

Buffalo Medical Group Achieves “Better Performer” Status

WILLIAMSVILLE, NY – Buffalo Medical Group, PC, has been recognized by the Medical Group Management Association (MGMA) for the fourth consecutive year as one of the nation’s top performing medical group practices.

One of the largest and oldest multi-specialty private physician practices in New York State, BMG was cited in the MGMA *Performance and Practices of Successful Medical Groups: 2010 Report Based on 2009 Data*, as a “better performer” because of superior operational performance compared with similar medical groups nationwide.

According to the MGMA report, Buffalo Medical Group is among only 544 of 1,871 or 29 percent of survey respondents that earned “better performer” status. Most significantly, BMG achieved superior performance and success in three categories: **Productivity, Capacity and Staffing; Accounts Receivable and Collections, and Patient Satisfaction.**

Less than four percent (20) of the 544 “better performing” medical groups achieved superior status in three categories, and only one percent of all 1,871 survey respondents did so.

“Buffalo Medical Group is to be applauded for achieving such a high level of success, and for performing in a manner that distinguishes the organization from many other medical group practices that participated in our national survey,” said William F. Jessee, MD, FACMPE, president and CEO of MGMA.

Daniel J. Scully, BMG chief executive officer, observed that the MGMA survey results are a clear indication that BMG is succeeding in its mission to deliver high quality, cost-effective and accessible health care. “This prestigious national recognition is a tribute to the dedication and hard work of everyone in our organization,” Scully remarked.

The MGMA report, a benchmarking standard among medical groups for more than a decade, was produced using data from the 1,871 respondents to the *MGMA Cost Survey: 2010 Report Based on 2009 Data*, as well as data from a questionnaire that assessed management behaviors, practices and procedures of better performers. Of the 544 respondents that qualified as “better performers,” only 14 are located in New York State.

MGMA is the premier membership association for professional administrators and leaders of medical group practices. Since 1926, MGMA has delivered networking, professional education and resources, and political advocacy for medical practice management. Today, MGMA’s 22,500 members lead 13,700 organizations nationwide in which some 275,000 physicians provide more than 40 percent of the health care services delivered in the United States.

Founded in 1946, Buffalo Medical Group is among the oldest and largest multi-specialty physician practice groups in New York State. With more than 100 specialists

and sub-specialists as well as a team of 660 nurses, technologists and other health care professionals, BMG records more than 400,000 outpatient visits annually at its main locations in Buffalo, Williamsville and Orchard Park and 22 satellite sites throughout the region. For additional information about Buffalo Medical Group, visit: www.buffalomedicalgroup.com.

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