



Are you ready for CHANGE?

As I type this on August 1st, the first day of CCO's for the state of Oregon, are you and your organization prepared for today or how about January 1st, 2014, the first day of the Oregon Healthcare Exchange?

While change has become the norm in business today, the speed in which change will happen in the next year will be significant. CCO's, something we did not even know about a year ago, are now live in many Oregon communities. What does this mean for you and your organizations? What action should your organization taking today or maybe more important what should your organization be doing to best position themselves for next year. What future changes are coming with Oregon CCO's? Will PEBB and/or OEBB become part of the CCO's? At the same time we are learning about CCO's, Oregon filing for the 2014 Oregon Healthcare Exchanges is due in May 2013. What is your organization doing to best position themselves for January 2014?

There are many significant changes coming in healthcare and some very specific changes unique to Oregon. Oregon HFMA will continue to be your source of educational information for Oregon healthcare providers.

Our next upcoming meeting is our joint meeting with the Alaska/Washington chapter September 19th thru 21st. Not only can you learn about Oregon CCO's you can also work with your counter parts in Alaska and Washington to understand why they are not doing CCO's and what action they are taking instead.

I look forward to seeing you all this fall.

Respectfully yours,

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