



Seminars



The upcoming Avanta Seminars will cover two separate topics. Since there was such a great turnout the first time around, one of the topics will once again cover the new Payment Posting program. The second will cover Electronic Billing (EDI), the Open Insurance Report, and information on the upcoming Avanta Third-Party EDI.

For your convenience, Avanta will offer six free sessions at two separate locations over three days. The schedule is as follows:

Monday, January 24th - Agoura Hills location:

AM session (9:00AM-12:00PM)-New Posting

PM session (2:00PM-5:00PM)-EDI Billing

Wednesday, January 26th - Cedars location:

AM session (9:00AM-12:00PM)-New Posting

PM session (2:00PM-5:00PM)-EDI Billing

Friday, January 28th - Agoura Hills location:

AM session (9:00AM-12:00PM)-New Posting

PM session (2:00PM-5:00PM)-EDI Billing

To RSVP and for more information on topics, directions and parking, please contact an Avanta Support Specialist. As space is limited, a 48-hour cancellation notice is required.

DSL vs Dial-Up

Connecting to the Internet through a high-speed DSL (digital subscriber line) modem has never been easier or more cost-effective. If you currently use a 56K dial-up modem, then you know how unproductive a slow connection can be. But, you may not know the advantages of DSL.

DSL modems offer a "broadband" connection to the Internet, meaning that several PCs or Macintoshes can simultaneously connect to the Internet at speeds many times faster than a 56K dial-up modem. Broadband also means no more dialing up, no more waiting for a connection, and no more remembering to hang up to avoid extra phone charges.

A DSL connection can also be used to create a high speed connection between multiple sites or remote offices to your Avanta UNIX server. In addition, these remote sites can have the same capabilities and functionality as the main site while still maintaining speed and security through point-to-point hardware encryption. Employees can create a home office by accessing the Avanta System from their home with full printing and billing capabilities. Billing Services can offer their clients access to view or enter patient data.

In addition to the above, Avanta's upcoming third-party EDI solution will require a DSL or cable modem connection. So, if you want to jump ahead with the convenience and versatility of high-speed DSL, please call Avanta and ask for Chip.

Please note that DSL or broadband service is not yet offered in all areas. So, first check with your telephone service provider about DSL availability at all locations.

