

SEVENTH DISTRICT BRANCH REPORT

January 2018

Since the last meeting of the MSSNY Council, the Seventh District Branch has been involved in the following issues and activities:

- MCMS released the final report of the Phase 1 Knowledge to Action project that, among other findings, demonstrated significant increase in BP control rates. Of the hypertensive patients in the 42 participating practices (161 physicians), BP control rates increased from 71% to 80% throughout the course of the project.
- Phase 2 of the MCMS Knowledge to Action project continues to move forward. We expect clinical data from partners to begin to be available later this month.
- MCMS has engaged two partners in physician created ABMS-MOC Quality Improvement initiatives.
- MCMS spoke with the Media regarding same day appointments and gun safety screening.
- MCMS continues to provide comprehensive practice management education. See upcoming programs below.

Upcoming MCMS Programs/Events

January 11	Cyber Security & Liability Insurance
January 16	CPT Coding Workshop
January 17	Advanced Coding & Auditing Bootcamp
January 24	Your Patient Called OPMC. Now What?
February 7	MSSNY Veterans Matters: Suicide
April 11	Ask the Carrier Conference
April 13	Certified Medical Coder
May 2	Annual Meeting
May 8	Certified Medical Office Manager
July 11	Medical Office Compliance
August 2	E/M Chart Auditing Workshop
September 8	Physician & Family Picnic
September 11	Certified Medical Coder
September TBD	Physician and Family Appreciation Day
September 25	ICD-10-CM Coding Update 2019
September 25	Billing for Mid-Level Providers
December 6	Coding & Reimbursement Update 2019
December 6	Effective Denial Management & Rejection Prevention