

## **Hospice Self Assessment**

## **Directions**

Please circle a value for each question to provide us and the interested facilities with an assessment of your clinical experience. These values confirm your strengths within your specialty and assist the facility in the selection process of the healthcare professional.

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Hospice Care Settings Experience							
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Home care	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Inpatient hospital care	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Extended care facility	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Hospice Care							
Advanced directives	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Restrictive devices/restraints	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Lift/transfer devices	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Specialty beds	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Diabetes mellitus	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Blood Glucose Monitoring (BGM)	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Insulin administration	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Pain assessment & management	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Administration of narcotics/sedatives (fentanyl, Valium, Ativan, roxinal, morphine)	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Use of PCA (IV, intrathecal, epidural)	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Handling of narcotics in the home environment	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Non-pharmacologic strategies	0	1	2	3	4	5	
TENS unit	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Stages of grieving	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Spiritual care	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Death & dying counseling	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Patient & family coping skills	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Patient/family teaching & resources	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Quality of life & ethical decision making	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Death pronouncement	0	1	2	3	4	5	
After treatment (survivorship)	0	1	2	3	4	5	
National Patient Safety Goals	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Awareness of HCAHPS	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Accurate patient identification	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Effective communication	0	1	2	3	4	5	



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Hospice Care Settings - cont. Experience							
Interpretation & communication of lab values	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Medication administration	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Medication reconciliation	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Automated Medication Dispensing System, Pyxis, Omnicell, or other	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Bar coding for medications	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Anticoagulation therapy	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Infection control	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Universal precaution	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Isolation	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Minimize risk for falls	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Prevention of pressure ulcers	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Pressure ulcer staging & care	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Wound care	0	1	2	3	4	5	
IV Skills							
Venipuncture for blood draw	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Peripheral IV catheter access, maintain & discontinue	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Central Venous Catheter (CVC) maintain & discontinue	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Peripherally Inserted Central Catheters (PICC)	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Groshong/Broviac/Hickman	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Ports	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Epidural catheter maintenance	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Intrathecal catheter maintenance	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Repair of torn/punctured catheters	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Declotting occluded ports or catheters	0	1	2	3	4	5	

IV Therapy Experience						
Needleless systems 0 1 2 3 4 5						5
Administration of blood & blood products	0	1	2	3	4	5
Administration of chemotherapy	0	1	2	3	4	5
Monitoring chemotherapy		1	2	3	4	5
Administration of TPN/lipids		1	2	3	4	5

Physical Assessment Experience							
Cardiovascular							
Cardiovascular assessment 0 1 2 3 4					5		
Respiratory							
Respiratory assessment		1	2	3	4	5	
Use of Incentive Spirometry (IS)	0	1	2	3	4	5	



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Physical Assessment - cont.		E	xper	ienc	:e	
Use of oxygen	0	1	2	3	4	5
Application of nasal cannula	0	1	2	3	4	5
Application of face mask	0	1	2	3	4	5
Use of nebulizer	0	1	2	3	4	5
Placement of oral/NT airway	0	1	2	3	4	5
Use of ambu bag	0	1	2	3	4	5
Pulse oximetry	0	1	2	3	4	5
Oral and nasotracheal suctioning	0	1	2	3	4	5
Tracheostomy	0	1	2	3	4	5
Neurological						
Neuro assessment	0	1	2	3	4	5
Seizure precautions	0	1	2	3	4	5
Sleep assessment	0	1	2	3	4	5
Care of the patient with:						
Depression	0	1	2	3	4	5
Anxiety	0	1	2	3	4	5
Delirium	0	1	2	3	4	5
Fatigue	0	1	2	3	4	5
Gastrointestinal						
Gastrointestinal assessment (GI)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Nutritional assessment	0	1	2	3	4	5
NG tube insertion, management and discontinue	0	1	2	3	4	5
Small bore feeding tube insertion, management and discontinue	0	1	2	3	4	5
Gastrostomy/PEG tube management	0	1	2	3	4	5
Jejunostomy management	0	1	2	3	4	5
Ostomy care	0	1	2	3	4	5
Care of the patient with:						
Constipation	0	1	2	3	4	5
Nausea & vomiting	0	1	2	3	4	5
Genitourinary						
Genitourinary Assessment (GU)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Foley catheter: insert, manage & discontinue	0	1	2	3	4	5
Nephrostomy tube	0	1	2	3	4	5
Suprapubic tube	0	1	2	3	4	5
Shunts & fistulas	0	1	2	3	4	5
Care of the patient with:						
Peritoneal dialysis	0	1	2	3	4	5



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Age Specific Competencies	Experience					
Newborn/neonate (birth-30 days)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Infant (31 days-1 year)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Toddler (ages 2-3 years)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Preschool (ages 4-5 years)	0	1	2	3	4	5
School age (ages 6-12 years)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Adolescent (ages 13-21 years)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Young adult (ages 22-39 years)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Adult (ages 40-64 years)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Older adult (ages 65-79 years)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Elderly (ages 80+ years)	0	1	2	3	4	5

Please list any Additional Skills:						
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Additional training:						
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Additional equipment:						
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3.	4.					

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