



# Western Physicians' Alliance



## PORTAL NEWSLETTER

### Improve Your Practice with the AT&T Healthcare Community Online Physician Portal

*Western Physicians' Alliance* is pleased to offer the AT&T Healthcare Community Online Physician Portal to its members, which will:

**Improve quality of care** – Provide quick and easy access to clinical knowledge and patient safety issues through alerts and news. The AT&T HCO Physician portal also includes tools to identify gaps in care across your patient population and provide automated outreach.

**Create greater practice efficiency** – The AT&T HCO Physician Portal provides point-of-care practice integration, enables administrative time - savings and gives small practices access to “big practice” solutions.

**Improve financial performance** – The AT&T HCO Physician Portal is a cloud-based solution that minimizes both upfront and ongoing costs and supports the implementation of incentive reporting programs such as the Physician Quality Reporting System (PQRS), Patient Centered Medical Home (PCMH) and meaningful use.

**Simplify the health IT experience** – The AT&T HCO Physician Portal online practice assessment evaluates the specific health IT needs of your practice and offers customized recommendations.

**One stop for all your health IT needs** – Electronic health records, e-Prescribing, patient registries, knowledge management and clinical decision support tools. Highly secure messaging to patients and to comply with HIPAA requirements as well as claims management and eligibility.

The HCO Portal offers a single point of access to a comprehensive portfolio of web-based health information technology (IT) applications and resources that can improve the efficiency of your practice while also enhancing patient care. Assess your health IT needs and craft a plan in the easiest and most cost effective way.

If you would like more information on how to get started with the new AT&T HCO Physician Portal you can contact the WPA office at 775-827-5775 or visit our website at [www.wpareno.com](http://www.wpareno.com)

### Working Group Update

WPA and Saint Mary's Health Plans Working Group continues its efforts to meet and discuss key issues that affect patient care. At the last meeting the committee focused on Dashboard Metrics including: panel characteristics, population health & patient assessment, clinical quality, practice performance and utilization and resource efficiencies. Also discussed was the need for reports to continue to be shared by SMHP on performance and quality measures to WPA PCP's. The new HCO online portal offered through WPA was presented as a tool to help with improved communications for members of SMHP.

Doctors in attendance included, Jennifer Hornback MD, Vance Alm MD, Colleen Cappuro MD, Robert Rand MD, Paul Smith, MD, Ron Smith, MD (WPA Medical Director), James Schaupp DO and Marjorie Uhalde MD.



## **Are you still evaluating EMR's, E-Prescribing and other IT solutions that will meet the needs of your practice?**

*The AMAGINE™ Physician Portal is a platform of web-based clinical and professional tools accessible via a single sign-on in a highly secure environment.*

1. Low cost, cloud-based solutions that are easy to implement
2. Minimize workflow disruptions by leveraging your existing IT infrastructure
3. Discounts based on your WPA member status (5% for WPA members, 10% for WPA & AMA members)
4. Applications to obtain financial incentives (i.e. Meaningful Use, e-Prescribing, PQRS)
5. Resources to help find a solution to meet your practice's distinct needs

For discounted pricing and to go over options available through AMAGINE:

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