

**40-22a09. Same; written procedures for utilization review; patient information confidential.** Each utilization review organization shall have written procedures for assuring that patient-specific information obtained during the process of utilization review will be:

(a) Kept confidential in accordance with applicable federal and state laws; and

(b) used solely for the purposes of utilization review, quality assurance, discharge planning and catastrophic case management.

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