

Home Health Certification and Plan of Care				Order ID: 1150/16290	
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				16482	
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			1487113239		
8. DOB			9. Sex		
06/15/1958			Male		
11. ICD			Date		
J86.9			02/14/26		
Principal Diagnosis					
Pyothorax without fistula					
13. ICD			Date		
B96.20			02/14/26		
Other Pertinent Diagnoses					
Unsp Escherichia coli as the cause of diseases classd elswhr					
I48.0			02/14/26		
Paroxysmal atrial fibrillation					
I13.0			02/14/26		
Hyp hrt & chr kdny dis w hrt fail and stg 1-4/unsp chr kdny					
I50.33			02/14/26		
Acute on chronic diastolic (congestive) heart failure					
E11.22			02/14/26		
Type 2 diabetes mellitus w diabetic chronic kidney disease					
N18.30			02/14/26		
Chronic kidney disease stage 3 unspecified					
J98.11			02/14/26		
Atelectasis					
E11.65			02/14/26		
Type 2 diabetes mellitus with hyperglycemia					
G30.9			02/14/26		
Alzheimer's disease unspecified					
F02.83			02/14/26		
Dem in other dis classd elswhr unsp sev with mood distrb					
F32.A			02/14/26		
Depression unspecified					
K21.9			02/14/26		
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis					
N40.0			02/14/26		
Benign prostatic hyperplasia without lower urinry tract symp					
J44.89			02/14/26		
Other specified chronic obstructive pulmonary disease					
E11.42			02/14/26		
Type 2 diabetes mellitus with diabetic polyneuropathy					
G89.29			02/14/26		
Other chronic pain					
H91.93			02/14/26		
Unspecified hearing loss bilateral					
M51.379			02/14/26		
Other intervertebral disc degeneration lumbosacral region					
D50.9			02/14/26		
Iron deficiency anemia unspecified					
I70.0			02/14/26		
Atherosclerosis of aorta					
M96.1			02/14/26		
Postlaminectomy syndrome not elsewhere classified					
N52.9			02/14/26		
Male erectile dysfunction unspecified					
E78.2			02/14/26		
Mixed hyperlipidemia					
E66.9			02/14/26		
Obesity unspecified					
14. DME and Supplies:			15. Safety Measures:		
IV supplies, diabetic supplies, cane			diabetic precautions, , ambulates with device, , bathroom safety, , activity supervision		
16. Nutrition:			17. Allergies:		
diabetic			oxycodone-acetaminophen sulfa lisinopril		
18.A. Functional Limitations			18.B. Activities Permitted		
Ambulation			No Restrictions		
19. Mental & Pyschosocial Status:			COGNITION: 0. Alert/ oriented, able to focus and shift attention, comprehends and recalls task directions independently., ANXIETY: 0. Never, SOCIAL ISOLATION: 0. Never, BEHAVIORAL ISSUES: 1. Memory deficit: failure to recognize familiar persons/places, inability to recall events of past 24 hours, significant memory loss so that supervision is required!2. Impaired decision-making: failure to perform usual ADLs or IADLs, inability to appropriately stop activities, jeopardizes safety through actions, HISTORY OF DEPRESSION: Yes		
20. Prognosis:			fair		
22. A Rehabilitation Potential:			22.B.Discharge Plans		
SELF-CARE: 2. Needed Some Help - Patient needed partial assistance from another person to complete any activities., MOBILITY: 2. Needed Some Help - Patient needed partial assistance from another person to complete any activities.			patient will be responsible for managing treatment family/caregiver will be responsible for managing treatment		
23. Signature and Date of Verbal SOC Where Applicable:			25. Date HHA Received Signed POT		
Electronically Signed by Messick, Charles RN on 02/14/2026					
24. Physician's Name and Address			26. I certify/recertify that this patient is confined to his/her home and needs intermittent skilled nursing care, physical therapy and/or speech therapy or continues to need occupational therapy. The patient is under my care, and I have authorized the services on this plan of care and will periodically review the plan.		
Laura Emmanuel-Allen			F2F date : 02/09/2026		
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27. Attending Physician's Signature and Date Signed : Date of physician last face-to-face			28. Anyone who misrepresents, falsifies, or conceals essential information required for payment of Federal funds may be subject to fine, imprisonment, or civil penalty under applicable Federal laws.		
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Homebound status: Due to diagnosis of Pyothorax Without Fistula, the patient is experiencing decreased endurance and mobility, increasing the likelihood of falls. To safely leave their home, the patient needs assistance from another person and an assistive mobility device.

