

# 2023 HOSPICE FUNDAMENTALS

## Subscriber Webinars



Make sure to tune in the **Second Friday** of every month for about an hour. If you can't make it, recordings will be available in **Subscriber Central**.



### JANUARY 20th ELIGIBILITY – The First Steps to a Successful Hospice

Does everyone on your team understand the Eligibility process? In this webinar, we will help you stay compliant by providing you with tools and guidelines for determining Hospice Eligibility.

### FEBRUARY 10th Identifying and Documenting the Attending Physician

Is it clear to your team who the attending Physician is? This webinar will assist you on how your Hospice designates the attending Physician and documents it accurately.

### MARCH 10th Revisions to Hospice – Appendix M

We will provide you with a step-by-step of all the changes, plus a tool to ensure that you can "check off" that your agency is ready for the updated survey.

### APRIL 14th Gift Giving and Referral Sources

Is your sales team overwhelmed with CMS regulations? Do you provide annual education? This is a webinar that will simplify the rules and keep your organization compliant.

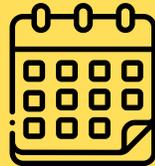
### MAY 12th Wage Index, PEPPER Data and Quality Reporting Updates

Hospices across the nation eagerly await the Proposed Rule for information on changes to regulatory requirements and reimbursement, and the opportunity to provide comments to CMS. We'll review and discuss the provisions of the proposed rule and, from the musings in the narrative, try to discern what is on the mind of CMS.

## Save the Date!

### JUNE 15th & 16th Summer Conference

Before you head out on vacation, be sure to catch this conference.  
**FREE for Members!**



### JULY 14th Review of the Complete Survey Process!

### AUGUST 11th TBD

### SEPTEMBER 8th Final Rule

CMS brings the final decisions on items proposed for hospices in the proposed rule from this spring, and Hospice Fundamentals brings the recommendations for the prudent hospice for implementation and compliance.

### OCTOBER 13th A Day in the Life of a Hospice Medical Review Nurse

Ever wonder how an auditor reviews your records? In this session, a former Medical Review Nurse will describe, in detail, how your hospice records are reviewed when you have an ADR, or other payment audit. A checklist and hierarchy will be provided- so you can challenge yourself to the test of medical review, before the auditors do!

### NOVEMBER 10th AUDITS – Who, What, When, Where, and Why of Hospice Audits

This webinar will allow you to understand the complete Audit Process and why they keep coming.

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### DECEMBER 6th, 7th, 8th



### Winter Workshop FREE for Members!

1PM EASTERN  
12PM CENTRAL  
11AM MOUNTAIN  
10AM PACIFIC