

FLORIDA MODEL JAIL STANDARDS MEDICAL INSPECTOR CERTIFICATION

CERTIFICATION COURSE FOR MEDICAL INSPECTORS



Course Details

The Jail Medical Inspector's Course is a four-day (32 hour) course, taught by members of the Florida Model Jail Standards (FMJS) Medical Sub-committee. The class combines classroom activities and hands-on learning that may require several hours of walking.

How to Become a Jail Inspector

To become a FMJS Certified Medical Inspector, you must successfully complete the FMJS Medical Inspector Certification Course and be recognized by the FMJS Committee to conduct medical compliance inspections.

Certification Maintenance

The certification is valid for four years. All FMJS Medical Inspectors are required to successfully complete an eight-hour recertification course every four years in order to maintain the certification.

Qualifications

State of Florida Licensed Health Professional (restricted to physicians, nurses, advanced registered nurse practitioners, physician assistants, EMT's and paramedics); and

Actively employed or retired from active employment in a jail or prison setting for a minimum of three years; and

Written endorsement from the candidate's sheriff & if services are contracted an endorsement from the candidate's employing chief executive officer; and

If the candidate is not employed by a Sheriff's Office, written endorsement must be submitted from the chief executive officer of the correctional facility with which the candidate is employed.

Course Subject Areas

- The history of jail standards
- Standards review
- Documentation
- Pharmacy rules and regulations
- Inspection techniques
- Medical records review and collection
- Legal aspects
- Report submission

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Locations are currently being considered for the Jail Medical Inspector Certification courses. If you would like one in your area, please contact our team.