

WHEN TO DO THE H/C – PRI

HOSPITALS (Use H/C – PRI):

1. Prior or within 24 hours of the patient's assignment to ALC
2. AND every 15 days for the first 30 days
3. AND every 30 days thereafter until discharge
4. OR whenever the patient's status changes as evidenced by a change in the patient's assigned Resource Utilization Group
5. AND upon discharge when a patient has spent 3 or more overnights in the hospital (regardless if on bed-hold or was discharged and is being readmitted to the same nursing facility)
6. AND when the patient is being discharged to a different nursing facility than the one admitted, or is going to a nursing facility for the first time
7. AND when the patient is being discharged to an ALP (Assisted Living Program)

*If a resident has spent less than 3 nights and is returning to the same nursing facility, **NO PRI needs to be sent, unless requested by the nursing facility or the RUG score has changed.**

COMMUNITY AGENCIES (Use H/C – PRI):

1. Whenever it is determined that a person will require or does require admission to a nursing facility-completed, the PRI is good as long as, if there is no change in the RUG score.
2. AND whenever the person's status changes as evidenced by a change in their assigned Resource Utilization Group.
3. And whenever it is determined that the person will require or does require admission to an ALP (Assisted Living Program).

NURSING FACILITIES:

1. At time of discharge to another New York Nursing Facility.
2. Or whenever it is determined that the person will require or does require admission to an ALP (Assisted Living Facility).
3. A copy of the PRI and Screen should accompany the resident to the Emergency Room or Hospital.