

42 C.F.R. § 488.1115

Surveyor qualifications and prohibition of conflicts of interest.

(a) *Minimum qualifications.* Surveyors must meet minimum qualifications prescribed by CMS. Before any accrediting organization, State or Federal surveyor may serve on a hospice survey team (except as a trainee), he/she must have successfully completed the relevant CMS-sponsored Basic Hospice Surveyor Training Course, and additional training as specified by CMS.

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