

***§484.80(e) Standard: Qualifications for instructors conducting classroom and supervised practical training.***

**Classroom and supervised practical training must be performed by a registered nurse who possesses a minimum of 2 years nursing experience, at least 1 year of which must be in home health care, or by other individuals under the general supervision of the registered nurse.**

**Interpretive Guidelines §484.80(e)**

*The required 2 years of nursing experience for the RN instructor should be “hands on” clinical experience such as providing care and/or supervising nursing services or teaching nursing skills in an organized curriculum or in-service program. At least 1 year of experience must be in home health care.*

*“Other individuals” who may help with home health aide training would include health care professionals such as:*

- *Physicians;*
- Physical therapists;
- Occupational therapists;
- Speech-language pathologists;
- Medical social workers,
- LPN/LVNs; and
- Nutritionists.