

IHIMA Newsletter

Indiana Health Information Management Association

February 2020

Call for Nominations for IHIMA Achievement Awards!

Do you know an outstanding Health Information Management professional who deserves recognition? If so, please take a moment to NOMINATE that special person for an IHIMA Achievement Award.

The following awards are offered to the IHIMA membership. Award recipients will be honored during the recognition luncheon at the 72nd IHIMA Annual Meeting in Noblesville.

Submission deadline for the 2020 Award Year is March 1, 2020!

IHIMA Achievement Awards:

- Distinguished Member Award
- Professional Achievement Award
- Rising Star Award

Find out more about each Achievement Award's eligibility and guidelines [here](#). Find the IHIMA Award Nomination Form [here](#). (login required)



Register For The IHIMA Day At The Statehouse

Plan to attend the IHIMA Day at the Statehouse and a chance to meet your legislators. The event will take place on Tuesday, February 25, 2020 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. EST. Registration is \$20.00, and lunch will be provided. Two (2) CE credits will be available. Educational topics will include a discussion on the Importance of Advocacy and a 2020 Legislative Update from the Indiana Hospital Association (IHA). A tour of the Statehouse will also be provided. Come join us for a fun day in Indianapolis and educate your legislators on IHIMA and the priorities for our organization.

Contact the IHIMA Legislative Co-Chairs Bonnie Aspiazu, BAspiazu@1rcm.com and/or Ashley Hendry, AHendry@lhn.net with questions.

[Register for this event here](#) (login required)

Registration closes on Tuesday, February 18, 2020 at 11:59 PM EST.

Also, stay informed about this event on the website, social media sites, and in emails.

[IHIMA Website](#), [Facebook](#), [LinkedIn](#), [Twitter](#), [Indiana Engage Community](#)

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NEW DATE:
**IHIMA Day at the
Indiana Statehouse
is February 25, 2020
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**IHIMA's Annual Meeting
is April 20 & 21, 2020
at Embassy Suites
Conference Center in
Noblesville, IN
(#IHIMA20)**

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To continue receiving IHIMA communications, it is important for you to update your contact information located on your myAHIMA profile.

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Ask the IHIMA Board!

Have a membership-related question?

E-mail us!

ihimahim@outlook.com

Registration Is Open For The 2020 IHIMA Annual Meeting

By Lisa DesNoyers, MPH, RHIA and Sally Haill, CCS, CPC
2019-2020 Annual Meeting Committee Co-Chairs

Are you ready to Go For The Gold! We are so excited to open up the [tentative agenda](#) for the 2020 'Go For The Gold' IHIMA Meeting! Please join us for great speakers, engaging topics, massages, silent auction, great food, a fun first-night reception, job fair, and fantastic networking opportunities! We hope that everyone will take advantage of the Early Bird admission price. We also have some excellent sponsorship opportunities if anyone is interested, as well as exhibiting booth spots left! Please feel free to email any questions to ldesnoye@IU.edu, sally@ls-educational.com, or latonya.centraloffice@gmail.com. We are all here to assist you with any information that you may need!

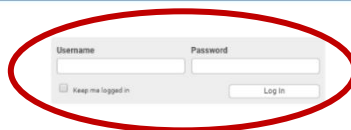
Hope you can join us! Early Bird Registration closes February 28, 2020; Pre-registration will close on April 6, 2020. Find all the Annual Meeting information at: <https://www.ihima.org/annual-meeting>. (login required for registration)



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[Twitter](#), [Indiana Engage Community](#)

Follow the 2020 Annual Meeting and
Exhibit on social media using
#IHIMA20

Log In Instructions for IHIMA Events



To register for IHIMA events, you must log in to the [IHIMA website](#). Enter your username (your AHIMA ID#) and password. To retrieve your username or reset your password, [click here](#).

AHIMA Advocacy Summit and Hill Day

The 2020 AHIMA Advocacy Summit in Washington, DC, is just around the corner, on March 23 & 24. This two-day event focuses on advocacy and public policy issues linked to AHIMA's mission and vision. Monday, March 23rd is AHIMA's Public Policy Institute where AHIMA members will hear from federal officials and other stakeholders in Washington, DC about ongoing public policy work impacting the HIM profession. Capitol Hill visits take place on Tuesday, March 24th where attendees have an opportunity to meet with their Members of Congress and staff and advocate on behalf of the HIM profession.

