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WEEK 1		
Mon Oct 26 1:00 PM ET	CMS Division of Tribal Affairs Updates	**Lane Terwilliger, JD, LLM** Division of Tribal Affairs Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
Tues Oct 27 1:00 PM ET	Understanding the Fundamentals of Medicare Provider Enrollment	**Kim Robinson and Gail Atnip** Provider Education & Outreach Specialists Novitas Solutions Inc.
Wed Oct 28 1:00 PM ET	Unlocking Access: How VHA's Office of Tribal Health Is Transforming Care for Native Veterans	**Joshua Wear** OTH National Outreach Manager Office of Tribal Health Veterans Health Administration
Thurs Oct 29 1:00 PM ET	From First Contact to Covered: Outreach & Enrollment That Makes a Difference	**Austin Johnson** Operations Manager, Outreach and Education Southcentral Foundation
Fri Oct 30 1:00 PM ET	Oregon Health Insurance Marketplace and Enrolled Tribal Members	**Marina Cassandra** Tribal & Provider Liaison Oregon Health Insurance Marketplace
WEEK 2		
Mon Nov 2 1:00 PM ET	Purchased/Referred Care (PRC): Catastrophic Health Emergency Fund (CHEF)	**Salena Nicole Massey** Program Analyst Portland Area Office
Tues Nov 3 1:00 PM ET	Social Security: With You Through Life's Journey	**Kirk Larson** Washington State Public Affairs Representative Social Security Administration
Wed Nov 4 1:00 PM ET	CMS Medicaid 101	**Stacey Steiner** Acting O&E Technical Director CMS Division of Tribal Affairs
Thurs Nov 5 1:00 PM ET	Idaho Medicaid Updates	**Mahailla Emele** Tribal Liaison Idaho Medicaid
Fri Nov 6 1:00 PM ET	Alaska Medicaid: Preparing for Upcoming Eligibility and Enrollment Changes	**Deb Etheridge** Director, Division of Public Assistance Alaska Department of Health