



HIPAA 101: the Basics of HIPAA Administrative Simplification Satellite Broadcast July 16, 2003 and July 30, 2003 both 2-3 ET

Frequently Asked Questions

These frequently asked questions and answers should answer some or all of your questions. Please read them carefully.

Q1. Where can I find the closest Host Site so that I may view the broadcast?

A1. 1) Go to www.cms.hhs.gov/medlearn and click on satellite broadcasts and the HIPAA broadcast comes up; 2) The page will now say "User Access." Click on "Satellite Broadcasts; 3) The learner may then search for their host site by zip code or state. If there are no host sites registered for their state, they will receive a notation on the screen that says there are no host sites available. The learner can also ask for the system to list all host sites.

Q2. Is this a Web Cast?

A2. No. This is a satellite broadcast only.

Q3. What do I/we need to view this broadcast?

A3. You would need an analog steerable satellite dish capable of receiving at the coordinates listed below, or you need to attend one of the Host Sites nearest your area, and view the broadcast there. Coordinates are:

Satellite: Galaxy 3C Orbit Location: 95 West Transponder: 22

Downlink Frequency: 4140 Polarization: Vertical Audio: 6.2, 6.8

Please be sure to check www.cms.hhs.gov/medlearn under "satellite broadcasts" for any last minute updates to coordinates.

Q4. Can I view this broadcast if I have DirectTV?

A4. No. Only CMS Contractors will be able to view on DirectTV.

Q5. Will there be a re-broadcast?

A5. The programs to be aired on July 16 and July 30 are the same program. They are re-broadcasts of the program aired earlier on April 16th. No further re-broadcasts are planned at this time.

A6. Will there be a video tape available?

A6. Yes. For a nominal fee, the satellite broadcast may be purchased in the form of a video. For more information, please stay tuned to our website at www.cms.hhs.gov/hipaa/hipaa2.

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Q7. Will CEU's or CME's be awarded for people attending?

A7. Not at this time

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