIs

12:00-1:00pm ***LUNCHEON***

1:00-1:30pm **Relationship of IPRO and State Survey Agency (SSA)**

- Responsibilities of SSA and IPRO
- Confidentiality Issues
- NYSDOH Quality Improvement Projects

1:30-2:00pm **Role/Partnership with New York State Ombudsman**

2:00-2:30pm **Quality Improvement Component of Quality Initiative**

- Implementation Plan
- Selection of Nursing Homes for Intensive/Select Group
- Technical Assistance and Future Workshops

2:30-3:15pm **CMS Public Reporting Quality Initiative**

- Placement of Newspaper Ads in Major Markets
- [www.medicare.gov](http://www.medicare.gov)
- 1-800-MEDICARE
- Explaining Publicly Reported Measures to Residents, Families and Staff
- Working with the Press

3:15-3:30pm **Closing Comments**

### LOCATIONS:

<b>BUFFALO</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 24, 2002</b>
<b>SYRACUSE</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 25, 2002</b>
<b>ALBANY</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 30, 2002</b>
<b>QUEENS</b>	<b>OCTOBER 1, 2002</b>
<b>WESTCHESTER</b>	<b>OCTOBER 2, 2002</b>
<b>LONG ISLAND</b>	<b>OCTOBER 3, 2002</b>
<b>ROCHESTER</b>	<b>OCTOBER 10, 2002</b>