

**§418.76(h)(3) The supervising nurse must assess an aide's ability to demonstrate initial and continued satisfactory performance in meeting outcome criteria that include, but is not limited to—**

- i. Following the patient's plan of care for completion of tasks assigned to the hospice aide by the registered nurse;**
- ii. Creating successful interpersonal relationships with the patient and family;**
- iii. Demonstrating competency with assigned tasks;**
- iv. Complying with infection control policies and procedures;**
- v. Reporting changes in the patient's condition.**

### **Interpretive Guidelines §418.76(h)(3)**

Supervisory visits may be made in conjunction with a professional visit to provide services. Documentation of RN supervision should include, but not be limited to, if the aide is following the plan of care, is competent in performing required tasks and is satisfactory to the patient/family.

---