

**CHOICES FOR CARE
ERC TIERED-REIMBURSEMENT METHODOLOGY
SCORING WORKSHEET
Resident Assessment 09/24/09**

Name of Resident: _____
 ERC Provider: _____
 Date of Assessment: _____
 Scored by: _____
 Tier: _____

All information is to come from the Vermont Resident Assessment.

STEP 1: ADLs, Page 5-6.G.1, 2a-8a:

The first step evaluates six ADLs termed "critical care tasks" (Eating, Toileting, Bathing, Locomotion, Dressing, and Transfer).

"FINAL SCORE" CALCULATIONS:

If the self-performance response is 0 or 1 under any ADL, mark "1" in the FINAL SCORE cell.

If the self-performance response is 2 under any ADL, mark "3" in the FINAL SCORE cell.

If the self-performance response is 3 or 4 under any ADL, **AND** the support provided response is 0, 1, or 2, mark "4" in the FINAL SCORE cell.

If the self-performance response is 3 or 4 under any ADL, **AND** the support provided response is 3 or 4, mark "5" in the FINAL SCORE cell.

If and 8 is scored indicating the activity did not occur the final score =0

	SCORING CHART FOR UNMET NEED (COL C)		FINAL SCORE
	Self-Performance	Support	Self-Performance and Support
1. TRANSFER <i>(2a,2b)</i>			
2. LOCOMOTION <i>(3a,3b)</i>			
3. DRESSING <i>(4a,4b)</i>			
4. EATING <i>(5a,5b)</i>			
5. TOILETING <i>(6a,6b)</i>			
6. BATHING <i>(8a,8b)</i>			

TOTAL.....

A combined FINAL SCORE total of 6 - 18 = Level 1.

A combined FINAL SCORE total of 19 - 29 = Level 2.

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STEP 2: Cognitive & Behavioral Status: *Total number of points possible = 65*

- Cognitive Skills for Daily Decision-Making, Page 3, Section C.1, #2:
Assign the appropriate points as specified on the lines below. (0-15 pts possible)
C. Moderately impaired: _____ 10 points are assigned
D. Severely impaired: _____ 15 points are assigned
- **Assign the appropriate points as specified on the lines below.**
Sleep Pattern, Page 2, Section B.1, J _____ 15 points are assigned
Wandering, Page 4, F.3,1 C or D: _____ 15 points are assigned

Physically Abusive, Pg 4, F.2., 3a= 1 or 2 **and** 3b= (1) not easily altered
Socially Inappropriate, Pg. 4, F.2., 4a= 1 or 2 **and** 4b= (1) not easily altered
_____ 20 points are assigned if either or both are indicated

STEP 3: Rehab & Special Programs: *Total number of points possible = 62*

The sixth step looks at Special Programs including Special Behavior Management Programs and Special Rehabilitation/Restorative Care provided by the facility staff or staff on contract only.

- Page 4, F.4.,1&2, : Special Programs for Mood, Behavior and Cognitive Loss:
If Yes is checked for 1 or 2 (12 points total) _____ 12 points are assigned
- Page 12, M.3: Rehabilitative/Restorative Care:
If any formal and documented rehabilitative or restorative care programs are indicated under Rehabilitative/Restorative Care: _____ 5 points for each program

STEP 4: Bladder/Bowel Continence, Page 9, Section H.1 1&2, & H.2 #1,A&B: *Total number of points possible = 13*

Please note: Assign the appropriate points as specified on the lines below.

- If a 2, 3 or 4 is scored under either H.1, 1&2 bladder or bowel incontinence **and** an A or B is checked in H.2,1(scheduled toileting plan or a bladder retaining program): _____ 13 points are assigned
- If a only 3 or 4 is scored under either (H.1,1 or 2): _____ 10 points are assigned
- _____

STEP 5: Skin Treatments Page 11, K.5: *Total number of points possible = 10*

If a B, C, D, E or F is checked under Skin Treatments: _____ 10 points are assigned

STEP 6: Medication Administration, Page 11, Section L.1, 2-5: *Total number of points possible = 5*

If any on the following are true 5 points (total) are assigned)

If a "yes" is checked for any answer in L.1, 2

If a "no" is checked for any answer in L.1, 3

If a "no" is checked for any answer in L.1, 2

If a "no" is checked for any answer in L.1, 2

_____ 5 points are assigned.

Total Points, Step 2 – Step 6, page 2: _____

STEP 7: TIER DETERMINATION:

The final step considers the Level determined in Step 1 (pg 1) combined with the total points from Steps 2-6 (pg 2). From this information, it establishes the final appropriate payment level (see Table below).

PAYMENT LEVELS

ADL LEVEL-pg 1	ADDITIONAL POINTS-pg 2	PAYMENT TIER
Level 1	0 - 30 points	Tier 1
Level 1	31 - 59 points	Tier 2
Level 1	60 or more points	Tier 3
Level 2	0 - 35 points	Tier 2
Level 2	36 or more points	Tier 3

Level (pg 1) _____ + Total Points (pg 2) _____ = Tier _____