

MDS Assessment Schedule

Assessment Reference Period	Days Covered By Assessment	# of Days Pre-Authorized for Payment	MDS Completion Date
Day 1 – Day 5	Day 1 – Day 14	14 Days	Day 8
Day 11 – Day 14	Day 15 – Day 30	16 Days	Day 14
Day 21 – Day 29	Day 31 – Day 60	30 Days	Day 30
Day 50 – Day 59	Day 61 – Day 90	30 Days	Day 60
Day 80 – Day 89	Day 91 – Day 100	10 Days	Day 90

Rehabilitation RUGs – III Categories

In the last 7 days...

RUG Category	Therapy Minutes	Disciplines	5 – Day Projections
Ultra High	720	1 discipline – 5xwk 1 discipline – 3xwk	None
Very High	500	1 discipline – 5xwk	None
High	325	1 discipline – 5xwk	By ARD, 65 mins & expect 520 mins. & 8+ days of rehab by day 15
Medium	150	5xwk any discipline combination	By day 5, expect 240 mins. & 8+ days of rehab by day 15
Low	45	3xwk any discipline combination + 2 RNP programs 6xwk, minimum 15 mins. each program	By day 5, expect 75 mins. & 5+ days of rehab by day 15