

Hospice Face-To-Face Encounter Calendar

The hospice face-to-face (FTF) encounter must occur within 30 calendar days prior to the start of the 3rd benefit period and each subsequent recertification. This tool will assist in assuring the FTF encounter occurs timely. In addition, the following resources are available on the CGS website.

- Hospice Face-to-Face (FTF) Encounter: http://www.cgsmedicare.com/hhh/coverage/hospice_ff_encounter.html
- Hospice Denial Fact Sheet – Denial Reason 5FFTF: http://www.cgsmedicare.com/hhh/education/materials/pdf/hospice_5fftf_factsheet.pdf

JANUARY		FEBRUARY		MARCH		APRIL	
3rd Benefit Period Start Date	30 days Prior to Benefit Period Start Date	3rd Benefit Period Start Date	30 days Prior to Benefit Period Start Date	3rd Benefit Period Start Date	30 days Prior to Benefit Period Start Date	3rd Benefit Period Start Date	30 days Prior to Benefit Period Start Date
01/01	12/2	02/01	01/02	03/01	01/30	04/01	03/02
01/02	12/3	02/02	01/03	03/02	01/31	04/02	03/03
01/03	12/4	02/03	01/04	03/03	02/01	04/03	03/04
01/04	12/5	02/04	01/05	03/04	02/02	04/04	03/05
01/05	12/6	02/05	01/06	03/05	02/03	04/05	03/06
01/06	12/7	02/06	01/07	03/06	02/04	04/06	03/07
01/07	12/8	02/07	01/08	03/07	02/05	04/07	03/08
01/08	12/9	02/08	01/09	03/08	02/06	04/08	03/09
01/09	12/10	02/09	01/10	03/09	02/07	04/09	03/10
01/10	12/11	02/10	01/11	03/10	02/08	04/10	03/11
01/11	12/12	02/11	01/12	03/11	02/09	04/11	03/12
01/12	12/13	02/12	01/13	03/12	02/10	04/12	03/13
01/13	12/14	02/13	01/14	03/13	02/11	04/13	03/14
01/14	12/15	02/14	01/15	03/14	02/12	04/14	03/15
01/15	12/16	02/15	01/16	03/15	02/13	04/15	03/16
01/16	12/17	02/16	01/17	03/16	02/14	04/16	03/17
01/17	12/18	02/17	01/18	03/17	02/15	04/17	03/18
01/18	12/19	02/18	01/19	03/18	02/16	04/18	03/19
01/19	12/20	02/19	01/20	03/19	02/17	04/19	03/20
01/20	12/21	02/20	01/21	03/20	02/18	04/20	03/21
01/21	12/22	02/21	01/22	03/21	02/19	04/21	03/22
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01/24	12/25	02/24	01/25	03/24	02/22	04/24	03/25
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01/26	12/27	02/26	01/27	03/26	02/24	04/26	03/27
01/27	12/28	02/27	01/28	03/27	02/25	04/27	03/28
01/28	12/29	02/28	01/29	03/28	02/26	04/28	03/29
01/29	12/30			03/29	02/27	04/29	03/30
01/30	12/31			03/30	02/28	04/30	03/31
01/31	01/01			03/31	03/01		

