

RUG-IV 66 GROUP HIERARCHICAL CLASSIFICATION QUALIFIERS

Category	ADL Index	End Splits	RUG Codes
I. Rehabilitation + Extensive Ultra High ADL score ≥ 2 AND Therapy 720 mins a week minimum AND at least 2 disciplines (1 discipline 5 days, 2 nd at least 3 days) AND tracheostomy care, ventilator/respirator or infection isolation. (Medicare Short Stay Average Therapy Minutes: 144 minutes or more)	11-16 2-10	Not Used	RUX RUL
Rehabilitation + Extensive Very High ADL score ≥ 2 AND Therapy 500 mins a week minimum AND 1 discipline 5 days AND tracheostomy care, ventilator/respirator or infection isolation. (If Medicare Short Stay Average Therapy Minutes: 100 - 143 minutes)	11-16 2-10	Not Used	RVX RVL
Rehabilitation + Extensive High ADL score ≥ 2 AND Therapy 325 mins a week minimum AND 1 discipline 5 days AND tracheostomy care, ventilator/respirator or infection isolation. (If Medicare Short Stay Average Therapy Minutes: 65 - 99 minutes)	11-16 2-10	Not Used	RHX RHL
Rehabilitation + Extensive Medium ADL score ≥ 2 AND Therapy 150 mins a week minimum AND 5 days of any discipline AND tracheostomy care, ventilator/respirator or infection isolation. (If Medicare Short Stay Average Therapy Minutes: 30 - 64 minutes)	11-16 2-10	Not Used	RMX RML
Rehabilitation + Extensive Low ADL score ≥ 2 AND Therapy 45 mins a week minimum AND 3 days of any discipline AND 2 restorative nursing 6 days AND tracheostomy care, ventilator/respirator or infection isolation. (If Medicare Short Stay Average Therapy Minutes 15 - 29 minutes)	2-16	Not Used	RLX
II. Rehabilitation Ultra High Therapy 720 mins a week minimum AND at least 2 disciplines (1 discipline 5 days, 2 nd at least 3 days) (If Medicare Short Stay Average Therapy Minutes: 144 minutes or more)	11-16 6-10 0-5	Not Used	RUC RUB RUA
Rehabilitation Very High Therapy 500 mins a week minimum AND 1 discipline 5 days (If Medicare Short Stay Average Therapy Minutes: 100 - 143 minutes)	11-16 6-10 0-5	Not Used	RVC RVB RVA
Rehabilitation High Therapy 325 mins a week minimum AND 1 discipline 5 days (If Medicare Short Stay Average Therapy Minutes: 65 - 99 minutes)	11-16 6-10 0-5	Not Used	RHC RHB RHA
Rehabilitation Medium Therapy 150 mins a week minimum AND 5 days of any discipline (If Medicare Short Stay Average Therapy Minutes: 30 - 64 minutes)	11-16 6-10 0-5	Not Used	RMC RMB RMA
Rehabilitation Low Therapy 45 mins a week minimum AND 3 days of any discipline AND 2 restorative nursing exercises 6 days (If Medicare Short Stay Average Therapy Minutes: 15- 29 minutes)	11-16 0-10	Not Used	RLB RLA
III. Extensive Services ADL score ≥ 2 Tracheostomy care while a resident ventilator/respirator while a resident infection isolation while a resident	2-16 2-16 2-16	Tracheostomy AND Vent/resp Tracheostomy OR Vent/resp Infection Isolation	ES3 ES2 ES1

