



## Home Health Compliance Updates

October 26, 2023

6:30AM – 9:00AM PST

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This course will be a two-and-a-half-hour session covering: The alphabet soup of government audits is on the rise in Home Health. TPE's, RAC's, UPIC's, SMRC's, etc.

Learn the importance of each and what to do if your agency is one of the chosen. In this session we will discuss the different audits currently affecting the home health industry, how to prepare and what to do if you receive a request. We will review the top denial reasons, how to avoid those denials and how to appeal if you receive a denial. We will discuss home health compliance and answer your questions in this informative session.

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**Presenter: Debra Grott, RN, COS-C**  
**Director, Compliance & Regulatory**  
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Debra has over 20 years of clinical, operational, and management experience in home health which includes, due diligence, acquisitions, and integration of agencies; corporate compliance; clinical and billing audits; appeals; performance improvement & quality assessment; education and training; survey readiness and follow-up for state, federal or accreditation certification; and Medicare billing practices.

Debra is a member of the Health Care Compliance Association, Palmetto GBA's Home Health & Hospice POE Advisory group, as well as Home Care Association of Florida (HCAF), where she has presented on Review Choice Demonstration. Debra has also presented for the Home Care Association of Arkansas on Targeted Probe and Educate.

Debra is a certified OASIS reviewer (COS-C), as well as an ACHC (Accreditation Commission for Health Care) certified consultant for Home Health, Hospice, Palliative Care, Behavioral Health and Private Duty and a CHAP (Community Health Accreditation Partner) certified consultant for Home Health and Hospice. Debra earned her AS degree in Nursing from Delaware Technical and Community College.



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