

NEW YORK STATE ASSOCIATION FOR MEDICAL STAFF SERVICES, INC.



**An organization for the
Medical Staff Services and
Credentialing professionals in
healthcare organizations.**

NYSAMSS

New York State Association for Medical Staff Services, Inc., is an organization comprised of medical staff services and credentialing professionals throughout New York State. Since its founding in 1981 as an organized component of the National Association Medical Staff Services, NYSAMSS has grown and flourished in both membership and educational opportunities. The New York State Association provides a forum for networking through its services and benefits in the increasingly complex field of healthcare, medical staff services and practitioner credentialing.

The mission of NYSAMSS is to support and enhance the professionalism of those who strive to become experts in the administrative aspects of credentialing healthcare practitioners and medical staff management in a variety of healthcare settings throughout the State.

We invite you to join us today!

Yes! I want to join ... Please send me an application for membership in the New York State Association for Medical Staff Services, Inc.. Fax completed form to Teresa Goss, CPMSM, CPCS, Treasurer, at 315-787-4169.

Name _____

Title _____ Organization _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

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Who are Medical Staff Services/Credentialing Professionals?

They are individuals involved with administrative functions of the credentialing, managed care, finance, revenue cycle or provider enrollment departments in various settings (hospitals, managed care organizations, credentials verification organizations). They are:

➤ **Experts** in the fields of credentialing, managed care, provider enrollment and privileging procedures; writing and revising by-laws to assure conformance with TJC, NCQA, CMS, DNV, HFAP, URAC, AAAHC and federal, state and local healthcare regulations.

➤ **Professionals** who are involved with credentialing of health practitioners in hospitals, managed care settings, credentialing verification organizations, IPAs and PHOs, ACOs, nursing homes, physician offices and ambulatory surgery centers. Professionals who support their organization in a healthcare setting.

➤ **Resources** and problem-solving with outside healthcare regulatory agencies, legal counsel, and internal governance documents relating to the medical staff organization.

➤ **Directors and Managers** providing support for committees, financial and revenue reports, annual meetings, newsletter writing, provider referral services and many other functions.

NYSAMSS membership offers access to:

Annual Education Conference: A State meeting is held each year featuring excellent speakers and relevant workshops, providing an opportunity to improve specific skills and gain knowledge about the health-care industry *while networking with your credentialing peers.*

Local Regions: Interact and share ideas with other Medical Staff Services and Credentialing Professionals in adjacent communities.

Website: www.nysamss.org: Included on the NYSAMSS Website are:

- ✓ NYSAMSS Board of Directors
- ✓ NYSAMSS Membership Roster – available upon member request
- ✓ Education: information about the NYSAMSS Annual Conference & other educational programs
- ✓ Regional News: information about your local area
- ✓ Job Opportunities: post a job vacancy or resume
- ✓ Polls/Surveys
- ✓ Links: credentialing websites
- ✓ Sponsorship: ability to advertise

Information Sharing Network: A voluntary forum to share policies, forms, procedures, etc., amongst your peers.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION MEDICAL STAFF SERVICES

Although membership in NAMSS is a separate option, there are advantages to belonging to both the national and state organizations. This parent association of over 4,000 Medical Staff Services Professionals nationwide offers many additional benefits, such as:

- ✓ National office
- ✓ Certification examinations for:
 - CPMSM (Certified Professional Medical Services Management)
 - CPCS (Certified Provider Credentialing Specialist)
- ✓ Career Opportunities Bulletin
- ✓ Annual Educational Conference/Seminars
- ✓ Resource Education Materials
- ✓ Policy and Procedure Guides
- ✓ “Synergy”, a NAMSS bimonthly publication
- ✓ Interactive Website (www.namss.org)

Becoming a part of these dynamic and proactive organizations will enable you to keep current in your area of expertise and offer you many opportunities to grow in your professional life.