IHIMA's Legislative Committee Co-Chairs, Bonnie Aspiazu, JD, RHIA, and Ashley Hendry, MBA, MSL, RHIA, will be attending along with Necole Coots, RHIA, Delegate, and Alyson Stichter, MHI, RHIA, President-Elect and Delegate.

Stay tuned! We'll share updates on the Advocacy Summit as they become available!

Want to learn more about the AHIMA Advocacy Summit along with state and federal legislation? Here are a few excellent resources:

- [2020 AHIMA Advocacy Priorities](#)
- [AHIMA Congressional District Meeting Resource Guide](#)
- [AHIMA's Advocacy Action Center](#)
- [AHIMA Action Center](#)
- [AHIMA's Advocacy & Public Policy Center](#)

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Write an article for the IHIMA Newsletter!

You are encouraged to submit an article for possible publication in the IHIMA Newsletter!

Submit questions/articles to:
ihimahim@outlook.com



Visit AHIMA's [Engage Online Communities](#) for discussions and content on topics important to HIM professionals.

Have a question related to Indiana? Join the Indiana Engage Community at [Indiana Engage Community](#) and remember to check back often!

ADVOCACY

Advocacy Action Center

To learn more about current Federal & Indiana legislation, [click here](#). To go to AHIMA's Advocacy Action Center, [click here](#).



AHIMA CAREER ASSIST:
JOB BANK

[Click here to see the opportunities!](#)

IHIMA Job Board

Visit [AlliedHealthCareers.com](#) for CDI, coding, compliance, auditing, leadership, and education jobs.

Visit [MB&CC](#) for medical billing and coding jobs.

Indiana Advocacy in Action!

Are you attending the IHIMA Day at the Statehouse or the AHIMA Advocacy Summit and Hill Day? Indiana HIM professionals are known nationally for our amazing efforts in advocating on behalf of the health information management profession. We are proud of our strong advocacy efforts and want to share this effort! #Advocacy in Action!

If you are planning to attend the IHIMA Day at the Statehouse, join us on social media by using #IHIMAAdvocate. When attending the AHIMA Advocacy Summit and Hill Day, join us on social media by using #HIMAdvocate. Be a voice for the HIM profession!

New Member Resource: AHIMA Congressional District Meeting Resource Guide

This resource guide is a great tool for meeting with your federal (or state) elected senators or representatives. This guide covers identifying your elected officials, requesting, preparing, and conducting a meeting, along with follow-up to the meeting. The guide explains maintaining HIM advocacy, a congressional visit checklist, a meeting request template, and additional resources.

Taken from AHIMA's weekly E-Alert for January 9, 2020:

Meeting with your senators or representatives is a great way to build relationships with elected officials while demonstrating the importance of the HIM profession to their state or congressional district. For many HIM professionals, it may seem intimidating to meet with a member of Congress. This resource guide assists you in preparing for a successful visit with your federal legislators.

[Find full article here.](#) (AHIMA member login required)

Delegate's Report

Taken from AHIMA's State Leaders and House of Delegates Engage Community: [All Delegate Webinar, 12.11.19](#)

On December 11, 2019, 65 delegates convened for their quarterly meeting. Staff members from the Hospital Sisters Health System (HSHS) Eastern Wisconsin Division, showcased key initiatives that allowed them to be the [2019 AHIMA Grace Award recipient](#). The organization demonstrated HIM excellence in leadership and innovation by improving processes leading to enhanced patient safety and data integrity.

Additionally, an update was given on the Governance Task Force. To track activities of this group, please see the library item [2019-2020 AHIMA Governance Task Force](#) in the State Leaders and House Community.

There are plans in 2020 to have a communications task force to help disseminate key information to our members. Monthly updates on AHIMA will begin in January so look for those. Then, delegates discussed their communication with memberships and activities including advocacy efforts with allied health associations.

