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She is a lecturer in Genetic Counseling and Insurance Trends at University of Pennsylvania and in the past has served as a clinical supervisor for Genetic Counseling students. She is currently working on obtaining her Certified Professional Coder certification.

**Session Title:** Emerging Trends in Molecular Testing in the COVID-19 Pandemic

**Brief outline of session:**

Objective 1: Review the background of molecular testing methodology, sample types and CPT coding which provide a basis for the complexity of molecular testing coding and billing practices.

Objective 2: Identify emerging billing patterns for respiratory pathogen panel testing and the impact of this testing on fraud schemes within molecular testing.

Objective 3: Understand techniques for data, trending and auditing of molecular testing to identify fraud, waste and abuse.