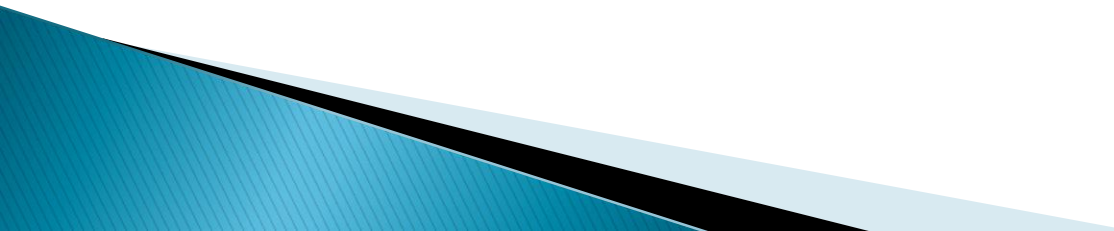


HOUSTON ACCOUNTABLE CARE EXPO 2012

Greg Shockey, President
Lung Centers of America

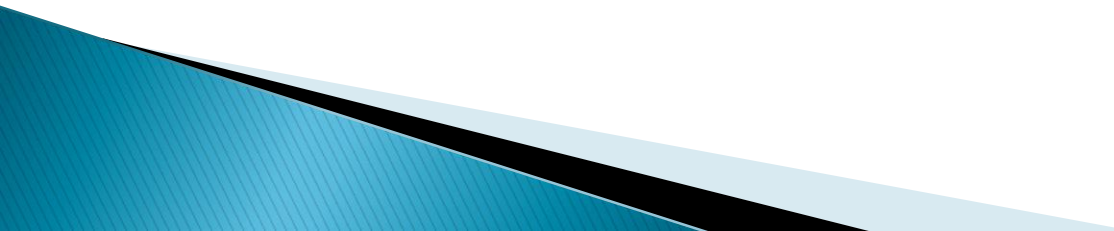
Introduction to the EXPO

- ▶ **What is Accountable Care?**
 - ▶ **Who should be concerned?**
 - ▶ **When does it go into effect?**
 - ▶ **Why hold the EXPOs?**
 - ▶ **Where will they be held?**
- 

What is Accountable Care?

- ▶ Accountable Care is the concept of holding providers accountable for the care they deliver.
 - Quality
 - Value
- ▶ Accountable Care Initiatives
 - PPACA (Health Care Reform Law)

Accountable Care Objectives

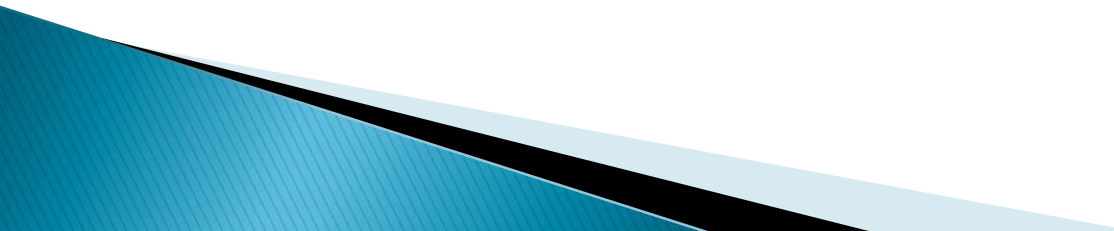
- ▶ Patient's Protection and Affordable Care Act
 - Reduce avoidable hospital readmissions for targeted discharges (AMI, HF, Pneumonia).
 - Avoid hospitalizations in targeted chronically-ill populations (i.e. Dual beneficiaries).
 - Decrease preventable hospital-acquired conditions.
- 

Specific Initiatives

- ▶ CMS's Partnership for Patients
- ▶ Accountable Care Organizations
 - Medicare Shared Savings Program
 - Advanced Payment Initiative
 - Pioneer ACOs
 - source www.CMS.gov/ACO/
- ▶ Numerous demonstration projects and much, much more.

Lets also include– Commercial ACOs and alternative payment models

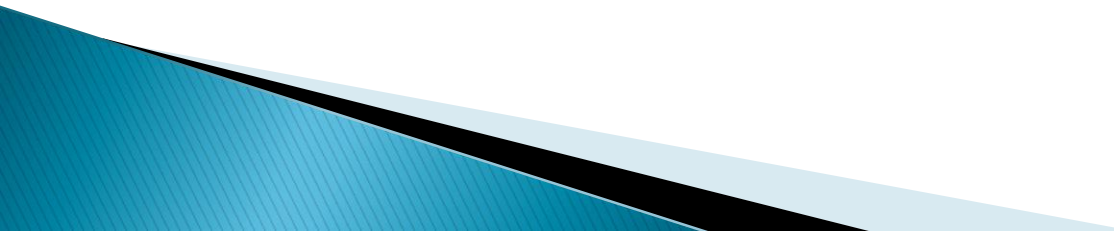
Who should be concerned?

- ▶ **Everyone**, especially ALL healthcare providers.
 - ▶ Value based Purchasing
 - Hospitals
 - Post Acute Providers
 - Physicians
 - ▶ Demonstration projects are seeking to identify potential new viable healthcare payment delivery models.
- 

When does it go into effect?

- ▶ Value based Purchasing
 - Hospitals (now)
 - Post Acute Providers (over the next few years)
 - Physicians (by 2017)

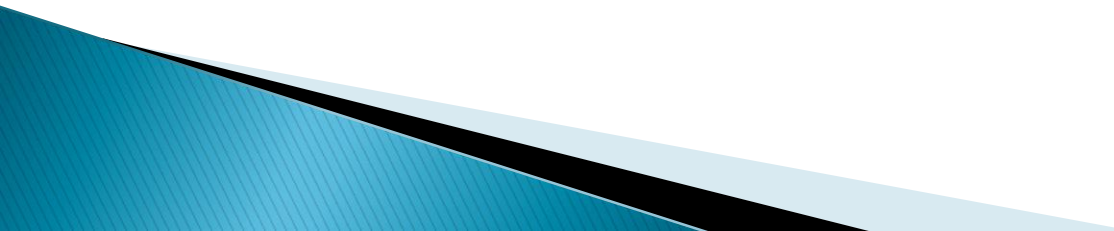
Why hold the EXPOs

- ▶ Bring providers and vendors together to share ideas and experiences.
 - ▶ Encourage collaboration throughout the entire continuum of care.
 - ▶ Provide a forum to facilitate introductions.
 - ▶ Identify other partners who have similar focus.
- 

Where will they be held?

- ▶ They will be mostly local events.
- ▶ Venues
 - Houston, TX (May 2nd 2012)
 - Dallas, TX (August 1st 2012)
 - Chicago, IL (August 29th 2012)
 - More to come...

Collaboration

- ▶ Key to accomplishing the Accountable Care objectives and initiatives.
 - ▶ Post Acute Care continuum has been fragmented, and needs improved coordination.
 - ▶ Providers will need to work together with other care partners in order to meet the challenges that lie ahead with healthcare reform.
- 

Visit the exhibitor booths,
collaborate
and enjoy the EXPO.