The 2020 Practice Councils were shared. Read more about each council in 2020 AHIMA Volunteer Group Charges document posted in the SLH community, [2020 Volunteer Resources](#).

Members will be chosen to begin in 2020.

- CDI, Quality, and Revenue Management
- Clinical Terminology & Classification
- Data Use, Governance, and EHR Structure
- Health Information Technologies and Innovation
- Long Term Post-Acute Care (LTPAC)
- Privacy & Security

All the House activities are tracked on the Leadership Dashboard which is updated at least monthly. A member is welcome to review this document to view the House projects. Go to the SLH, [Leadership Dashboard](#) for this information.

Topics for the Newsletter

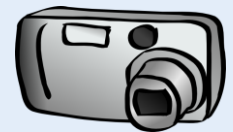
We would like to know what you would like to have included in your newsletter! If you have topics of interest, please send your ideas to us at: ihimahim@outlook.com

HIM/HIT Programs

Let us know what your students are doing in the classroom. Send pictures and/or information to ihimahim@outlook.com

Photograph Disclaimer

Please note IHIMA routinely photographs and videotapes events. These images may be used in print, visual presentations, and on the website to promote activities. If you do not wish yourself to be photographed, please let the photographer know at that time.



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Your Indiana Delegates

The Indiana delegates are here for members and to advocate for, and help advance, the profession. Please continue to share your feedback with your delegates! Your 2019-2020 IHIMA Delegates are: Necole Coots = ncoots@ecommunity.com (1st year delegate), Renee Meunier = renee.meunier2@parkview.com (2nd year delegate), Jennifer Osborne = josborne1@r1rcm.com (2nd year delegate), Alyson Stichter = a.stichter@ibm.com, (President-Elect) and Jacquie Villarreal = jacquelyn.f.villarreal@gmail.com (President)

IHIMA Board Bullets

The IHIMA Board of Directors met on Friday, January 24th from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. EST. The following includes the highlights of the meeting:

- 1) The board reviewed this year's Strategic Plan to make sure the 2019-2020 goals are being met. Everything is on track! It was reported that there will be three (3) IHIMA Scholarships awarded this year. The board also reported on and approved the Treasurer's report and approved the November 2019 Board's meeting minutes.
- 2) The Delegates reported attending webinars for the Envisioning Collaborate Team and the All Delegates webinar. It was shared that there was discussion around the State of Missouri recently passing legislation that changed their licensing regulations for hospitals where an RHIA/RHIT credentialed professionals overseeing medical records is no longer required. Find more on the [AHIMA's State Leaders and House of Delegates Engage Community](#).
- 3) The Annual Meeting Committee reported the agenda is in the final stages and will be shared soon. There will be two (2) keynote speakers, a Monday morning keynote and a Tuesday closing keynote. Job Fair participants are being contacted, speaker bios are being collected, and the silent auction will be back this year.
- 4) The Legislative Committee reported the IHIMA Day at the Statehouse registration is open. The committee continues to work with the Indiana Hospital Association (IHA) regarding the Medical Record Charging Law. The Indiana Code is the first item that needs to change and that is the current focus, the next step will be the fees. The committee is persistently trying to make changes. The committee reached out to Hall Render to discuss patient directed requests from attorneys to determine if a draft letter can be created for HIM professionals to use and is waiting to hear back. The committee is working on a proposal for board review regarding updates to the Release of Information Guide/creating a Legal Portal. The committee also shared a 'hot topic' to watch is ONC's Information Blocking and how this will impact providers.
- 5) The Nominating Committee reported the nominees for consideration for the open Board of Director positions for the 2020-2021 IHIMA Ballot. The board approved the ballot. Election information will be emailed to members soon. The committee also reported the [IHIMA Award nominations are currently open](#) until March 1, 2020. Consider submitting names for the IHIMA Awards. The [AHIMA Triumph Award nominations are now open](#) and are due by June 1, 2020. Consider submitting names for the AHIMA Awards too.
- 6) The Communications Committee reported a continued increase in social media engagement. The committee also reported continued communication to membership about IHIMA and regional events through social media and the monthly newsletter.
- 7) CIHIMA reported they are currently updating their bylaws and plan to distribute them to their membership for approval at their Spring meeting. The Spring meeting is being planned for April this year. A confirmed date will be shared soon. They are also soliciting volunteers for their elected positions, all except for President as they already have a candidate for President.

