Hi ALL,

Below is a summary of the meeting expectations from the Rural Health Clinic workshop 2008 in Bend. I will provide some brief information links or sites that will be helpful as well as updates.

- Share information and learn
 Please make certain you are signed up to the RHC egroup list serve on our website
- Learn new policies and cost reporting information
- New CMS regulations

These are posted on our website at www.ohsu.edu/oregonruralhealth or on the National Association of RHCs at www.narhc.org

- RHC organization resources
- Networking and Oregon contacts
 The 2008 RHC report and the ORH website has all of this information
- Ideas on how to stay afloat 2008 RHC report
- Get clued in on RHC information 2008 RHC report
- EMR, financial information
 Dr. Carlson's presentation is posted on our website
- Education opportunities
 National Association of Rural Health Clinics host several trainings along with the state office
- How to retain pediatric services
 I would first recommend contacting the ORH to help the clinic determine how many potential pediatric visits are possible. Not much one can do if the community does not have a younger population.
- Information on MMIS

Contact Daneka Krama at Daneka Karma FQHC/RHC/IHS and Tribal Program Manager Division of Medical Assistance Programs, DHS 500 Summer St. NE E35

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- Recertification process
 Contact John Pilmer at 503-731-4013
- How to succeed as an RHC
 Contact other clinics and read the RHC report is a good start
- Mental Health information
 ORH has contacted Joel Young from Department of Health and Human Services. ORH will help
 set up a meeting for clinics to attend to further discuss issues around mental health. Please
 email tsoenen@ohsu.edu if you are interested in attending.