

# CMS Hospital Restraint & Seclusion: Navigating the Most Problematic CMS Standards & Proposed Changes



## Program Overview

Restraint and seclusion is a “hot spot” with both CMS and the Joint Commission, and a common area where hospitals are cited for being out of compliance. The restraint policy is one of the hardest to write and understand in health care today. This session will help simplify the CMS 50-page interpretive guidelines. It will also provide a crosswalk to the Joint Commission standards.

Sue will discuss the requirements for an internal log and what must be in the log for patients who die in one or two soft wrist restraints, and will include what must be documented in the medical record as well. She will also discuss the reporting requirements for patients who die within 24 hours of being put in restraints.

## Program Objectives

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

- List what a hospital must document in the internal log if a patient dies within 24 hours of being restrained with two soft wrist restraints
- Discuss the CMS requirement in which all physicians, and other staff, who order restraints, must be educated on the hospital policy
- Describe the CMS restraint education requirements for staff
- Discuss the specific items CMS requires be documented in the medical record for the one hour face-to-face evaluation on patients who are violent and or self destructive

## 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.

## Who Should Attend

All nurses and physicians with direct patient care, CMO, CNO, COO, nurse educator, risk manager, patient safety officer, PI director, TJC coordinator, quality director, hospital legal counsel, compliance officers, accreditation and regulation staff. Others that should attend include staff who remove and apply them as part of their care such as radiology techs, ultra sound technologists and transport staff.

## WEBINAR

### DATE/TIME

Thursday  
November 8, 2018  
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

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