

# FOCUSED PRACTICE PROFESSIONAL EVALUATION – FPPE

**\*WHAT IS FPPE AND WHY WAS IT ASSIGNED TO ME?** Focused professional practice evaluation (FPPE) is a process whereby the organization evaluates the privilege-specific competence of the practitioner who does not have documented evidence of competently performing the requested privilege at the facility

In 2014 Joint Commission instituted Focused Professional Practice Evaluations (FPPE) to verify competency at our hospital for all new Providers with Privileges and all new privileges granted. In order to comply with Joint Commission Standards and Medical Staff Bylaws FPPE/Competency needs must be completed for first services performed in the hospital.

**\*DEADLINE:** Conditions assigned must be completed within 3 to 6 months of assignment.

**\*DEFINITIONS:**

**Prospective Proctoring** - Presentation of cases with planned treatment outlined for the proctor's treatment concurrence, review of case documentation for treatment concurrence, or completion of a written or oral examination or case simulation.

**Concurrent Proctoring** - Direct observation of the procedure being performed or medical management either through observation of practitioner interactions with patients and staff members or review of clinical history and physical and review of treatment orders during the patient's hospital stay.

**Retrospective Evaluation** - Review of the case record after care has been completed. May also involve interviews of personnel directly involved in the care of the patient.

**\*Conditions are germane to the campus assigned. I.E. chart reviews done in Boise cannot be used for a Nampa FPPE condition asking for chart reviews** (conditions assigned are SAHS facility specific, so they must be completed on and for the campus indicated).

**\*Mid-Levels cannot evaluate physicians for hospital or SAMG condition/activity. Physicians must evaluate physicians as well as mid-levels per Joint Commission standards.**

**\*Provider is responsible for completing conditions the due date.**

**\*Provider or reviewer/proctor questions regarding assigned FPPE should be referred to the Medical Staff Coordinator from the SAHS facility from which the condition was assigned.**

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