# Understanding the CMS and TJC History and Physical (H&P) Standards for Hospitals

#### **Program Overview**

This program will cover what is required to be in the patient history and physical (H&P) and how to meet compliance with both the CMS hospital conditions of participation and with the Joint Commission standards. CMS has five separate tag numbers. CMS has also issued a deficiency memo so information will be given on how many hospitals received deficiencies in this area. Our speaker will also include the standards for critical access hospitals.

The Joint Commission has many frequently asked questions on H&Ps that will be discussed including delegation of H&P, H&P for outpatient procedures, medical students doing H&Ps, podiatrist or dentist doing H&Ps, prenatal assessment, update requirements content of the H&P and authentication of H&Ps.

Hospitals need to ensure that hospital policies and procedure meet the H&P requirements. Medical staff by-laws must also be in compliance with the regulations and interpretive guidelines and standards.

#### **Program Objectives**

At the completion of this program, the participants will be able to:

- Identify the 5 CMS H&P requirements in the hospital conditions of participation that all hospitals that accept Medicare must follow
- · Discuss the Joint Commission standards on H&P
- Discuss the CMS changes for hospitals on H&Ps located in a CMS survey and certification memo
- Explain how hospitals must have medical staff by-laws and policies that include the requirements for H&Ps

#### About the Speaker

Sue Dill Calloway has been a nurse attorney and consultant for more than 30 years. Currently, she is president of Patient Safety and Healthcare Education and Consulting and was previously the chief learning officer for the Emergency Medicine Patient Safety Foundation. She has conducted many educational programs for nurses, physicians, and other health care providers. Sue has authored over 100 books and numerous articles. She is a frequent speaker and is well known across the country in the areas of health care law, risk management, and patient safety. Sue has no real or perceived conflicts of interest that relate to this presentation.

#### Who Should Attend

Those involved in making sure current standards are being implemented in their facility, including CMOs, CNOs, nurses, nurse educators, TJC coordinator, quality improvement coordinator, risk managers, patient safety, regulatory and compliance officers, ED staff, hospital legal counsel, risk management, health information management staff and others interested in updates to history & physical (H&P) CMS and TJC standards.



# WEBINAR

# DATE/TIME

Thursday October 4, 2018

10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

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