Organ Procurement Organization Governance and QAPI Consulting

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What to have ready

Each item ties to 42 CFR Part 486, Subpart G [https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-42/chapter-IV/subchapter-G/part-486/subpart-G] (eCFR, current as of September 30, 2026).

- Your current QAPI program document, covering all donation services including those provided under contract or arrangement (486.348).
- A list of contracts and arrangements for donation services, so each falls inside the QAPI program (486.348).
- The hospitals in your service area that meet the death record review criteria, and your monthly review schedule and records for each (486.348(b)).
- Your written adverse event policies covering identification, reporting, analysis and prevention (486.348(c)(1)).
- Your process and records for reviewing performance on the § 486.318 outcome measures (486.348(d)(1)), with the current performance data.
- Your advisory board roster, charter and the authority it holds, plus any other boards (486.324(a)).
- The dates of your current re-certification cycle (486.302).
- Any planned change to your service area and the status of CMS's prior approval (486.310).
- Documents showing your participation in the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network, which has its own condition (486.320).