2020-2021 IHIMA Board Election Coming Soon!



The 2020-2021 IHIMA Board Election for President-Elect (1), Secretary (1), Treasurer (1), Delegates (2) and Nominating Committee Members (2) will open to IHIMA members soon! If you are an active IHIMA member, you are eligible to VOTE in the IHIMA election. Please consider supporting those IHIMA members who you think would be great leaders for IHIMA in 2020-2021!

Voting results are strictly confidential. Eligible IHIMA members will be entitled to vote. Watch your email for the opportunity to vote and help shape the association's future! Each candidate's biography will be included in the email for your review.

IHIMA Regional Association Updates

If you want to become involved with your regional association, refer to IHIMA's [region breakdown here](#) to see which region you belong to. If you are an HIM industry expert and would like to share your knowledge, or if you would like to volunteer to have an event held at your facility, don't hesitate to email your region's president!

Northern Indiana Health Information Management Association (NIHIMA)

By Courtney Heim, RHIT, COC, CPC, NIHIMA President 2019-2020

NIHIMA is in the process of planning our Spring Seminar, which is set for Friday, March 13th at St. Mary's in Hobart. The price is \$40 for members, \$55 for non-members, for a full day of presentations worth a total of 6.0 CEUs. More details to come, but for now, please visit our website at <https://NIHIMA.com> for registration information.

Central Indiana Health Information Management Association (CIHIMA)

By Darla Morrison, RHIT, CIHIMA President 2019-2020

We are working on the Spring CEU Event for our members. Some possible topics are: E/M Changes for 2021, General Surgery procedures and coding, and workplace security. Three (3) CEUs can be earned. The date is Wednesday, April 29th with registration at 12:00 noon until 12:30 p.m. EST. The speakers will start at 12:30 p.m. promptly and end at approximately 4:15 p.m. A short business meeting will be from 2:45 to 3:15. This will take place on the campus of Ivy Tech in Lafayette, Indiana. We are voting on changes to our by-laws, so please come and make your vote count. A registration form will be sent out to all CIHIMA members.

We are needing volunteers to fill CIHIMA positions that are still open: We do have someone for the President position, but need a President-Elect, a Treasurer, and a Secretary. The meetings could be moved to a more central location if there are volunteers closer to Indianapolis.

Finally, I hope CIHIMA members will take advantage of the IHIMA "Day at the Statehouse" happening on February 25th. I have heard how productive this was in the past, and how much it was enjoyed by all who attended. Well worth the time and effort! Connect and Learn! See you there!

Southern Indiana Health Information Management Association (SIHIMA)

If you're part of the Indiana southern region and have comments or questions, want to volunteer, or wish to learn more about your region, contact SIHIMA at francie.bishop@gmail.com.

Stay Connected with IHIMA!

IHIMA communicates with members using e-mail and the U.S. Postal Service. To receive this communication, your current e-mail and mailing address must be in the AHIMA membership profile database. To update your member profile, go to <https://my.ahima.org/> to login under myAHIMA. You will need your member ID and password.

Under Profile – Profile Management, update your information here. Don't forget to go to Communication Preferences – Component State Association (CSA) Selection and check the boxes for CSA Email and CSA Mail in order to "opt-in" and share your information with us. **We want to stay connected with YOU!** If you have any questions, contact us at ihimahim@outlook.com.

IHIMA Membership Communication Stats - January 15, 2020				
Opt-In/Opt-Out	Members Sharing Email Address	Certified Non-Members Sharing Email Address	Members Sharing Mailing Address	Certified Non-Members Sharing Mailing Address
# Opt-In/% Opt-In	1,505/68.7%	291/70.1%	1,539/70.3%	415/100%
# Opt-Out/% Opt-Out	685/31.3%	124/29.9%	651/29.7%	0/0.0%
Total	2,190/100%	415/100%	2,190/100%	415/100%

New Members of the Commission on Certification for Health Informatics and Information Management (CCHIIM) Announced

Congratulations to IHIMA member **Linda Galocy MS, RHIA, FAHIMA** as a new member of the Commission on Certification for Health Informatics and Information Management (CCHIIM)!

