



Readmission Prevention Tools

Collaboration across the healthcare continuum plays a vital role in improving care and reducing avoidable hospital readmissions.

This section provides best-practice tools that can be adopted to aid readmission reduction efforts and improve effectiveness and quality of care in the post-acute setting.



Overview of Resources

Form	Purpose	Rationale	Page
SNF Rehospitalization Risk Assessment	Identifies the risk associated with a resident's discharge for potential rehospitalization.	By identifying discharges that meet high-risk criteria for re-hospitalization, a proactive prioritization of resources can be used to decrease factors related to potential readmissions.	5.1
SNF Transfer Checklist	Provides a means for consistent patient acuity assessment and pertinent admission documentation obtainability.	A systematic approach to collecting pertinent admission documentation assures that all necessary documents have been received for comprehensive patient assessment and treatment planning.	5.2
SNF Pre-Admission Huddle Equipment Checklist	Evaluates equipment accommodation that is necessary for individual resident's needs prior to admission.	Determining the equipment needs in a systematic approach assures that the resident will have the resources necessary for a successful and safe admission to the facility.	5.3

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