# **HEBREW HOSPITAL HOME, INC.**

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NAME:	DOB:
MC:	MA:
OTHER INSURANCE:	
PHYSICIAN:	
DATE OF ADMISSION:	

#### **CLINICAL GUIDELINES FOR SHORT-TERM SUBACUTE ADMISSIONS**

Orthopedics:	Joint replacement: specify		cify Fracture: specify	
Location/type				
Neurological:	CVA	TIA	Other:	
Vascular:	Amputation		S/P vascular surgery: specify:	
Wound manag	gement: specif	y:		
IV antibiotics:	specify source	of infect	ion:	

Preadmission data required for the following:

- PRI
- Preadmission assessment form
- Preadmission addendum (for Medicare patients only)
- · Hospital data: ECG, laboratory, CXR
- Discharge summary
- Rehabilitation summary
- Rx for treatment
- Financial clearance: Medicare, Medicaid, or managed care authorization

#### CHECKLIST FOR INITIAL ASSESSMENT OF SUBACUTE PATIENTS

The initial assessment for each subacute patient should include each of the following items:

Present functional capacity

Preexisting functional level

Allergies

Decision-making capacity

Personal or behavioral profile before admission

Use or abuse of drugs or alcohol

Personal preferences related to food, clothing schedules, bathing, and sleeping

Education, occupation, and habits

Strong likes and dislikes

Cultural influences and language

Names of significant others

Educational needs, including those of the family

Motivation for treatment and recovery

Past activities that may be useful to continue in the facility

Types and uses of assistive devices

Equipment needs

## Days 1 and 2

Orientation to short-term unit

Introduction to interdisciplinary team

Initial assessment, development, and implementation of treatment plan by physician

Initial assessment and development of plan of care by team members

- RN
- Rehabilitation department: PT/OT/ST
- Nutrition
- Recreation therapy
- Medical social work

Initiation of Minimum Data Set (MDS) for Medicare patients only

## Within 5 Days

Clinical care plan meeting with patient, significant other, and team members

Initiation of rehabilitation program

Educational needs identified

If patient is managed care, complete and submit 72-hour report of all clinical evaluations, goals, and treatment plans

Meet with case manager for overview and discussion of goals of care and discharge options

Identification of any potential impediments to the implementation of the care plan

#### Weeks 1 and 2

Patient receiving services as per treatment plan

Initiation of diagnosis-specific teaching plans

- Specific instruction in use of assistive devices and DME
- Specific medication and dietary instruction
- · Specific instruction for home safety

For managed care patients, submission of the weekly progress reports to MCO

For Medicare patients, lock-in of MDS

Initiation of discharge planning process

#### Weeks 2 through 4

For managed care patients, submission of reports and coordination of services with managed care case manager Continuation of teaching and treatment plan

- Specific instruction in use of assistive devices and DME
- · Specific medication and dietary instruction
- · Specific instruction for home safety

Clarification of discharge plan

Identification of any needed home services (i.e., skilled nursing or therapy)

Identification of needed DME and supplies

#### **Discharge Indications:**

Patient meets the following criteria:

- Verbalizes understanding of physical limitations imposed by illness
- Independent in ambulation and transfers with or without assistive device
- Able to verbalize appropriate medical follow-up postdischarge
- Independent in self-care management
- · Understands options for home care
- Written discharge instructions to be provided