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Upcoming Events

July 12, 12:00 P.M. Central | Cyber Security Webinar



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Proactive Cybersecurity Defense in Healthcare

Join HIMSS Minnesota and Charles Brandt, to discuss real-world application of best practice frameworks, including NIST CSF and Center for Internet Security (CIS) Critical Controls, to further develop mature cybersecurity programs in healthcare. Charles will review how these practices can be utilized to strategically harden security for your organization's core assets - including sensitive data, end user devices and Medical IoT, as well as Identity and Access Management. In addition, he will discuss how organizations can use these frameworks to improve their ability to monitor, detect, and respond to threats in their environment.



Presented by: Charles Brandt, Security Consultant, Marco Technology He is a Twin Cities base Security Consultant at Marco Technologies. Before joining the company, he served as an IT director, IT project manager, and Business Owner. Charles has extensive experience in risk analysis, incident response planning, and cybersecurity program evaluation and road map development across multiple industries.

July 26, 12:00 P.M. Central | Clinical Informatics Webinar



Harnessing Generative AI and Language Models for Health Innovation

In this session I will review the high level regulatory requirements from the 21st Century Cures Act related to requirement to share electronic information. We will discuss the current state and transitioning to the Oct 6th, 2022 changes to the regulation for sharing all electronic health information. I will provide a sample plan, things to think about and frequently asked questions that might be used to get your organization into compliance.



Presented by: Brian Norris, MBA, RN, FHIMSS, Founder, Bent Creek Advisors

An exceptional leader within the healthcare arena, Brian Norris, distinguished by his unique amalgamation of clinical prowess and technological savvy. He holds a master's degree in business administration, along with being a Registered Nurse, Brian boasts an illustrious career trajectory that covers a diverse spectrum of expertise - from software and product development to strategy, operations, and analytics. Brian was at the helm during the pioneering launch of the first health system to leverage the Google Healthcare Data Engine, marking a significant milestone in healthcare technology. Brian currently serves as the Founder of Bent Creek Advisors.

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If you are one or more of the following, we'd like to talk to you:

- Energetic and entrepreneurial business people, who are not already overextended with other commitments, eager to put their enthusiasm for changing global healthcare.
- Community leaders and philanthropists willing to engage their peers to share their knowledge with others.
- Astute governmental advocates who can assist in navigating the political landscape of policy development, funding, and legislation.
- Leaders at our partnering organizations -- government, education, technology, insurance, healthcare -interested in building strong programs with us.
- Health care professionals pediatricians, public health, health associations dedicated to promoting health information and technology education and issue awareness on global and national levels
- Scholars/academics who want to put their expertise in healthcare, physical and mental health promotion to work in the community.
- Parents/grandparents and others who have demonstrated talent, joy and energy in chairing successful fundraising events and promotions.

Please reach out to the Minnesota Chapter President, Bert Hill at mn.president@himsschapter.org, for further information and conversation.



















