

**Mission Statement:** We coordinate, plan and advocate for improved health of Michigan's rural residents and communities.

**Vision Statement:** The Michigan Center for Rural Health will be universally recognized as the center for expertise for rural health in Michigan through creative and visionary education, service and research.

## Michigan Rural Health Clinic Network

February 16, 2022 1 pm – 4 pm

Time	Agenda:	Action Items(s):
1:00-1:15 pm	MI RHC Network Operational Items  • MCRH Updates  • 2022 Meeting Outlook  • PM Workshop	Jill Oesterle, MCRH
1:15 – 2:30 pm	Compliance Corner: Covid-19 Vaccine Mandate and Cost Report Considerations  CMS issued guidance regarding the enforcement of the vaccine mandate at survey. This session will review the three phases of implementation, policy components and exemption process. We will also dive into Covid-19 vaccine considerations for your cost report.  Participants will:  Review the three phases of the vaccine mandate and enforcement actions for each phase  Discover the measures for compliance for your clinic through policy development, exemption process, contingency planning and tracking of employee vaccination status.  Discuss the Covid-19 vaccine considerations for your cost report	Tressa Sacrey & Julie Quinn, Health Services Associates
2:30 – 3:15 pm	<ul> <li>National RHC Updates</li> <li>Telehealth</li> <li>Federal COVID initiatives</li> <li>Good Faith estimates</li> <li>Other payment updates</li> </ul>	Nathan Baugh, National Association of Rural Health Clinics
	Quality Improvement Efforts for Hypertension NQF 0018 Presentation will focus on strategies related to training and preparing clinicians and other staff to focus on HTN control. This includes improving accuracy of office-based BP measurements, supporting patient medication adherence and other forms of self-management.	Laurel Sawyer, Mercy Health System & Kim Shiner, Schoolcraft Memorial
3:45 – 4:00 pm	Round Robin	All