Overview
Many physicians are seeking either employment or contractual relationships with hospitals. Simultaneously, hospitals are pursuing closer ties with private physicians in order to better collaborate on clinical product line development designed to improve both quality of care and service and to meet community needs as ED on-call coverage. Many sets of existing medical staff bylaws have not recognized the changing nature of the hospital physician relationship and/or do not address critical issues that MSPs, CMOs, medical and senior management leaders struggle with while implementing alignment approaches. This Webinar will address these issues and suggest proven strategies for mid-course correction.

Target Audience
CMO/VPMA, Medical Staff Officers, Medical Staff Bylaws Committee Members, VP Human Resources, Medical Staff Professionals

Objectives
• Advise and influence medical staff and senior management leaders on the 20 critical bylaws provisions that should be considered and addressed when planning and implementing various alignment strategies and approaches
• Recognize the key reasons driving and alternative approaches for responding to the need for greater alignment between hospitals and physicians
• Draft bylaws language that is practical in reducing existing barriers that have traditionally been found in bylaws
• State a proven approach and process for designing alignment language in the bylaws and gaining approval by both physician and hospital leadership

Faculty
Albert L. Fritz, MHA brings nearly 30 year’s experience in healthcare management, leadership and consulting to his work with medical staffs and hospitals across the nation. He is a member of the HG Healthcare Consultants, LLC team specializing in accreditation and regulatory preparation and compliance. He particularly enjoys assisting medical staff leaders in designing bylaws and staff structures that promote greater collaboration between employed and private physicians and the hospital. He works extensively with hospital executives and medical staff leaders to enhance the effectiveness of the medical staff while reducing its complexity. Mr. Fritz regularly consults and speaks on a wide range of medical staff and healthcare management issues including credentialing and privileging, evaluating alternative accreditation options, medical staff leadership, medical staff integration and mergers, and Board, Senior Management, and Medical Staff relations. He also serves as the administrative director of an external clinical review service.

Prior to joining HG Healthcare Consultants, Mr. Fritz’s administrative positions included the CEO at the Millard Fillmore Suburban Hospital in Amherst, New York; Vice President, Administration at Millard Fillmore Gates Circle Hospital in Buffalo, New York; and Assistant Administration at Kenosha Memorial Hospital in Kenosha, Wisconsin.

Mr. Fritz received his Master’s Degree in Hospital and Healthcare Administration from Xavier University. He is a member of the faculty of the American College of Physician Executives, The Medical Leadership Institute of the Governance Institute and a Diplomat in the American College of Healthcare Executives.

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