

**Table 7-3**  
**Application of Percent of Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Patients With an Admission and Discharge Functional Assessment and a Care Plan That Addresses Function (NQF #2631) (CMS ID: S001.03)<sup>a</sup>**

Measure Description
This quality measure reports the percentage of Medicare Part A SNF Stays ( <a href="#">Type 1 SNF Stays</a> and <a href="#">Type 2 SNF Stays</a> ) with an admission and discharge functional assessment and a care plan that addresses function.
Measure Specifications <sup>b</sup>
<p>If a resident has multiple Medicare Part A SNF stays during the target 12 months, then all stays are included in this measure.</p> <p><b>Incomplete and Complete Medicare Part A SNF Stays (<a href="#">Type 1 SNF Stays</a> or <a href="#">Type 2 SNF Stays</a>):</b></p> <p><b>Incomplete SNF Medicare Part A SNF Stays:</b> Residents with incomplete stays (<i>incomplete</i> = [1]) are identified based on the following criteria using the specified data elements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Unplanned discharge, which would include discharge against medical advice, indicated by A0310G (Type of Discharge) = 2 (Unplanned discharge) [as indicated on an OBRA Discharge (RFA: A0310F = [10, 11]) at the end of the SNF stay that has a discharge date (A2000) that is on the same day or the day after the End Date of Most Recent Medicare Stay (A2400C)].</li> <li>OR</li> <li>2. Discharge to acute hospital, psychiatric hospital, long-term care hospital indicated by A2100 = [03, 04, 09], [as indicated on an MDS Discharge (RFA: A0310F = [10, 11]) that has a discharge date (A2000) that is on the same day or the day after the End Date of Most Recent Medicare Stay (A2400C)].</li> <li>OR</li> <li>3. SNF PPS Part A stay less than 3 days ((A2400C minus A2400B) &lt; 3 days)</li> <li>OR</li> <li>4. The resident died during the SNF stay (i.e., <a href="#">Type 2 SNF Stays</a>). Type 2 SNF Stays are SNF stays with a PPS 5-Day Assessment (A0310B = [01]) and a matched Death in Facility Tracking Record (A0310F = [12]).</li> </ol> <p><b>Complete Medicare Part A SNF Stays:</b> Medicare Part A SNF Stays not meeting the definition of incomplete stays are considered complete Medicare Part A SNF Stays (<i>incomplete</i> = [0]).</p> <p><b>Numerator:</b></p> <p>For complete Medicare Part A SNF Stays (<i>incomplete</i> = [0]) in the denominator, three criteria are required for inclusion in the numerator: (i) complete admission functional assessment data on the PPS 5-Day assessment, <b>and</b> (ii) a discharge goal for at least one self-care or mobility item on the PPS 5-Day assessment, <b>and</b> (iii) complete discharge functional assessment data on the Part A PPS Discharge Assessment.</p> <p>For incomplete Medicare Part A SNF Stays (<i>incomplete</i> = [1]) in the denominator, collection of discharge functional status might not be feasible. Therefore, two criteria are required for inclusion in the numerator: (i) complete admission functional assessment data on the PPS 5-Day assessment, <b>and</b> (ii) a discharge goal for at least one self-care or mobility item on the PPS 5-Day assessment.</p>

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<p><i>Specifications for complete admission functional assessment data:</i></p> <p>For admission functional assessment data to be complete, each condition listed below <b>must</b> be met.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. GG0130A1. Eating = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>and</b></li> <li>2. GG0130B1. Oral hygiene = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>and</b></li> <li>3. GG0130C1. Toileting hygiene = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>and</b></li> <li>4. GG0170B1. Sit to lying = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>and</b></li> <li>5. GG0170C1. Lying to sitting on side of bed = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>and</b></li> <li>6. GG0170D1. Sit to stand = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>and</b></li> <li>7. GG0170E1. Chair/bed-to-chair transfer = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>and</b></li> <li>8. GG0170F1. Toilet transfer = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>and</b></li> <li>9. GG0170I1. Walk 10 feet = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>and</b></li> </ol> <p><i>For residents who are walking as indicated by a valid functional code [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06] for GG0170I1, include items:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>10. GG0170J1. Walk 50 feet with two turns = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88] <b>and</b></li> <li>11. GG0170K1. Walk 150 feet = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]</li> </ol> <p><i>For residents who are not walking as indicated by GG0170I1 = 07, 09, 10, or 88, GG0170J1 and GG0170K1 are skipped (^).</i></p> <p><i>For residents who use a wheelchair as indicated by GG170Q1=1, include items:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>12. GG0170R1. Wheel 50 feet with two turns = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88] <b>and</b></li> <li>13. GG0170RR1. Indicate the type of wheelchair or scooter used = [1, 2] <b>and</b></li> <li>14. GG0170S1. Wheel 150 feet = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88] <b>and</b></li> <li>15. GG0170SS1. Indicate the type of wheelchair or scooter used = [1, 2]</li> </ol> <p><i>For residents who do not use a wheelchair as indicated by GG0170Q1=0, GG0170R1, GG0170RR1, GG0170S1, and GG0170SS1 are skipped (^).</i></p> <p><i>Specifications for a discharge goal (documenting a care plan that includes function):</i></p> <p>For the discharge goal, at least one of the items listed below <b>must</b> have a valid code as specified.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. GG0130A2. Eating = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>or</b></li> <li>2. GG0130B2. Oral hygiene = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>or</b></li> <li>3. GG0130C2. Toileting hygiene = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>or</b></li> <li>4. GG0130E2 Shower/bathe self = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>or</b></li> <li>5. GG0130F2 Upper body dressing = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>or</b></li> <li>6. GG0130G2 Lower body dressing = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>or</b></li> <li>7. GG0130H2 Putting on/taking off footwear = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>or</b></li> <li>8. GG0170A2 Roll left and right = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>or</b></li> <li>9. GG0170B2. Sit to lying = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>or</b></li> <li>10. GG0170C2. Lying to sitting on side of bed = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <b>or</b></li> </ol>

