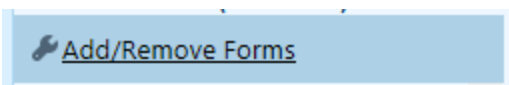


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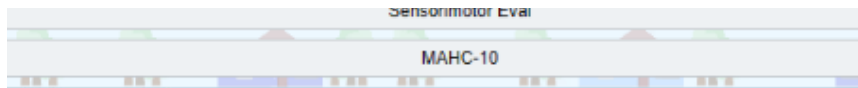
## SLP Visits Now Have MAHC10 Form Available

The MAHC 10 form is now available to add to all the Speech Therapy contact types in Remote Client, when needed.

1. Once you open the Contact type, click:



2. Scroll down and select the MAHC 10 Form and click Yes to appear on all future visits:



3. Complete the MAHC 10 Form

Required Core Elements		Points
Assess one point for each core element "yes".		
Information may be gathered from medical record, assessment and if applicable, the patient/caregiver. Beyond protocols listed below, scoring should be based on your clinical judgment.		
Age 65+	yes no	
Diagnosis (3 or more co-existing) <small>Includes only documented medical diagnosis.</small>	yes no	
Prior history of falls within 3 months <small>An unintentional change in position resulting in coming to rest on the ground or at a lower level.</small>	yes no	
Incontinence <small>Inability to make it to the bathroom or commode in timely manner. Includes frequency, urgency, and/or nocturia.</small>	yes no	
Visual impairment <small>Includes but not limited to, macular degeneration, diabetic retinopathies, visual field loss, age related changes, decline in visual acuity, accommodation, glare tolerance, depth perception, and night vision or not wearing prescribed glasses or having the correct prescription.</small>	yes no	
Impaired functional mobility <small>May include patients who need help with IADLs or ADLs or have gait or transfer problems, arthritis, pain, fear of falling, foot problems, impaired sensation, impaired coordination or improper use of assistive devices.</small>	yes no	
Environmental hazards <small>May include but not limited to, poor illumination, equipment tubing, inappropriate footwear, pets, hard to reach items, floor surfaces that are uneven or cluttered, or outdoor entry and exits.</small>	yes no	
Poly Pharmacy (4 or more prescriptions - any type) <small>All PRESCRIPTIONS including prescriptions for OTC meds. Drugs highly associated with fall risk include but not limited to, sedatives, anti-depressants, tranquilizers, narcotics, antihypertensives, cardiac meds, corticosteroids, anti-anxiety drugs, anticholinergic drugs, and hypoglycemic drugs.</small>	yes no	
Pain affecting level of function <small>Pain often affects an individual's desire or ability to move or pain can be a factor in depression or compliance with safety recommendations.</small>	yes no	
Cognitive impairment <small>Could include patients with dementia, Alzheimer's or stroke patients or patients who are confused, use poor judgement, have decreased comprehension, impulsivity, or memory deficits. Consider patient's ability to adhere to the plan of care.</small>	yes no	
A score of 4 or more is considered at risk for falling	Total	

The MAHC-10 was developed by the Missouri Alliance for Home Care.