PDPM Nursing Categories Flow Chart

Is Resident coded for:
Tracheostomy (O0100E2),
Ventilator/Respirator (O0100F2),
Isolation/quarantine (O0100M2).

Yes → PDPM Function Score
- 14 or Less → Extensive Services
- 15 or 16 → Special Care High
- 17 or more → Is Resident coded for:

NO → Is Resident coded for:

Is Resident coded for:
Comatose (B0100 & GG – Completely dependent or activity did not occur),
Septicemia (I2100);
Diabetes with active insulin order changes on 2 or more days (I2900, A03050A & B);
Quadriplegia (I5100 & GG<=11);
COPD and shortness of breath while flat (I6200 & J1100C);
Fever (J1550A) **and one of the following**:
Pneumonia (I2000), *vomiting*(J1550B), *weight loss* (K0300 = 1 or 2), or *feeding tube* (K0510B1 or B2);
Parenteral/IV Feeding(K0510A1 or A2);
Respiratory Therapy for all 7 Days (O0400D2).

YES → PDPM Function Score
- 15 or 16 → Clinically Complex
- 14 or less → Special Care High
- 17 or greater → Is resident coded for:

NO → Is resident coded for:

Is resident coded for:
Cerebral Palsy (I4400 & GG <=11);
Multiple Sclerosis (I5200 & GG <=11);
Parkinson's Disease (I5300 & GG <=11);
Respiratory Failure & Oxygen (I6300 & I0100C2);
Feeding Tube (K0510B1 or B2);
Pressure Ulcers w/ 2 or more treatments**
(2+ stage 2 (M0300B1), any stage 3 or 4 (M0330C1, D1, F1), 2+ venous/arterial (M1030), 1 2+ and 1 venous/arterial (M0300B1 & M1030);
Foot infection (M1040A,B,C; M1200I),
Radiation while resident (I0100B2);
Dialysis while resident (O0100J2).

YES → PDPM Function Score
- 14 or less → Special Care Low
- 15 or 16 → Clinically Complex
- 17 or more → Is the resident coded for:

**Selected skin treatments:
M1200A,B# Pressure relieving chair and/or bed
M1200C Turning/repositioning
M1200D Nutrition or hydration intervention
M1200E Pressure ulcer care
M1200G Application of dressings (not to feet)
M1200H Application of ointments (not to feet)
#Count as one treatment even if both provided

No → Is the resident coded for:

Is the resident coded for:
Pneumonia (I2000);
Hemiplegia/hemiparesis (I4900 & GG <=11);
Open lesions with any selected skin treatments or surgical wounds (M1040D,E);
Burns (M1040F);
Chemo while resident (O0100A2);
Oxygen Therapy while resident (O0100C2);
IV Medication while resident (O0100H2);
Transfusions while resident (O0100I2).

YES → Clinically Complex

No → PDPM Function Score
- Less than 11 → Reduced Physical Function
- 11 or greater → BIMS SCORE
  - 10 or more → One or more present:
  - 9 or less → Reduced Physical Function
  - 0 or 99 → Based on Staff Assessment:

One or more present:
Hallucinations (E0100A);
Delusions (E0100B);
Physical Bx symptoms directed toward other (E0200A = 2 or 3);
Verbal Bx Symptoms direted towards others (E0200B = 2 or 3);
Bx Symptoms not directed toward other (E0200C = 2 or 3);
Rejection of Care (E0800 = 2 or 3);
Wandering (E0900 = 2 or 3).

- No → Reduced Physical Function
- Yes → Behavioral Symptoms and Cognitive Performance

Based on Staff Assessment:
1) **Coma** (B0100=1) **and completely dependent or activity did not occur** (GG), or

2) **Severely Impaired cognitive skills** (C1000=3), or

3) **Two or more of the following impairments**:
Usually, sometimes, or rarely/never understood (B0700> 0)
Short Term Memory problem (C0700 = 0)
Impaired cognitive skills for daily decision making (C1000 >0)
And one or more following severe impairment indicators:
Sometimes/rarely/never makes self understood (B0700 >= 2)
Moderately or severely impaired cognitive skills for daily decision making (C1000 >= 2)

- Yes → Behavioral Symptoms and Cognitive Performance
- No → Reduced Physical Function

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