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## **§418.102(a) Standard: Medical director contract.**

**(1) A hospice may contract with either of the following—**

- i. A self-employed physician; or**
- ii. A physician employed by a professional entity or physicians group.**

**When contracting for medical director services, the contract must specify the physician who assumes the medical director responsibilities and obligations.**

**Interpretive Guidelines §418.102(a)**

The medical director may also be a volunteer physician under the control of the hospice, as long as this person meets all Federal and State requirements for a hospice physician.

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