



## NEWS and NOTES from NPO

SEPTEMBER 4, 2019

### THINGS TO KNOW AND DO

#### **WHAT WOULD YOUR PRACTICE FIND IF YOU LOOKED?**

NPO Director of Finance, Philip Lieffers, has found a website that just might find you a surprise. Using the website [Michigan Unclaimed Property](#) and searching for your business name, reveals any unclaimed property in the State of Michigan. With 15 minutes of paperwork, NPO reclaimed \$300+ from 2 separate source. Many practice names out there. Is yours?

### UPCOMING CONFERENCES FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION

#### **NEW: FREE TEAM BUILDING SKILLS SESSION**

NMC is offering a free session to help you develop your team building skills. This session will be open to all NPO member office staff and is described below:

*The success of most organizations depends on the ability of individuals to build effective teams. The main goal of team-building exercises is to improve productivity and motivation. During this high-energy, 90-minute interactive session, you will learn different techniques and have an opportunity to practice them during this hands-on active learning session. You can then confidently go back to your office prepared to build upon the effectiveness of your teams.*

*This session is to provide you with some team building tools and skills to take back to your practice. This is a very fun session and you will learn some tips and tricks. This session is at no cost to you; there is a limit of 16 participants per session so please limit to just one or two per practice to attend.*

Three sessions will be offered in an attempt to accommodate as many people as possible and will be located at [NMC Parsons-Stulen campus, Room 114.](#)

Wednesday, 10/23 9AM

Thursday, 10/24 9AM

Thursday, 10/24 3PM

Please call Bryanna at NPO at 231-421-8505, or via [email](#) to reserve. Please take advantage of this opportunity to improve team building skills because it will take a team effort to get through the winter!

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#### **UPDATE: MOVING CONCEPT TO REALITY**

NPO is taking part in finalizing details for a new Michigan HIMSS Conference called "Moving Concept to Reality" taking place Thursday September 19, 2019 in Lansing. The conference goal is to spotlight how Provider and other organizations support their members by learning how technology and technology-driven workflows work in real life examples. Please review the [conference overview and registration](#) and if you have questions, or would like additional information, please contact [Ed Worthington](#), NPO's IT Director.

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#### **REMINDER: CHILD ABUSE & NEGLECT CONFERENCE 2019**

The Michigan Medicine Child Protection Team's [38th Annual Michigan Statewide Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect](#) is on October 21 and 22, 2010, at the Inn at St. John's in Plymouth, Michigan.

[Register](#) online today.

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#### **REMINDER: FARMS, FOOD, & HEALTH CONFERENCE September 26-29, 2019**

This [community event](#) features culinary medicine training for healthcare providers, and brings together health practitioners, employers, schools, hospitals, farms, and others interested in connecting the dots between healthcare, wellness, and locally grown food.

*This activity has been approved for AMA PRA Category 1 Credits(s) TM*

[Register today](#).

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#### **REMINDER: SAVE THE DATE : PAHCOM - TRAVERSE CITY SEMINAR & VENDOR FAIR**

**SAVE THE DATE!**  
**PAHCOM - Traverse City Seminar & Vendor Fair**  
**Date: Friday, October 4, 2019 | Time: 8am-4pm**  
**Hagerty Center - Traverse City, MI**  
On the shores of beautiful West Grand Traverse Bay

**Keynote Speaker - Sarah Fontenot**  
**Where are We Going? The Future of American Health Care**  
The world of health care is continually changing. Practice managers are concerned about what the next directive from the government will be and how the constant evolution of the health care delivery system will affect their providers, their patients, and their practice. But what if the future were more predictable, if not in detail, at least in direction? Sarah will make projections for the future based on the trajectory of the past and demystify the subject of healthcare reform in America. Leave this session with confidence and clarity on the measures you can take today to prepare for the not-so-uncertain challenges of tomorrow.

**FULL SEMINAR AGENDA TO FOLLOW**  
More great speakers! More great topics!  
Registration and additional information will be available after May 15th at:  
[www.TraverseCityMI.PAHCOM.com](http://www.TraverseCityMI.PAHCOM.com)  
Credits pending thru AAMA & PAHCOM

[Agenda and Registration](#)

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#### **Helpful Resources & Upcoming Events**

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We welcome your feedback and comments.*