

# BASE HOSPITAL PHYSICIANS

## QUALIFICATIONS 2014

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Prior to functioning in the Coastal Valleys EMS Region base hospital, each base hospital physician shall meet the following requirements:

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### Emergency Medicine Training/Experience 2014.1

- # Be certified by the American Board of Emergency Medicine, or;
  - # Have at least 5,000 hours of experience as a physician in an acute care hospital emergency department in the past seven years, with at least 2,800 hours of experience within a consecutive twenty-four month period, or;
  - # Successfully complete a residency program in emergency medicine, approved by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education.
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### 2014.1a

- # The Medical Director of the Coastal Valleys Emergency Medical Services Agency may approve physicians who do not meet any of the above alternatives but whose training and experience qualifies them to serve as base hospital physicians.
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### Other Requirements 2014.2

- # Receive an orientation to the the Coastal Valley Emergency Medical Services Agency.
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### On-Going Service 2014.2a

- Annually, each base hospital physician shall:
- # Work at least 250 hours in the emergency department of a Coastal Valleys EMS Region base hospital;
  - # Attend four (4) Run Reviews.
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## WAIVER OF QUALIFICATIONS 2014.3

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A Coastal Valleys Base Hospital may request a waiver of any of the qualifications listed above by submitting, in writing, such request. All requests must include the name(s) and qualifications of the particular physician(s) for whom such waiver is requested. The Coastal Valleys EMS Medical Director may approve physicians who do not meet any of the above alternatives but whose training and experience qualifies them to serve as base hospital physicians.

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