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By now you should be very aware of the new CMS regulatory requirements effective March 2015. The 'regs' are intended to improve quality management expectations for home and community based services providers and direct care workers. How are you addressing them?

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