

## Overview

### Realize the Benefits of Telehealth in Home Health & Hospice

As part of the CMS flexibilities to fight COVID-19, the use of telehealth and telecommunications technology is permitted in both Home Health and Hospice. CMS has gone one step further for Home Health and in the 2021 Final Rule, implemented permanent changes to the regulations regarding the use of telehealth and telecommunications. So, what does this mean for your agency? Join us for this informative webinar and learn how to realize the Benefits of Telehealth in Home Health and Hospice.

### Objectives

- Understand the telehealth regulations
- Explain the benefits of telehealth use in home health and hospice
- Discuss patient criteria for telehealth use

## About the Presenter

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