HOSPICE REVOCATION



Prevention



Hospice Care

- Palliation of Serious or Terminally III
- Last Six months of life
- Hospice becomes beneficiary
- Revocations costs us all
 - Receiving Aggressive Therapy
 - High Risk Disease (COPD, AIDS)
 - History of 911 use

Hospice Revocation Avoidance

- Enroll patients "at risk" for revocation
- Visit at home
 - Counsel instruct 10 digit access
 - o "Register" patient in CAD
 - Co-respond with a "9-1-1" call
 - Help family through process
 - While awaiting hospice RN



Hospice Revocation Avoidance

- Program development
- Enrollment Criteria
- Protocol Approval
 - Care package
 - Response approval (MHP only)
- Program QA

Hospice Revocation Avoidance

- 99 patients referred
- 43 patients successful in the end
- 11 revocations
- 10 calls to 9-1-1
 - o 5 transports
 - 3 unrelated to hospice status
 - 2 direct admits to in-hospital hospice bed
 - No revocation
 - o 32 still enrolled

Integrated Healthcare Delivery





Can you keep a secret?

In 2010, a crack commando EMS physician unit was sent to prison for a crime they didn't commit. These men promptly escaped from a maximum security stockade to the Dallas underground.

Today, still wanted by the government, they survive as doctors of fortune.

If you have a problem - if no one else can help - and if you can find them - maybe you can hire: The E-Team











White House Lessons

- Don't Ask, Don't Tell
- Don't Touch
- Don't Run from the Secret Service
- Bring Cash

Thank You for Allowing Me to Be Part of the Club!