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IV. Special Care High			
ADL score ≥ 2	15-16	Depressed*	HE2
Comatose	15-16	Not Depressed	HE1
Septicemia	11-14	Depressed*	HD2
Diabetes with daily insulin injections and 2 days order changes	11-14	Not Depressed	HD1
Quadriplegia with ADL score ≥ 5	6-10	Depressed*	HC2
COPD with SOB when lying flat	6-10	Not Depressed	HC1
Fever with Pneumonia or vomiting or weight loss or Feeding tube (calories $\geq 51\%$ or calories 26-50% AND fluid $\geq 501\text{cc}$)	2-5	Depressed*	HB2
Parenteral/IV feedings	2-5	Not Depressed	HB1
Respiratory therapy for 7 days		*total severity ≥ 10	
V. Special Care Low			
ADL score ≥ 2	15-16	Depressed*	LE2
Cerebral Palsy with ADL score ≥ 5	15-16	Not Depressed	LE1
Multiple Sclerosis with ADL score ≥ 5	11-14	Depressed*	LD2
Parkinson's Disease with ADL score ≥ 5	11-14	Not Depressed	LD1
Respiratory Failure AND oxygen therapy while a resident	11-14	Not Depressed	LD1
Feeding tube (calories $\geq 51\%$ or calories 26-50% AND fluid $\geq 501\text{cc}$)	6-10	Depressed*	LC2
Pressure Ulcers (2 + Stage 2)	6-10	Not Depressed	LC1
Pressure Ulcers (Stage 3 or 4)	2-5	Depressed*	LB2
Pressure Ulcers Stage 2 AND 1 Venous/Arterial Ulcer with 2 + skin care treatments	2-5	Not Depressed	LB1
Venous/Arterial Ulcers 2 +			
Foot infection/Diabetic foot ulcer/open lesions of foot with treatments			
Radiation therapy while a resident			
Dialysis while a resident		*total severity ≥ 10	
VI. Clinically Complex			
<u>Qualified for Extensive Services, Special Care High or Special Care Low but ADL score 0 or 1</u>	15-16	Depressed*	CE2
ADL score 0 or 1	15-16	Not Depressed	CE1
Pneumonia	11-14	Depressed*	CD2
Hemiplegia with ADL score ≥ 5	11-14	Not Depressed	CD1
Surgical wounds or open lesions with treatment	6-10	Depressed*	CC2
Burns	6-10	Not Depressed	CC1
Chemotherapy while a resident	2-5	Depressed*	CB2
Oxygen therapy while a resident	2-5	Not Depressed	CB1
IV medication while a resident	0-1	Depressed*	CA2
Transfusion while a resident	0-1	Not Depressed	CA1
		*total severity ≥ 10	
VII. Behavioral Symptoms & Cognitive Performance			
ADL score ≤ 5	2-5	2+ Restorative Nrsg 6+ days	BB2
Cognitive impairment BIMS score ≤ 9 or CPS ≥ 3 (coma, severe cognitive skills, severe problem being understood) OR	2-5	0 or 1 Restorative Nrsg	BB1
hallucinations or delusions OR physical or verbal behavior symptoms toward others, other behavioral symptoms, rejection of care OR wandering	0-1	2+ Restorative Nrsg 6+ days	BA2
	0-1	0 or 1 Restorative Nrsg	BA1
VIII. Reduced Physical Function			
Restorative nursing services: Urinary and/or bowel training program*	15-16	2+ Restorative Nrsg 6+ days	PE2
Passive and/or active ROM*	15-16	0 or 1 Restorative Nrsg	PE1
Splint or brace assistance	11-14	2+ Restorative Nrsg 6+ days	PD2
Bed mobility and/or walking training*	11-14	0 or 1 Restorative Nrsg	PD1
Transfer training	6-10	2+ Restorative Nrsg 6+ days	PC2
Dressing and/or grooming training	6-10	0 or 1 Restorative Nrsg	PC1
Eating and/or swallowing training	2-5	2+ Restorative Nrsg 6+ days	PB2
Amputation/prosthesis care training	2-5	0 or 1 Restorative Nrsg	PB1
Communication Training	0-1	2+ Restorative Nrsg 6+ days	PA2
	0-1	0 or 1 Restorative Nrsg	PA1
*Count as one service even if both provided			