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11. GG0170D2. Sit to stand = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>or</i> 12. GG0170E2. Chair/bed-to-chair transfer = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>or</i> 13. GG0170F2. Toilet transfer = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>or</i> 14. GG0170G2. Car transfer = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>or</i> 15. GG 0170I2. Walk 10 feet = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>or</i> 16. GG0170J2. Walk 50 feet with two turns = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>or</i> 17. GG0170K2. Walk 150 feet = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>or</i> 18. GG0170L2. Walking 10 feet on uneven surfaces = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>or</i> 19. GG0170M2. 1 step (curb) = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>or</i> 20. GG0170N2. 4 steps = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>or</i> 21. GG0170O2. 12 steps = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>or</i> 22. GG0170P2. Picking up object = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>or</i> 23. GG0170R2. Wheel 50 feet with two turns = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>or</i> 24. GG0170S2. Wheel 150 feet = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88].
<p><i>Specifications for complete discharge functional assessment data:</i></p> <p>For discharge functional assessment data to be complete, each condition listed below <b>must</b> be met. This only applies to residents with complete stays (discharge functional assessment data is not required for incomplete stays).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>GG0130A3. Eating = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>and</i></li> <li>GG0130B3. Oral hygiene = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>and</i></li> <li>GG0130C3. Toileting hygiene = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>and</i></li> <li>GG0170B3. Sit to lying = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>and</i></li> <li>GG0170C3. Lying to sitting on side of bed = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>and</i></li> <li>GG0170D3. Sit to stand = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>and</i></li> <li>GG0170E3. Chair/bed-to-chair transfer = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>and</i></li> <li>GG0170F3. Toilet transfer = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>and</i></li> <li>GG0170I3. Walk 10 feet = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>and</i></li> </ol> <p><i>include items:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>GG0170J3. Walk 50 feet with two turns = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]; <i>and</i></li> <li>GG0170K3. Walk 150 feet = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88].</li> </ol> <p><i>For residents who are not walking, as indicated by GG0170I3= 07, 09, 10, or 88, GG0170J3 and GG0170K3 are skipped (^).</i></p> <p><i>For residents who use a wheelchair as indicated by GG170Q3=1, include items:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>GG0170R3. Wheel 50 feet with two turns = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88] <i>and</i></li> <li>GG0170RR3. Indicate the type of wheelchair or scooter used = [1, 2] <i>and</i></li> <li>GG0170S3. Wheel 150 feet = [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 88]) <i>and</i></li> <li>GG0170SS3. Indicate the type of wheelchair or scooter used = [1, 2].</li> </ol>

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Measure Description
<p><i>For residents who are walking as indicated by a valid functional code [01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06] for GG0170I3, For residents who do not use a wheelchair as indicated by GG0170Q3=0, GG0170R3, GG0170RR3, GG0170S3, and GG0170SS3 are skipped (^).</i></p> <p><b>Denominator</b>  The total number of Medicare Part A SNF stays (<a href="#">Type 1 SNF Stays</a> and <a href="#">Type 2 SNF Stays</a>) with a Medicare Part A SNF Stay End Date (A2400C) during the measure target period.</p> <p><b>Exclusions</b>  There are no denominator exclusions for this measure.</p>
Covariates
None.

<sup>a</sup> This measure is NQF-endorsed for use in the LTCH setting (<https://www.qualityforum.org/QPS/2631>) and finalized for reporting by LTCHs under the LTCH QRP (*Federal Register* 79 (22 August 2014): 50291–50294). Web. <https://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2014-08-22/pdf/2014-18545.pdf>

<sup>b</sup> The national average observed score is calculated using the Medicare Part A SNF stay as the unit of analysis.