Clinical Condition <div>The patient is a 67-year-old male with a significant past medical history of pyothorax, atrial fibrillation, congestive heart failure (CHF), type 2 diabetes mellitus, obesity, and documented cognitive deficits. He was recently evaluated at Kaiser Urgent Care for bilateral lower extremity redness, erythema, swelling, and foul-smelling drainage consistent with infection and is currently receiving intravenous antibiotic therapy with ceftriaxone 2 grams daily via a peripherally inserted central catheter (PICC) line placed in the right upper extremity on 02/12/2026. The patient resides in a ranch-style home with his wife, who serves as his primary caregiver and assists with medication administration and daily care. Medication reconciliation was completed during the visit. His medication regimen includes two antihypertensive agents, a diuretic, metoprolol, and diabetic management medications. During the visit, caregiver education was provided regarding IV antibiotic administration, and the patient's wife demonstrated appropriate understanding and technique. She reported that after administration of morning medications, the patient became dizzy. Vital signs at that time revealed blood pressure of 85/48 mmHg and pulse of 54 bpm. Blood glucose was 258 mg/dL. After oral fluid intake and brief monitoring, repeat blood pressure improved to 90/56 mmHg and pulse to 57 bpm; however, he remained weak and symptomatic. It was identified that blood pressure had not been checked prior to administration of morning antihypertensive medications. Education was reinforced regarding the importance of daily blood pressure and pulse monitoring prior to medication administration, including instructions to hold metoprolol if pulse is below 60 bpm and to notify the primary care provider of hypotension or bradycardia. The patient denied pain but presented with generalized weakness, fatigue, slow and unsteady gait, and limited activity tolerance. His wife also reported skin excoriation to the buttocks; however, due to dizziness and weakness, the patient was unable to safely stand or turn for full assessment. Skin assessment will be completed at the next visit, and education was provided on pressure relief and monitoring for skin breakdown. Functionally, the patient demonstrates decline from his prior level of function. Previously, he was independent with basic self-care tasks, functional transfers, and household ambulation. Currently, he exhibits decreased standing balance, reduced standing tolerance, diminished bilateral upper extremity strength, and decreased overall activity tolerance, resulting in impaired independence with activities of daily living, transfers, and mobility. He requires assistance for safe transfers and ambulation. During therapy intervention, he tolerated straight leg raises, long arc quadriceps exercises, mini squats, and heel/toe raises at 10 repetitions for 2 sets each, though he fatigued easily and required close supervision and assistance for safety. Skilled nursing services remain medically necessary for continued IV antibiotic management, PICC line care, cardiopulmonary monitoring, diabetic management, medication education and safety reinforcement, and skin integrity assessment. Skilled physical and occupational therapy services are also recommended to address deficits in strength, endurance, balance, and functional mobility, with the goal of restoring independence in self-care and ambulation and preventing further deconditioning or falls. The plan of care includes continued therapeutic exercise progression, transfer and gait training, energy conservation strategies, caregiver education, close monitoring of vital signs and glycemic control, and coordination with the primary care provider regarding hypotension, bradycardia, and medication adjustments as indicated.</div><div>
</div><div>Date of Order</div><div>02/14/2026</div><div>Orders</div><div>Physician Face-to-Face Date: 02/09/2026</div><div>Clinical Condition Requiring Home Care per Certifying Physician: sn-disease management pt-eval & treat ot-eval & treat due to Pyothorax Without Fistula</div><div>Homebound Status per Certifying Physician: patient requires another person or medical equipment such as crutches, a walker, or a wheelchair to leave home</div><div>
</div><div>1 - SOC - SN Notes: soc</div><div>PT Eval Notes:</div><div>OT Eval Notes:</div><div>
</div><div>Physician</div><div>Emmanuel-Allen, Laura</div>

