

## DIVISION SCOPE OF SERVICE

<b>Division: NORTH CAROLINA</b>
<b>Classification: CASE MANAGER - HOSPICE</b>
<b>Applicant Name:</b>

  

<p><b>Case Manager – Hospice:</b> The Case Manager – Hospice must have equivalent qualifications, competence and function in the same role as employed individuals performing the same or similar services at the facility, as defined by facility job description.</p> <p><b>Definition of Care or Service:</b> The Case Manager - Hospice gathers assessment information, plans, facilitates and advocates for options and services to meet an individual's health needs. They also evaluate a patient's physical condition and develop a care plan that addresses any medical needs and social services. They coordinate the efforts of medical and nursing team members to provide appropriate care.</p> <p>Scope of Service may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide support and counsel to clients who are facing terminal diseases and conditions</li> <li>• Address the psychological needs of patients and their families through counseling and education efforts</li> <li>• Evaluate a patient's physical condition and develop a care plan that addresses any medical needs and social service</li> <li>• Communicates with available resources to promote quality cost-effective outcomes</li> <li>• Interprets legal or medical documents</li> <li>• Writes reports and professional correspondence</li> <li>• Implements standards and regulations that govern the individual case</li> <li>• Demonstrates Clinical and Service excellence behaviors to include the HCA Healthcare code of conduct core fundamentals in daily interactions with patients, families, co-workers and physicians.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Setting(s):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Healthcare facilities including but not limited to hospitals</li> <li>• Patient care areas, all settings</li> </ul>
<p><b>Supervision:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Direct supervision by the Department Director <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Indirect supervision by the Case Management department director</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>Evaluator:</b> Case Management Director or designee</p> <p><b>Tier Level:</b> 2</p> <p><b>eSAF Access Required:</b> YES</p>
<p><b>Qualifications:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Associates degree or higher</li> <li>• Licensed as <u>one</u> of the below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ RN</li> <li>○ LPN</li> <li>○ Licensed Clinical Social Worker</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>Preferred Qualifications:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Certified in Case Management, as recognized by Case Management Society of America (CMSA) (preferred)</li> </ul>

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**NOTE:** Where education may not be defined in qualifications area of the Scope, HCA Healthcare requires the highest level of education completed (not training or courses) confirmed on your background check.

### **State Requirements:**

- Current RN, LPN or Clinical Social Worker license for North Carolina or Compact license

### **Experience:**

- At least one year experience in Hospice

### **Preferred Experience:**

- Prior clinical experience in acute care, utilization management, and discharge planning preferred

### **Competencies:**

Case Manager – Hospice will demonstrate:

- Ability to work independently under general instructions
- Accurate patient information review and evaluation
  - Uses at least two ways to identify patients before meeting with the patient and family unit
  - Accesses the patient medical record appropriately
  - Documents in the medical record according to the facility standard / policy
- Appropriate case management activities for each of the following as it relates to hospice
  - Engages community resources in accordance with current laws, regulations and policies surrounding medical and behavioral healthcare
  - Engages patient and family to gather, evaluate, analyze and integrate pertinent information to complete assessment and form conclusions
  - Gathers and reviews information with attention to individual, family, and community resources
  - Respects patient and family preferences
  - Implements interventions appropriate for identified patient needs
- Infection Prevention
  - Practices consistent hand hygiene
  - Uses personal protective equipment (PPE)
  - Required immunizations per Division requirements
  - Complies with Isolation precautions

### **References:**

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Nursing License Verification: <https://www.ncbon.com/licensure-listing-verify-a-license-verify-a-license>

Nursing Compact States & Nurse Licensure: <https://www.travelnursing.com/what-is-travel-nursing/nursing-compact-states/>

Nursys: <https://www.nursys.com/LQC/LQCTerms.aspx>

North Carolina Social Work Certification and Licensure Verification <https://www.ncswboard.org/page/license-lookup.html>



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**Your signature confirms you will be able to comply with the Qualifications and Competencies listed within this Scope of Service and that you will confirm education via your background check.**

**Applicant Printed Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_