CCHIIM establishes, implements, and enforces standards and procedures for certification and recertification of HIM professionals. The commission provides strategic oversight of all AHIMA certification programs and is the sole and independent authority in all matters pertaining to both the initial certification and ongoing recertification of HIM professionals.

[Find full announcement here](#)

[Find list of 2020 CCHIIM Commissioners here](#)

And The January 2020 Trivial Pursuit Winner Is...



Thank you to all members who participated in the “#can you find the phrase?” trivia fun in the month of January! By emailing the ‘select phrase’ from the January IHIMA newsletter to ihimahim@outlook.com, you were entered in a drawing to win a gift card.

Congratulations to **Sierra Wilson, RHIA!** She is the winner of the VISA gift card! The winning phrase was #Volunteering is a Work of Heart.

You have another chance to win the “#can you find the phrase?” in this month’s newsletter! For those members who submitted the answer and was not selected, try again!

Here’s the instructions for “#can you find the phrase?” members’ engagement trivial pursuit:

- 1) Participants are entered into the monthly drawings by submitting the “#select phrase”;
- 2) The “#select phrase” is hidden within each monthly newsletter – January to April newsletters;
- 3) The exact, chosen phrase will be preceded by #;
- 4) The “#select phrase” must be submitted to the IHIMA Communications Committee at ihimahim@outlook.com; and
- 5) One (1) IHIMA member will win a gift card each month.

NOTE: Members of the Board of Directors (or close relatives) are excluded from participation.

Coding Corner - IPPS Final Rule Changes for Fiscal Year 2020

The Inpatient Prospective Payment System (IPPS) Final Rule for Fiscal Year (FY) 2020 for acute care hospital discharges became effective on October 1, 2019. The final rule was displayed in the Federal Register on August 2, 2019, with a publication date of August 16, 2019. This article provides a synopsis of the final rule content and should not be considered comprehensive.

CC and MCC Severity Level Designations

In the final rule, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) announced that it was postponing implementation of the proposed changes to the complication or comorbidity (CC) and major complication or comorbidity (MCC) severity designations for nearly 1,500 diagnosis codes. In response to public comment, CMS is allowing for additional time to elicit feedback on the proposed changes to CC and MCC severity level designations.

The final rule implements the proposed changes in severity designation for all codes in category Z16, resistance to antimicrobial drugs. The severity level for the Z16 codes changed from a non-CC to a CC designation.

[Read the full article here.](#)

Source: Foley, M. M. (2020). IPPS Final Rule Changes for Fiscal Year 2020. *Journal of AHIMA*. Retrieved from <https://journal.ahima.org/ipps-final-rule-changes-for-fiscal-year-2020/>

AHIMA members may earn CEUs for the article above by successfully completing the following quiz. *Journal of AHIMA* Continuing Education Quiz - Quiz ID: Q2049101- Expiration Date: January 1, 2021 - HIM Domain Area: Clinical Data Management - Article: “IPPS Final Rule Changes for Fiscal Year 2020”

Review quiz questions and take the quiz based on this article online at

<https://my.ahima.org/search/journal%20and%20quizzes>

Newly Credentialed IHIMA Members

Your hard work, dedication, and discipline earned you a very well-deserved distinction! **Congratulations** to these Indiana members qualifying for new credentials last month!

CCA

Serena Avery, CCA
Morgan Balmer, CCA
Becky Hurd, CCA
Sherri Keck, CCA
Lewis Pearson, CCA

CCS

Holly Bousman, CCS
Kamlesh Pankaj, M.Sc., CCS
Michelle Rivera, CCS
Colton Tanber, CCS
Evan Yearwood, CCS

RHIT

Mollie Felix, RHIT

CDIP

Jennifer Nevins, RHIA, CDIP

RHIA

Allyiah Williams, RHIA

Find Indiana's newly credentialed professionals who earned an AHIMA credential within the last year here:

<https://my.ahima.org/pages/certification/newlycredentialed.aspx>

Take the Next Step in Leadership - Apply for an Elected Volunteer Position with AHIMA

AHIMA is looking for strategic, innovative, dedicated members to be considered for one of their five elected roles in 2021. View the opportunities for the AHIMA President/Chair-elect, Board of Directors, CEE members, CCHIIM Commissioners, and Speaker-elect of the House of Delegates on the [AHIMA website](#). Select the Elected Positions tab from the top toolbar to review each description. The application for each position is posted on the [AHIMA Engage Volunteer Center](#).

