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THE HOSPICE ADVOCATE OFFERS A WEEKLY TIP TO ASSIST LMHPCO'S PROVIDERS.

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TIP OF THE WEEK

HOSPICE MEDICAL DIRECTOR'S ROLE

The hospice medical director should determine the patient's terminal diagnosis and related conditions/diagnoses. Also, non-related co-morbidities should be distinguished by the hospice medical director with an explanation as to why the non-related co-morbidities do not relate to the patient's terminal prognosis.

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