



S.H.I.A. NEWSLETTER

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SHIA President's Message

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The SHIA educational year is progressing very productively. The October 9, 2009 meeting that provided our membership information on the “**Red Flag Rules**” by Jarrell Williamson and “**Value Based Reforms**” by Marta De-laTorre provided a great foundation for the presentation presented by Debi Premeau on “**Best Practices in Recovery Audit Programs**” at the Coding Workshop on November 13, 2009. Our goal meeting the CHIA strategic objective of on Industry Leadership and coding education and development were definitely achieved.

There are many to thank, starting with the SHIA Board who helped coordinate these events. I want to thank all the speakers for their time and commitment to the Sierra Health Information Association. Good luck to Marta as she travels to Adu Dhabi for her new adventure. Good luck to Debi Premeau as she runs her campaign as candidate for President-Elect for CHIA.

Thank you Ralph for hosting the meeting at the San Joaquin Rehabilitation Hospital and thank you Cornelia for opening your doors at Hanford Community. And most especially I want to thank our meeting sponsors:

California Medical Record Storage, Inc was our sponsor for our October meeting and we were moved by the com-

pany's commitment to both business and social causes. **PEAK Health Care Solutions** was our sponsor for our coding workshop and provided our speaker for the meeting.

We look forward to a fun, networking session on December 11, 2009 where we can explore our own “personality color” with speaker Susan Lea Sturgill, Director Spiritual Services, Children's Hospital Central California. She will use the personality color exercises to stimulate networking, enable learning, while having fun. This educational opportunity opens the Holiday season and helps us achieve our CHIA strategic Objective to Membership Value (Networking) and Workforce Readiness (Leadership). This will also be our first try at a morning networking session.

I look forward to seeing everyone on Friday, December 11, 2009 meeting at Children's Hospital Central California.

Thank you for your commitment to SHIA.



The screenshot shows the CHIA website interface. At the top left is the CHIA logo with the text "California Health Information Association". To the right is the text "California's Health Information Lea". Below the logo is a search bar and navigation links for "Online Ed Login" and "Contact Us". A left sidebar contains a list of navigation links: "Home", "Leadership", "CLAs", "Membership", "eJobLine", "HIM Resources", "Events/Education", "Advertise", "Corporate Partners", "Online Education", and "Consumer Resources". Below these links is a graphic with the text "Protecting and Releasing Health Information in". The main content area is titled "CHIA on Facebook & Twitter" and contains the following text: "Connect with your CHIA peers and colleagues on **Facebook** and **Twitter**", "CHIA wants to see you on Twitter and Facebook! You can check out CHIA's pages as follows:", "[www.Twitter.com](#) - Search for **CaliforniaHIA**", and "[www.Facebook.com](#) - Search for **California Health Information Association**".

Upcoming Meetings—Mark Your Calender

February 26, 2010—12:00 p.m.—4:00 p.m. (NOTE: Depending on the success of the North Valley meeting, **SHIA will consider sponsoring a South Valley—Bakersfield**)

Location: Mercy Hospital Merced

Subject: **Best Practices in ROI and SB541**

CHIA Strategic Objective Linkage: Industry Leadership

May 14, 2010, 12:00 noon—4:00 p.m.

Location: Bakersfield/Tulare (TBD)

Subject: **House of Delegate Issues and Installation of New Officers**

CHIA Strategic Objective Linkage: Growth and Strength

Coding Roundtable:

March 24, 2010, Subject matter TB

SHIA Treasure's Report

SHIA Balance Sheet – As of 10/31/2009 As of 10/31/2009 (Accrual Basis)

| Account | 10/31/2009 Balance |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| ASSETS | |
| Cash and Bank Accounts | |
| SHIA Checking | 14,849.35 |
| Petty Cash | 60.00 |
| TOTAL Cash and Bank Accounts | 14,909.35 |
| Other Assets | |
| Accounts Receivable | 0.00 |
| TOTAL Other Assets | 0.00 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 14,909.35 |
| LIABILITIES & EQUITY | |
| LIABILITIES | |
| Other Liabilities | |
| Accounts Payable | 0.00 |
| TOTAL Other Liabilities | 0.00 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | 0.00 |
| EQUITY | 14,909.35 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY | 14,909.35 |



SIERRA HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

Second Meeting for 2009-2010

Date: December 11, 2009

Place: Children's Hospital Central California
9300 Valley Children's Place, Madera, CA

Time: 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m

Room: G150B

Sponsored By: To Be Determined

Speakers: Susan Lea Sturgill, will be speaking on:
"Understanding Your "Color" and Improving Communication
by Understanding Other's Color!"

Please R.S.V.P. to:

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Cost: Members / Non-members - \$20, Students - \$10

Don't forget Holiday White Elephant!

Earn 4 CEs in the area of Leadership