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MAY		JUNE		JULY		AUGUST	
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05/01	04/01	06/01	05/02	07/01	06/01	08/01	07/02
05/02	04/02	06/02	05/03	07/02	06/02	08/02	07/03
05/03	04/03	06/03	05/04	07/03	06/03	08/03	07/04
05/04	04/04	06/04	05/05	07/04	06/04	08/04	07/05
05/05	04/05	06/05	05/06	07/05	06/05	08/05	07/06
05/06	04/06	06/06	05/07	07/06	06/06	08/06	07/07
05/07	04/07	06/07	05/08	07/07	06/07	08/07	07/08
05/08	04/08	06/08	05/09	07/08	06/08	08/08	07/09
05/09	04/09	06/09	05/10	07/09	06/09	08/09	07/10
05/10	04/10	06/10	05/11	07/10	06/10	08/10	07/11
05/11	04/11	06/11	05/12	07/11	06/11	08/11	07/12
05/12	04/12	06/12	05/13	07/12	06/12	08/12	07/13
05/13	04/13	06/13	05/14	07/13	06/13	08/13	07/14
05/14	04/14	06/14	05/15	07/14	06/14	08/14	07/15
05/15	04/15	06/15	05/16	07/15	06/15	08/15	07/16
05/16	04/16	06/16	05/17	07/16	06/16	08/16	07/17
05/17	04/17	06/17	05/18	07/17	06/17	08/17	07/18
05/18	04/18	06/18	05/19	07/18	06/18	08/18	07/19
05/19	04/19	06/19	05/20	07/19	06/19	08/19	07/20
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05/22	04/22	06/22	05/23	07/22	06/22	08/22	07/23
05/23	04/23	06/23	05/24	07/23	06/23	08/23	07/24
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05/26	04/26	06/26	05/27	07/26	06/26	08/26	07/27
05/27	04/27	06/27	05/28	07/27	06/27	08/27	07/28
05/28	04/28	06/28	05/29	07/28	06/28	08/28	07/29
05/29	04/29	06/29	05/30	07/29	06/29	08/29	07/30
05/30	04/30	06/30	05/31	07/30	06/30	08/30	07/31
05/31	05/01			07/31	07/01	08/31	08/01

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SEPTEMBER		OCTOBER		NOVEMBER		DECEMBER	
3rd Benefit Period Start Date	30 days Prior to Benefit Period Start Date	3rd Benefit Period Start Date	30 days Prior to Benefit Period Start Date	3rd Benefit Period Start Date	30 days Prior to Benefit Period Start Date	3rd Benefit Period Start Date	30 days Prior to Benefit Period Start Date
09/01	08/02	10/01	09/01	11/01	10/02	12/01	11/01
09/02	08/03	10/02	09/02	11/02	10/03	12/02	11/02
09/03	08/04	10/03	09/03	11/03	10/04	12/03	11/03
09/04	08/05	10/04	09/04	11/04	10/05	12/04	11/04
09/05	08/06	10/05	09/05	11/05	10/06	12/05	11/05
09/06	08/07	10/06	09/06	11/06	10/07	12/06	11/06
09/07	08/08	10/07	09/07	11/07	10/08	12/07	11/07
09/08	08/09	10/08	09/08	11/08	10/09	12/08	11/08
09/09	08/10	10/09	09/09	11/09	10/10	12/09	11/09
09/10	08/11	10/10	09/10	11/10	10/11	12/10	11/10
09/11	08/12	10/11	09/11	11/11	10/12	12/11	11/11
09/12	08/13	10/12	09/12	11/12	10/13	12/12	11/12
09/13	08/14	10/13	09/13	11/13	10/14	12/13	11/13
09/14	08/15	10/14	09/14	11/14	10/15	12/14	11/14
09/15	08/16	10/15	09/15	11/15	10/16	12/15	11/15
09/16	08/17	10/16	09/16	11/16	10/17	12/16	11/16
09/17	08/18	10/17	09/17	11/17	10/18	12/17	11/17
09/18	08/19	10/18	09/18	11/18	10/19	12/18	11/18
09/19	08/20	10/19	09/19	11/19	10/20	12/19	11/19
09/20	08/21	10/20	09/20	11/20	10/21	12/20	11/20
09/21	08/22	10/21	09/21	11/21	10/22	12/21	11/21
09/22	08/23	10/22	09/22	11/22	10/23	12/22	11/22
09/23	08/24	10/23	09/23	11/23	10/24	12/23	11/23
09/24	08/25	10/24	09/24	11/24	10/25	12/24	11/24
09/25	08/26	10/25	09/25	11/25	10/26	12/25	11/25
09/26	08/27	10/26	09/26	11/26	10/27	12/26	11/26
09/27	08/28	10/27	09/27	11/27	10/28	12/27	11/27
09/28	08/29	10/28	09/28	11/28	10/29	12/28	11/28
09/29	08/30	10/29	09/29	11/29	10/30	12/29	11/29
09/30	08/31	10/30	09/30	11/30	10/31	12/30	11/30
		10/31	10/01			12/31	12/01