If you have any questions about volunteering for an AHIMA elected position, you have two (2) options. Please feel free to contact IHIMA at ihimahim@outlook.com. We can put you in contact with Susan Clark RHIT, CHTS-PW, CHTS-IM. Susan is an IHIMA member, past President (2017-2018), and an AHIMA Nominating Committee member (2019-2020). Also, feel free to contact AHIMA directly with any questions at profession.governance@ahima.org.

AHIMA Elected Volunteer Opportunities Webinar

Taken from AHIMA's weekly E-Alert for January 9 & 16, 2020:

Join the 2020 AHIMA Nominating Committee Chair to learn about AHIMA's [elected volunteer opportunities](#) and hear from AHIMA volunteers about their experiences in these roles during a webinar on **February 4 at 3 p.m. EST**. The webinar will be recorded and the link will be shared on the [AHIMA Membership and Business Community on Engage](#). Nominations for elected positions are due **March 31, 2020**.

Access information for the February 4, 2020 webinar is as follows:

- [Click here to join Microsoft Teams Meeting](#)
- Or call in: 312-319-1489; Conference ID: 566 622 345#

Missed an Issue of the IHIMA Newsletter?



Every monthly newsletter gets archived in the [Indiana Engage Community library](#). Just log in as a member to view previous issues.

With Deepest Sympathy...

We are sad to share the passing of Jan-Marie Barsophy. Jan passed away January 8, 2020 at the age of 65. Jan graduated from Indiana University Northwest with a degree in Health Information Management. She enjoyed working in home healthcare and healthcare consulting with companies in Valparaiso, IN, Baltimore, MD and Washington, D.C. Ultimately, she formed her own consulting firm, HealthCare Management, LLC. Jan was a member and past President (2006 - 2007) of the Indiana Health Information Management Association.

The funeral service was private. The family requests that any donations honoring Jan be made to the American Cancer Society.

<https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/nwitimes/obituary.aspx?n=jan-marie-barsophy-daniels&pid=194973954>

The Best IHIMA Social Media Posts Last Month

- 1) IU Northwest and IUPUI both made the Top 25 HIM programs for 2019!! (Facebook: [Click here](#))
- 2) We are sad to share the passing of Jan-Marie Barsophy. Jan passed away January 8, 2020. (Facebook: [Click here](#))
- 3) Congratulations to IHIMA member, volunteer and former Board member, including past President (2011-2012), Linda Galocy MS, RHIA, FAHIMA as a newly appointed commissioner for CCHIIM! (Facebook: [Click here](#))
- 4) IHIMA members, check your inbox for information about the 2020 IHIMA Annual Meeting! Information was sent via email today. Registration is Open! (Facebook: [Click here](#))
- 5) Celebrate the 31st Health Information Professionals Week, March 22-28, 2020! (Twitter: [Click here](#))
- 6) Congratulations to IHIMA member, volunteer and former Board member, including past President (2011-2012), Linda Galocy MS, RHIA, FAHIMA as a newly appointed commissioner for CCHIIM! (Twitter: [Click here](#))
- 7) Throughout 2019, AHIMA devoted considerable attention and time to the new mission and vision that will guide the organization into 2020 and beyond. How do we get from AHIMA's new mission and vision to AHIMA's advocacy priorities for 2020? Find out here... (Twitter: [Click here](#))
- 8) If you missed Ginna Evans MBA, RHIA, CPC, CRC, FAHIMA, 2020 President/Board Chair of AHIMA, share the 2020 AHIMA agenda on Talk Ten Tuesdays this week, here is the link. (Twitter: [Click here](#))
- 9) The American Medical Association has released a checklist and online resources meant to assist physician practices with new Medicare office visit coding and documentation requirements. (LinkedIn: [Click here](#))
- 10) AHIMA members elected Ginna Evans, MBA, RHIA, CPC, CRC, FAHIMA, as president/chair of the 2020 Board of Directors. Her one-year term began Jan. 1. (LinkedIn: [Click here](#))
- 11) The sixth edition of the Interoperability Standards Advisory include an easier-to-navigate homepage; four interoperability needs for managing social determinants of health; new subsections for coordinated care referrals, clinical notes and cognitive status; and provisions for patient access to data. (LinkedIn: [Click here](#))
- 12) The NIHIMA Spring 2020 Seminar date has been set! It's scheduled for Friday, March 13, 2020. Join them at St. Mary Medical Center in Hobart, IN. (LinkedIn: [Click here](#))

