Real Time Medical Systems to Showcase Post-Acute Analytics for Improved Outcomes and Accurate PDPM Reimbursement at IHCA

Practical guidance on proactive care navigation and IPA utilization to manage patient complexity, recognize clinical changes, and drive timely intervention

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BALTIMORE, MD, UNITED STATES, September 15, 2026 / EINPresswire.com/ -- Real Time Medical Systems (Real Time), the industry-leading, KLAS Rated, HITRUST r2 Certified, and SOC 2 Compliant post-acute care analytics solution, announced today its participation in the Iowa Health Care Association (IHCA) Annual Convention, taking place September 14–16, 2026, in Des Moines, IA. Bringing together long-term care leaders from across Iowa to explore industry trends, share best practices, and advance patient care, the IHCA Annual Convention will feature two educational sessions led by Real Time focused on addressing key clinical and reimbursement priorities through live, AI-enabled analytics.

As part of the IHCA agenda, Michele Self, MA-SLP, Customer Success Manager at Real Time, will present the session, Successful Discharge Begins on Admission – Improve Outcomes through Effective Care Navigation and Live Analytics. The session will take place Tuesday, September 15, 2026, from 1:30–2:30pm CT. Attendees will learn how establishing discharge goals at admission, leveraging real-time clinical insights, and coordinating interventions across disciplines can strengthen interdisciplinary collaboration, improve patient outcomes, and support successful transitions of care.

“A successful discharge starts long before a patient is ready to leave the facility. That foundation is established the moment a patient is admitted,” said Michele Self. “When clinical teams combine proactive care navigation with real-time visibility into patient progress, they can identify emerging risks earlier, address obstacles sooner, keep care plans aligned, and create a clearer path toward a safe and successful transition.”

Also presenting at the conference, Jim Shearon, RN, BSN, MSHA, VP of Clinical Solutions at Real Time, will lead the session, Demystifying and Maximizing IPAs to Ensure Accurate PDPM Reimbursement. The session will be held Tuesday, September 15, 2026, from 3:00–4:00pm CT.

Participants will learn how to recognize clinical changes that may warrant reassessment, optimize the use of Interim Payment Assessments (IPAs), and help accurately capture patient acuity for appropriate PDPM reimbursement.

“Accurate reimbursement starts with timely recognition of meaningful clinical change,” said Jim Shearon. “When providers have access to live clinical intelligence, they can identify opportunities for reassessment sooner, support PDPM accuracy, and make more informed decisions that help ensure reimbursement appropriately reflects patient complexity and care needs.”

Attending the IHCA Convention? Join Real Time for both sessions to discover new ways to support successful care transitions and navigate significant clinical changes that can improve outcomes, strengthen PDPM performance, and optimize reimbursement. We hope to see you there!
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About Real Time Medical Systems
Real Time Medical Systems is the industry-leading, KLAS Rated, HITRUST r2 Certified, and SOC 2 Compliant Interventional Analytics solution that turns post-acute EHR data into actionable insights. Serving healthcare organizations nationwide, Real Time improves value-based care outcomes by reducing avoidable hospital readmissions and admissions, accurately managing reimbursements, detecting early signs of infectious disease, automating antibiotic surveillance, and advancing care coordination through post-acute data transparency.

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