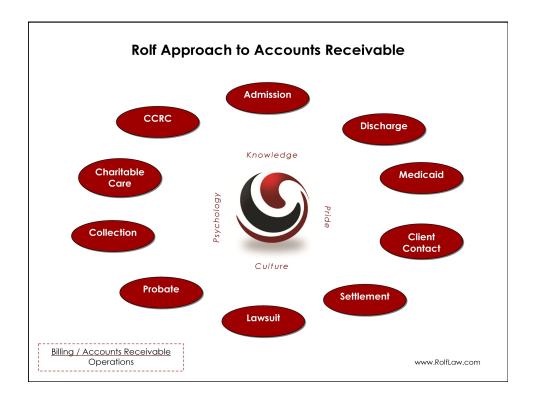


#### **Resolving Revenue**

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### Root Cause Analysis





### Attitudes Towards AR



#### What Services Do You Provide?

- Daughter is admitting her mother because she has been falling at home
- We wish to go above & beyond what a "typical" NF provides
- Checking on the resident
  - Standard in the business
  - What we will do
- Observing the resident
  - What is reasonable
  - What we will do

#### True or False?

Long-term care is expensive.



#### True or False?

Nursing facilities are raking in the cash.





#### True or False?

Residents & families who come to your facility do not have any other options.



## **Admissions Process**



- The admission application
- Completing admission agreement
- Transfers from other facilities
- Admissions from the hospital
- Involvement of administrator in admission process, or tiered process

- Voluntary guarantor
- Contingent obligations
- Credit cards
- Financial credit checks
- Representative payee
- Direct deposit
- Coinsurance for short stays

# Tracking & Follow Up



- Established A/R policy (in writing)
- Removal of discretion. Consistency
- Tracking of resources for long-term admits. Proactive follow up
- Shortened time frames for response
- Use of discharge process
- Interest

#### Medicaid



## **Amicable Resolution**



### Lawsuit





## Charitable Care







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