

## ***eQHealth Solutions Announces New Web System***

eQHealth Solutions is pleased to announce the launch of eQSuite™, a new Web system designed to allow hospital personnel access to all Web-based applications through a single interface. The launch of the new Web portal is slated for October, 2010. This secure, HIPAA compliant, browser-based application will be easily accessed from the eQHealth Web site at [il.eqhs.org](http://il.eqhs.org).

Though Web reports and functionality remain the same, eQHealth has developed a new Web review system based on the requirements of HFS' utilization review program. The Web review screens will guide the input of patient demographic and clinical data, and new functions will ease entry of pertinent information (i.e. medications, treating physician) for review requests. Highlights of the new system include:

- A single interface to all Web functions, no application to install
- Secure, 24/7 access from Website home page
- No changes to existing eQHealth user names and passwords
- Review screens guided by the admitting diagnosis and category of service
  - Common clinical findings support certification of admission and length of stay
- Ability to update attending physician's phone number or add treating physician
- Medication table copied from admission or previous review request

With over 4,000 current Web users, we will phase-in implementation of the new Web review system. Training will be segregated into three groups, dependent on hospitals' current Web review volume. All training will take place via Webinar, with the first group in October and the last group finishing by December 1, 2010, with full migration to the new system.

Your assigned training dates and information will be sent to the Medicaid Liaison and Web Administrator at your facility. When notified of your training date options, we ask each hospital to register once and set up a conference-style meeting for this Webinar. This will allow more hospitals to participate on each training date.

If you require additional information, please contact our provider helpline at 800-418-4045, Monday through Friday from 8 am to 5 pm, CST or Rose Serno, communications specialist, at [rserno@hsofi.org](mailto:rserno@hsofi.org).