CPR Chapter Revisions

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Please note: Where applicable, this report shows current standards and EPs first, with deleted language struck-through. Then, the revised requirement follows in bold text, with new language underlined.

APPLICABLE TO THE HEALTH CARE STAFFING SERVICES CERTIFICATION PROGRAM
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Certification Participation Requirements (CPR) Chapter

CPR 2

The staffing firm reports any changes in the information provided in the application for certification and any changes made between reviews.

Element(s) of Performance for CPR 2

1. The staffing firm notifies The Joint Commission in writing within 30 days of a change in ownership, control, location, capacity, or services offered.
   Note: When the staffing firm changes ownership, control, location, capacity, or services offered, it may be necessary for The Joint Commission to review the staffing firm again. If the staffing firm does not provide written notification to The Joint Commission within 30 days of these changes, the staffing firm could lose its certification.

CPR 9

Applicants and certified staffing firms do not use Joint Commission employees to provide certification-related consulting services.

Element(s) of Performance for CPR 9

Key: D indicates that documentation is required; R indicates an identified risk area;
1. The staffing firm does not use Joint Commission employees to provide any certification-related consulting services.

   Note: Consulting services include, but are not limited to, the following:
   - Helping the staffing firm to meet Joint Commission standards
   - Helping the organization to complete intracycle evaluation requirements
   - Assisting the staffing firm in remedying areas identified in its monitoring as needing improvement
   - Conducting mock reviews for the staffing firm

1. The staffing firm does not use Joint Commission employees to provide any certification-related consulting services.

**CPR 15**

The staffing firm provides services and an environment that pose no risk of an “Immediate Threat to Health or Safety,” also known as “Immediate Threat to Life” or ITL situation.

The staffing firm provides services and an environment that pose no risk of an “Immediate Threat to Health or Safety.”

**Element(s) of Performance for CPR 15**

1. The staffing program provides services and an environment that pose no risk of an “Immediate Threat to Health or Safety,” also known as “Immediate Threat to Life” or ITL situation.

1. The staffing program provides services and an environment that pose no risk of an “Immediate Threat to Health or Safety.”