SN Careplans

SN WK1: 1 (02/14/26-02/14/26) ,WK2: 1 (02/15/26-02/21/26) ,WK3: 1 (02/22/26-02/28/26) ,WK4: 1 (03/01/26-03/07/26) ,WK5: 1 (03/08/26-03/14/26) ,WK6: 1 (03/15/26-03/21/26) ,WK7: 1 (03/22/26-03/28/26) ,WK8: 1 (03/29/26-04/04/26) ,WK9: 1 (04/05/26-04/11/26) ,WK10: 1 (04/12/26-04/14/26)

PARAMETERS FOR PHYSICIAN NOTIFICATION: temperature < 95 > 100.5, heart rate < 50 > 110, respiratory rate < 8 > 22, blood pressure systolic < 90 > 169, blood pressure diastolic < 60 > 90, O2 saturation < 88 > 100, pain < 0 > 5

CAREGIVER: 1. Non-agency caregiver(s) currently provide assistance

HOSPITALIZATION RISKS: 3. Multiple hospitalizations (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

STANDING ORDERS: infection control: hygiene, proper hand washing; advance directive: plan if patient is unable to make healthcare decisions ; fall precautions: wear sensible shoes, remove home hazards, living space adequately lit, assistive devices prn; emergency preparedness: plan for prn evacuation, resumption of home health visits; Assess the patient's incision on post op day 7 and the nurse or physical therapist will remove aquacel dressing leaving OTA; if incision is draining educate pt/pcg on cleaning with normal saline and covering with dry gauze daily and as needed. Assess/Instruct Pt/PCg: Ice to ____ x 20 minutes each hour while awake. If cold machine ordered apply 20 minutes on and 20 minutes off for 3-4 times a day. Assess/Instruct all body systems/vital signs/complications, Blood Pressure; systolic is greater than 169 mm Hg or less than 90 mm Hg; diastolic is greater than 100 mm Hg or less than 55 mm Hg, Clinician to assess comorbidities and report changes in condition to the patient's physician, Pain Rating is greater than 6 on 0-10 scale, Pulse is greater than 110 or less than 50, Respirations are greater than 22 or less than 8, SPO2: is less than 90 % at rest /with exertion, Temperature is greater than 100.5 F or less than 95.0 F, Pain Rating is greater than 6 on 0-10 scale Implement Fall Prevention Program, Instruct and educate the patient/PCG on wearing compression stockings for the next 4 weeks per discharge instructions. Instruct the pt/PCG on using the incentive spirometer 10 times every 2 hour while awake. Provide education content at patient's level of health literacy. Assess/Instruct Pt/PCg: Safety measures to prevent injury. Assess: Musculoskeletal status. Teach Pt/PCg to maintain appropriate wt bearing status as ordered by MD, total joint replacement precautions as applicable, Safe stair climbing skills, Safe, effective use of adaptive/assist device Assess/Instruct Pt/PCg: Pain management measures; assess pain level, pain medication, rest, body alignment, ROM, meditation, massage. Pt/PCg educated in pain management techniques including positioning and relaxation techniques

SN Goals

PATIENT-STATED GOAL: To complete the antibiotics without complications.

