



## Feature Article

### [Internal Audit Consider the Implications](#)

"Internal audit can not only allay external and internal concerns about appropriateness of business operations, but also help improve efficiency and the bottom line."

## Business

### [In Search of the Perfect Match](#)

"Some organizations peg the cost of replacing an employee at an amount equal to the annual salary and benefits for that position."

### [The Power Cycle](#)

"The creation of real business knowledge through the careful collection and analysis of data is at the heart of an effective revenue cycle measurement program."

### [Your staff needs CME, too](#)

"Your employees will likely welcome...continuing education. Here's how to get it done."

## Clinical

### [Muscle recruitment patterns during the prone leg extension](#)

"The prone leg extension (PLE) is a clinical test used to evaluate the function of the lumbopelvis."

### [Efforts mount to combat lymphedema](#)

"The devastating side effect of cancer treatment is finally getting attentions from doctors and lawmakers, but patients still aren't aware of the risks"

### [Mattress Guidelines for Sleep Comfort](#)

"For people with a back condition, sleep can aggravate the pain if the mattress isn't a good fit."

## Medicare

### [Outpatient Physical Therapy Quarterly Update Page](#)

[Provider Reimbursement Manual](#) (requires download of topics)

## NEW!

PTPN has created an appealing, easy-to-read patient brochure that explains why a highly qualified therapist in private practice is the right choice for rehabilitation patients. The brochure is designed for you to use in your waiting room and in your marketing efforts. It has space for you to insert information about your practice, so you'll be able to customize it to fit your needs. Click [here](#) to find the brochure as well as instructions to download, customize and print it.

### It's a NEW look for PTPNotes!

This is the same PTPNotes that you have enjoyed for the past two years, but with a different look.

The blue underlined words are links to web-sites that feature the informative article that bears that title. Also, click on the tabs below the PTPN banner to go to that section of the PTPN web-site: [ptpn.com](http://ptpn.com).

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### What percentage of your business is made-up of these payor types?

- PPO
- Managed Care HMO/Capitated
- Work Comp
- Auto
- Medicare
- Medi-caid
- Cash
- Other (please specify)

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