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Avoiding HIPAA Pitfalls:
An Auditor's Guide to the Regulation of Healthcare IT

Where: Hotel Nikko - 222 Mason Street (between Ellis and O'Farrell)
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When: Tuesday, November 18th, 2008

Registration: 11:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon
Session: 12:00 noon - 1:30 p.m.
Speaker: Bill Pankey, Partner, Tunitas Group
CPE Hours: 1.5
Cost: $40.00 ISACA Members
      $50.00 Non-Members
      $20.00 Students

Session Synopsis

Even after 10 years of buzz and more than 4 years after effective compliance dates, HIPAA continues to disrupt the activities of healthcare organizations. Substantial monies have been committed and spent while the larger healthcare enterprises have failed to complete their HIPAA ‘projects’, messages to consumers regarding rights remain garbled, assurances regarding privacy and security are elusive, and economic benefits unsubstantiated. This being said, HIPAA has changed the handling of health information, undoubtedly with more privacy and security.

Topics to be covered: Healthcare reimbursement, EDI and ‘the deal’; Administrative Simplification components of the 1996 HIPAA Law; Big picture response to issues including Mapping PHI flows, Managing disclosure, Role based access control, and Privacy culture, policy and documented procedures; OIG complaint driven audit process; Pressure points including Tele-workers & remote access and business associates; California Wrinkles; and Issues on the horizon including Healthcare claim ‘attachments’ and HIPAA II (Pete Stark’s Health Information Technology Act).

Speaker Biography

Bill Pankey has been involved in health information technology for nearly 20 years as a developer, architect, security engineer, auditor and consultant. During the past 10 years he has supported numerous HIPAA projects at providers, plans and vendors, led standards activity, consulted with regulators, written and spoken on health information security topics and otherwise eased the pain of the HIPAA animal. Bill is a Certified Information Systems Auditor (CISA) and a Certified Information Systems Security Professional (CISSP).

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