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PALMETTO TECHNOLOGY GROUP'S PRESIDENT SELECTED AS SPEAKER FOR HITECH DENTAL CONFERENCE

Wilson Discussed New HIPPA Privacy Act Laws with SCDA Attendees

Greenville, SC – September 20, 2010 – [Palmetto Technology Group \(PTG\)](#), an [IT support specialist company](#) headquartered in SC, announced today their involvement with the [SCDA HITECH conference in Columbia, SC](#) held on Friday, September 10, 2010. PTG president Reed Wilson was the event's keynote speaker, discussing the new HITECH Components of the ARRA Stimulus Bill and how it will impact the dental community. HITECH outlines the privacy actions that dental practices must mark to be compliant – in addition to **Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)** compliance.

With the new federal regulations that address patient privacy and security, those in the dental industry must evaluate their practices and learn more about this healthcare reform. Through two two-hour sessions, Wilson discussed specific actions that dental offices can take to become compliant – such as notification and documentation – and even how to be considered for federal financial aid for the implementation of Electronic Health Records (EHR).

“There is no doubt that South Carolina dentists want to do everything to enhance the quality of care for their patients. HITECH takes the quality of care one step forward and requires dental professionals to protect their patients' privacy,” said Reed Wilson, PTG president. During the HITECH conference, Wilson discussed how best to become compliant and how his company, PTG, has assisted in this endeavor by helping SC dental practices implement the four key safeguards that are required under HITECH.

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