

VCU Pathology Grand Rounds

“Demonstrating the Value of Clinical Laboratory Medicine: Partnership with Case Management”

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At the conclusion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

1. Describe the 3 key components of the Medicare Incentive Program and how they relate to the Prospective Payment System
2. List strong evidence of the impact of a clinical laboratory on quality measures to provide timely and effective care, prevent complications and deaths, reduce readmissions, and minimize the overall cost of care
3. Identify and discuss laboratory strategies to address long length of stay, transitions of care and tests pending at discharge, denials in payment due to medical necessity, readmissions, and hospital acquired infections



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