Recent News from AHIMA

[AHIMA CodeWrite Newsletter - January 2020](#)

[Journal of AHIMA – January 2020 Issue](#)

[AHIMA Certification Connection – January 2020](#)

[Perspectives in Health Information Management Journal - Winter 2020](#)

[AHIMA's Train the Trainer for Revenue Cycle: Registration Now Open](#)

[For The Record Magazine – January/February 2020](#)

[Become a Certified Tumor Registrar](#)

[AHIMA Resources Newsletter – January 2020](#)

[Celebrate Your Team with HIP Week Swag](#)

Calendar of Events

- ✦ AHIMA Delegate Webinar: House Leadership Team - February 14, 2020, 3 p.m. EST
- ✦ AHIMA [Fellowship Application](#) Submission Deadline – February 21, 2020
- ✦ IHIMA Day at the Indiana Statehouse – February 25, 2020 – [Register here](#) (#IHIMAAdvocate)
- ✦ HIMSS Conference & Exhibition, Orlando, FL - March 9-13, 2020 [More info here](#) (#HIMSS20)
- ✦ AHIMA Delegate Webinar: HoD Forum - March 11, 2020, 3 p.m. EST
- ✦ NIHIMA Spring Meeting, St. Mary Medical Center in Hobart, IN, March 13, 2020 [More info here](#)
- ✦ Health Information Professionals (HIP) Week - March 22-28, 2020 - [More info here](#) (#HIPWeek20)
- ✦ AHIMA Advocacy Summit and Hill Day - March 23-24, 2020 (#HIMAdvocate)
- ✦ AHIMA Application to Serve – [Elected Volunteer Positions Applications](#) Due March 31, 2020
- ✦ AHIMA Delegate Webinar: Envisioning Collaborative – April 15, 2020, 3 p.m. EST
- ✦ National Volunteer Week - April 19-25, 2020
- ✦ IHIMA Annual Meeting, Noblesville, IN - April 20-21, 2020 – [More info here](#) (#IHIMA20)
- ✦ CIHIMA Spring Meeting, Ivy Tech, Lafayette, IN – April 29, 2020
- ✦ AHIMA Delegate Webinar: House Leadership Team – May 14, 2020, 3 p.m. EST
- ✦ AHIMA [Fellowship Application](#) Submission Deadline – May 22, 2020
- ✦ AHIMA Grace Award Application Due – May 22, 2020 [More Info here](#)
- ✦ AHIMA Triumph Award Applications Due – June 1, 2020 [More info here](#)
- ✦ AHIMA All Delegate Webinar – June 10, 2020, 3 p.m. EST
- ✦ AHIMA CSA Leadership Symposium, Chicago, IL – July 10-11, 2020 in Chicago, IL
- ✦ Assembly on Education Symposium – August 2 – 5, 2020 in Columbus, OH
- ✦ AHIMA [Fellowship Application](#) Submission Deadline – August 21, 2020
- ✦ AHIMA House of Delegates (HoD) Meeting, Atlanta, GA – October 17, 2020
- ✦ AHIMA Health Data and Information Conference, Atlanta, GA – October 14-18, 2020 [SAVE THE DATE](#) (#AHIMA20)
- ✦ AHIMA [Fellowship Application](#) Submission Deadline – November 13, 2020