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June is: M1033 Risk for Hospitalization

What is M1033 Risk for Hospitalization?

▶ Screening tool to determine which patients are at risk of returning to or being admitted to the hospital

▶ We want to be sure we are identifying our high risk for hospitalization patients

▶ Patient's at higher risk for hospitalization are generally more acute and require more skilled services

▶ Under PDGM if the pt scores 4 or more points from options 1-7 this provides 11 points towards their PDGM overall score

▶ This identifies the patient at high risk and justifies an increase in services that are reimbursable

▶ Please take care in answering this screening tool to capture any and all risk of your patient

▶ Be sure to add applicable interventions to the POC

M1033 Risk for Hospitalization

PATIENT HISTORY AND DIAGNOSES, continued

(M1033) **Risk for Hospitalization:** Which of the following signs or symptoms characterize this patient as at risk for hospitalization? **(Mark all that apply.)**

☐ 1 - History of falls (2 or more falls – or any fall with an injury – in the past 12 months)

☐ 2 - Unintentional weight loss of a total of 10 pounds or more in the past 12 months

☐ 3 - Multiple hospitalizations (2 or more) in the past 6 months

☐ 4 - Multiple emergency department visits (2 or more) in the past 6 months

☐ 5 - Decline in mental, emotional, or behavioral status in the past 3 months

☐ 6 - Reported or observed history of difficulty complying with any medical instructions (for example, medications, diet, exercise) in the past 3 months

☐ 7 - Currently taking 5 or more medications

☐ 8 - Currently reports exhaustion

☐ 9 - Other risk(s) not listed in 1 - 8

☐ 10 - None of the above

M1033 Risk for Hospitalization

- **Intent:** Identifies patient characteristics that may indicate the patient is at risk for hospitalizatioin.

- **Time Period: SOC, ROC, F/U**

Select **all** responses that apply

Response 1-History of falls

▶ Includes witnessed or unwitnessed falls

▶ Information can be gathered from the scan documents, patient or caregiver report

▶ Note – 1 fall <u>with an injury</u> counts

Response 2-Unintentional weight loss

▶ Unintentional weight loss of 10 or more pounds

▶ Information can be gathered from the scanned documents, patient or caregiver report

Response 3-Multiple hospitalizations

► Refers to acute care hospital. Patient admitted for 24 hours or longer to inpatient acute bed for more than just diagnostic testing.

► Observation stays are not included

► Skilled nursing home and long term care facilities do not count

Response 4-Multiple emergency department visits

► Only includes Emergency Department

► Urgent care centers **do not** count

Response 5- Decline in mental, emotional, or behavior status

► Refers to **significant** changes occurring within the past 3 months that may impact the patient's ability to remain safely in the home and increase the likelihood of hospitalization.

► The decline may be temporary or permanent

Response 6- History of difficulty complying with ANY medical instructions

▶ Examples: not taking medication, not following cardiac or diabetic diet as instructed, not performing the exercise program they were given in the hospital

Response 7 -Taking 5 or more medications

▶ Includes over the counter and prescription medication

▶ Included in medications are TPN and oxygen

▶ Includes all meds prescribed even if the pt is non-compliant with the medication

Response 8 -Reported exhaustion

▶ Can be physical and or mental exhaustion

▶ Obtained by reports or as noted by the patient's current day of assessment status

Response 9 -Other risk

- ▶ May be selected if the assessing clinician finds characteristics other than those listed in 1-8 that may indicate risk for hospitalization (for example , slower movements during sit to stand and walking, lack of caregiver, trip hazards in the home , no heat/ ac, lack of food

Response 10-None of the above

- ▶ If none of the above apply after interview of the patient, caregivers and a complete review of the scanned documents