FAHRMM papers should describe a new, relevant, cost-effective, innovative, or practical approach or experience in purchasing, materials management, or support services (i.e. developing a new procedure in order to solve a problem, trying a different management approach, etc.).

**Key Word Suggestions**

- Big data
- Benchmarks
- CQO
- Clinical Integration
- Collaboration
- Cybersecurity
- Disruptive models
- Data analytics
- Drug shortages
- Lean/Six Sigma
- Predictive analytics/data
- Strategic
- Succession Planning

**Topic Suggestions**

- **Benchmarks** proposed processes and shared practices
- Hardwiring **CQO** into the clinical enterprise - Beyond the value analysis process, into the rest of the organization
- Building **collaboration** between Supply Chain and Clinicians to maximize cost, quality, and outcomes
- Cross functional **teams**
- **Data analytics** - how to take advantage of it
- **Disruptive technologies** impact on the healthcare supply chain
- **Disruptive models**
  - Consumerism of healthcare
  - Inter-industry collaborations
- Joint Commission: **Alarm Safety**
- **Health Reform/Value Based Purchasing**
- Integrating **UDI** into EHR
- **Leadership** - Building and leading a high performing supply chain organization
- **Lean/Six Sigma** - any training that examines processes differently is valuable
- Medical Device and Healthcare **Cybersecurity**
- Medical supply and **drug shortages**
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Key Words and Topic Suggestions

- Successful negotiations tactics
- Physician Owned Companies
- Predictive Data
  - UDI to assist getting predictive data
    ▪ Illustrate the benefits to hospitals, clinicians, and patients and an identified approach for multiple phases of implementation
    ▪ An analysis of companies who have implemented, identify challenges, what smaller companies are also resources, and identify where others are at with UDI implementation
    ▪ Post market analysis and surveillance benefits
  - How big data can transform HC
  - How to use big data for your value-based purchasing decisions
- Pricing transparency in healthcare
- Strategic planning
  - Integrating and aligning facility and supply chain strategic planning
  - Developing a strategic plan to ensure alignment of safety, satisfaction, and savings in supply chain
- Strategic sourcing
- Succession planning
- Supply chain skillset in a healthcare reform world
- Supplier relationship management
- Small Luer Connection Conversion
- Vendor selection/collaboration on shared best practices