

74695 Requirements for Acceptance of Patients

(a)

All persons accepted for service whose care requires medical orders shall be under the care of a physician, dentist, podiatrist or other licensed practitioner within his or her scope of practice.

(b)

A home health agency shall only accept and retain patients for whom it can provide adequate care.

(c)

Home health agencies participating in the Medicare and/or Medi-Cal program shall meet applicable federal requirements.