GOALS

patient/caregiver recalls

- * depression-prevention strategies including avoidance of isolation
- * healthy eating
- * sleeping habits
- * identification of activities that bring pleasure
- * preventive care
- * recalls related medication(s) purpos

patient/caregiver recalls

- * management of mental health condition including joining a peer group
- * maintaining regular contact with mental health professional
- * avoiding known stressors
- * controlling impulses
- * recalls related medication(s)

patient/caregiver recalls

- * lifestyle modifications to manage respiratory condition including
- * diet changes and regular exercise
- * strategies to control shortness of breath
- * home remedies to keep lungs healthy
- * recalls related medicatio

patient self-administers medications as prescribed

- * recalls related medication(s) purpose, schedule

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Instruct Pt/Pcg: Medication actions, uses, frequency, dose, side effects, interactions of all new/change meds, Provide medication education., Assess/Instruct Pt/Pcg: Safety measures to prevent injury, Therapeutic Exercise, Transfer Training Monitor surgical wound for s/s of infection, educate on s/s of concern and infection prevention to promote wound healing. ; Skin Preservation: Measures to prevent skin breakdown; pressure relief, incontinence care, nutrition, hydration ; Pain: Pain management measures; pain medication, rest, body alignment, ROM, meditation, massage ; Medications: Medication actions, uses, frequency, dose, interactions of all new/change meds Advance Directive:Durable power of attorney for health care/Medical power of attorney PROBLEMS IDENTIFIED ON ASSESSMENT: M1745 - Behavioral Issues, D0160 - Depression, M2020 - Oral Med Management, M1400 - Dyspnea, abnormal blood pressure, abnormal BS < 70/140 > mg/dL, muscle weakness, balance deficit, skin breakdown r/t incontinence PROCEDURES: cough/deep breathing exercises, glucose testing via monitor, infusion therapy: Administer IV Rocephin 2g every 24 hours via PICC line. Change PICC line dressing and collect blood specimen for CBC, Chem 7 weekly. TEACH PATIENT/CAREGIVER: * lifestyle modifications to manage respiratory condition including diet changes and regular exercise strategies to control shortness of breath home remedies to keep lungs healthy, related medicatio, * depression-prevention strategies including avoidance of isolation healthy eating sleeping habits identification of activities that bring pleasure preventive care, related medication(s) purposos, * management of mental health condition including joining a peer group maintaining regular contact with mental health professional avoiding known stressors controlling impulses, related medication(s), patient self-administers medications as prescribed, related medication(s) purpose, schedule						
PT Careplans			PT Goals			
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PROBLEMS IDENTIFIED ON ASSESSMENT: M1400 - Dyspnea, GG0170F1 - Toilet Transfer, GG0170D1 - Sit to Stand, GG0170E1 - Chair to Bed to Chair, GG0170G1 - Car Transfer, GG0170I1 - Walk 10 Feet, GG0170J1 - Walk 50 ft with 2 Turns, GG0170K1 - Walk 150 Feet, GG0170L1 - Walk 10 ft on Uneven Surface, GG0170M1 - 1 - Step (curb), GG0170N1 - 4 Steps, GG0170O1 - 12 Steps, GG0170P1 - Picking Up Object			GOALS Chair to Bed to Chair - 06. Independent			
PROCEDURES: cough/deep breathing exercises, incentive spirometer, strengthening exercises, gait training on uneven surfaces, gait training/stair training, transfers training			Toilet Transfer - 06. Independent			
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OT Careplans			OT Goals			
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PROBLEMS IDENTIFIED ON ASSESSMENT: , M1400 - Dyspnea, GG0130B1 - Oral Hygiene, GG0130F1 - Upper Body Dressing, GG0130G1 - Lower Body Dressing, GG0130H1 - Don/Doff Footwear, GG0130E1 - Shower/Bathe Self, GG0130C1 - Toileting Hygiene, GG0130A1 - Eating			GOALS Toilet Transfer - 06. Independent			
PROCEDURES: Medication Review : Medication reviewed with patient and patient's wife with all medications in the home. , therapeutic exercises, equipment training, transfers training, transfers training, assist with bathing, assist with lower body dressing, assist with upper body dressing			Shower/Bathe Self - 05. Setup or clean-up assistance			
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