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Area	Topic	New Function/ Program?	Changes reg./ statutory requirement	No Policy/ Procedure or Not Current	Changes in procedures	Changes in key staff	Significant Staff Turnover/ New Staff	Changes in technology	Adverse Internal Audit Findings	Adverse External Audit findings	Interview Suggests Risk	Out of Possible 10	Low (<2 checks)	Medium (3-5 checks)	High (>5 checks)	Low	Medium	High		
Human Resources	Employee verification and hiring process																			
	Background screening																			
	Employee Training																			
	Separation from employment																			
	Time and attendance																			
	Code of Conduct																			
	Conflict of Interest																			
	EO 38																			
	DOL Requirements																			
	OSHA Injury Reporting																			
	Satisfaction surveys																			
Insurance coverage																				
Legal	Not-for-Profit Law																			
	Chapter Litigation & Reporting to NYSARC																			
	Affirmative businesses/business enterprises/affiliated companies																			
Financial	Annual Independent Audit (Management Letter)																			
	Accounts Payable																			
	Accounts Receivable																			
	Purchasing and Procurement Practices																			
	Executed Contracts and Agreements																			
	Inventory Controls																			
	Billing Reconciliation																			
	CFR Completion and Submission																			
	Personal Allowance Accounts (Audits and Reconciliation)																			
Social Security Benefits Reconciliation																				

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Operations	Compliance with NYSARC Chapter Manual																		
	Transportation Requirements (DOT, DMV, 19-A)																		
	Facility/Property Maintenance																		
	Emergency Response Systems																		
	Accreditations and Certifications (CQL, etc.)																		
	NYSARC Quality Improvement Metrics																		
Compliance Program	Record Retention																		
Compliance Program	Refer to OMIG 8 elements																		
Programming/Services	Intake Procedures																		
	Discharge Procedures																		
	OPWDD BPC Reports (SODs, 45 Day Letters, POCAs)																		
	Heightened Scrutiny																		
	Residential Habilitation (Supervised, Supportive)																		
	Day Habilitation (Group, Without Walls, Supplemental)																		
	Community Hab																		
	Site-Based Prevocational																		
	Medicaid Service Coordination																		
	Plan of Care Support Services																		
	Community Prevocational																		
Pathway to Employment																			

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Programming/Services	Supported Employment (Intensive/Extended, ETP)																		
	ACCESS-VR Extended																		
	Respite																		
	Clinic																		
	ICF																		
	Preschool																		
	Camps																		
	Nursing Services																		
	Guardianship																		
	Behavioral/Human Rights																		
	Self-Directed Services																		
Other																			
HIPAA	Business Associates Agreements																		
	HIPAA privacy																		
	HIPAA security																		
	Document Retention																		
	Periodic Risk Assessment																		
Board	Training																		
	COI completion																		
	Audit Committee																		
	Committee Activity																		
	Program/Service Visits																		

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Info Technology/HITECH	EHR Vendor																		
	Staff training																		
	Access Controls																		
	Separation from Service																		
	Encryption																		
	Internal Controls over inappropriate use																		
Incident Management	Controls against viruses, hacking																		
	Incident Reporting																		
	Incident Investigation																		
	Incident and Investigation Review Committee																		
	Corrective Action Plans																		
	Incident Management System (internal communications, dedicated mailbox, access to WSIR and other reporting tools)																		