





# CMS SAS Users Group Conference

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Conference Schedule – Wednesday October 31, 2007



|                    | 9:00 AM  | 10:00 AM   | 11:00 AM  | 12:00 PM | 1:00 PM   | 2:00 PM  | 3:00 PM   | 4:00 PM  |
|--------------------|--|--|---|----------|---|--|---|--|
| Auditorium         | Opening Session  | <b>Mudd:</b><br>The Benefits of SAS® Access to Teradata®                       | <b>Alcorn:</b><br>SAS Enterprise Business Intelligence (BI)   |          | <b>Dunick:</b><br>COGNOS BI and the New BESS System           | <b>Sanchez:</b><br>MicroStrategy BI and the New BESS System                  | <del><b>La Barbara:</b><br/>Teradata® and the Integrated Data Repository</del><br><b>CANCELED</b> | Closing Session  |
| Multi-Purpose Room |  | <b>McNeill:</b><br>What's new in SAS 9   | <b>Axelrod/Shamlin:</b><br>Skinning the Cat This Way and That: Using ODS to Create Microsoft Word Documents That Work for You |          | <b>Andrews:</b><br>Descriptive Statistics for Healthcare Data | <b>Anderson:</b><br>Medicaid Analytic eXtract (MAX)                          | <b>Shatto:</b><br>Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey (MCBS)                                      |  |
| C-110              |  | <b>Waldo:</b><br>PROC FORMAT the Veg-O-Matic of the SAS system                 | <b>Michalski:</b><br>The Basics of SAS Functions  |          | <b>Brenner:</b><br>CMS Data Sources                           | <b>Scerbo:</b><br>Everyone Needs a Raise (Arrays)                            | <b>Summe:</b><br>Validating & Grouping Diagnosis Codes  |  |
| C-111              |  | <b>Vohra:</b><br>Fraud and Improper Payments using SAS BI and Enterprise Miner | <b>Hendel:</b><br>SQL to Create Penetration Reports   |          | <b>Hendel:</b><br>Using SAS/Insight to Explore Outliers       | <del><b>Matthews:</b><br/>SAS-L &amp; SAS Community</del><br><b>CANCELED</b> | <b>Hall:</b><br>Predictive Modeling Markup Language (PMML)  |  |
| C-112              |  | <b>Andrews:</b><br>By-Group Processing   | <b>Ireland:</b><br>Aberrant Utilization Patterns  |          | <b>Ask The Expert</b>   |  |   |  |

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| Time     | Room          | Section                            | Speaker             | Organization           | Topic  |
|----------|---------------|------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|--|
| 9:00 AM  | Auditorium    |                                    | Rick Andrews        | CMS / ORDI             | Opening Session  |
| 10:00 AM | Auditorium    | Reporting and Information Delivery | Jeff Mudd           | SAS Institute          | The Benefits of SAS® Access to Teradata®   |
| 10:00 AM | Multi-Purpose | SAS Presents                       | Sandy McNeill       | SAS Institute          | What's new in SAS® 9   |
| 10:00 AM | C-110         | Beyond the Basics                  | Dan Waldo           | CMS / ORDI             | PROC FORMAT -- the Veg-O-Matic of the SAS system   |
| 10:00 AM | C-111         | SAS Presents                       | Sanjeev Vohra       | SAS Institute          | Finding Fraud and Improper Payments Using SAS® Enterprise Business Intelligence                    |
| 10:00 AM | C-112         | Beyond the Basics                  | Rick Andrews        | CMS / ORDI             | By-Group Processing in SAS® First "dot" Notation vs. Procedures                                    |
| 11:00 AM | Auditorium    | SAS Presents                       | Patrick Alcorn      | SAS Institute          | The SAS® Enterprise Business Intelligence Platform   |
| 11:00 AM | Multi-Purpose | Reporting and Information Delivery | Axelrod / Shamlin   | Abt Associates Inc.    | Skinning the Cat This Way and That: Using ODS to Create Microsoft Word Documents That Work for You |
| 11:00 AM | C-110         | Beginning Tutorials                | Kim Michalski       | CMS / OACT             | The Basics of SAS® Functions   |
| 11:00 AM | C-111         | Reporting and Information Delivery | Russell Hendel      | CMS / CBC              | Using SQL to Create Penetration Reports  |
| 11:00 AM | C-112         | Statistics and Data Analysis       | Mark Ireland        | SafeGuard Services LLC | Statistical Models for Identifying Aberrant Utilization Patterns                                   |
| 1:00 PM  | Auditorium    | Reporting and Information Delivery | Walt Dunick         | CMS / OIS              | The New BESS System using COGNOS Business Intelligence   |
| 1:00 PM  | Multi-Purpose | Statistics and Data Analysis       | Rick Andrews        | CMS / ORDI             | Descriptive Statistics for Healthcare Data Analysis using the SAS® System                          |
| 1:00 PM  | C-110         | Beginning Tutorials                | Joe Brenner         | CMS / OACT             | CMS Data Sources   |
| 1:00 PM  | C-111         | Statistics and Data Analysis       | Russell Hendel      | CMS / CBC              | Using SAS/Insight to Explore Outliers  |
| 2:00 PM  | Auditorium    | Reporting and Information Delivery | Yadira Sanchez      | CMS / OIS              | The New BESS System using MicroStrategy Business Intelligence                                      |
| 2:00 PM  | Multi-Purpose | Beginning Tutorials                | Kai Anderson        | CMS / ORDI             | MAXimize your Analysis by using the Medicaid Analytic eXtract (MAX)                                |
| 2:00 PM  | C-110         | Beyond the Basics                  | Marge Scerbo        | University of Maryland | Everyone Needs a Raise (Arrays)  |
| 2:00 PM  | C-111         | Beginning Tutorials                | JoAnn Matthews      | Highmark               | SAS® L — A Very Powerful Resource for SAS Users Worldwide  |
| 3:00 PM  | Auditorium    | Teradata Presents                  | Jennifer La Barbara | Teradata               | Teradata® and the Integrated Data Repository (IDR)   |
| 3:00 PM  | Multi-Purpose | Beginning Tutorials                | Andy Shatto         | CMS / ORDI             | Using the Medicare Current Beneficiary System to Analyze   |
| 3:00 PM  | C-110         | Beginning Tutorials                | Jim Summe           | DataSci Consulting     | Validating & Grouping Diagnosis Codes  |
| 3:00 PM  | C-111         | Statistics and Data Analysis       | Jane Hall           | MicroStrategy          | Using Predictive Modeling Markup Language (PMML) to Bridge SAS® and MicroStrategy®                 |
| 4:00 PM  | Auditorium    |                                    | Rick Andrews        | CMS / ORDI             | Closing Session  |

## Building Layout

