



WPS MEDICARE SNF PPS MDS 3.0 PAYMENT SCHEDULER

Assessment Indicators	Type of Assessment	ARD Days	Grace Days	Payment Days	
				Start	End

Standard PPS Assessment (not combined with any other assessment)					
10	PPS 5 day or readmission	1-5	6-8	1	14
20	PPS 14 day	13-14	15-18	15	30
30	PPS 30 day	27-29	30-33	31	60
40	PPS 60 day	57-59	60-63	61	90
50	PPS 90 day	87-89	90-93	91	100

SCSA or SCPA Assessment					
SCSA: The ARD must be no later than 14 days after a significant change is identified.					
SCPA: Required when an uncorrected major error is discovered in a prior comprehensive assessment.					
01	SCSA or SCPA (stand alone)	See above	N/A	The earlier of either the ARD date or the beginning of the standard payment period	End of standard payment period
11	SCSA or SCPA replacing 5 day PPS	1-5	6-8		14
21	SCSA or SCPA replacing 14 day PPS	13-14	15-18		30
31	SCSA or SCPA replacing 30 day PPS	27-29	30-33		60
41	SCSA or SCPA replacing 60 day PPS	57-59	60-63		90
51	SCSA or SCPA replacing 90 day PPS	87-89	90-93		100

Start of Therapy (SOT) OMRA (Z0100A must be a therapy RUG or assessment is invalid)					
SOT OMRA is an optional assessment. If done, the ARD must be on day 5, 6, or 7 after the start of therapy.					
02	SOT OMRA (stand alone)	See above	N/A	The first day of therapy	End of standard payment period
12	SOT OMRA & 5 day PPS	1-5	6-8		14
22	SOT OMRA & 14 day PPS	13-14	15-18		30
32	SOT OMRA & 30 day PPS	27-29	30-33		60
42	SOT OMRA & 60 day PPS	57-59	60-63		90
52	SOT OMRA & 90 day PPS	87-89	90-93		100

SOT OMRA and SCSA or SCPA (Z0100A must be a therapy RUG or assessment is invalid)					
SCSA: The ARD must be no later than 14 days after a significant change is identified.					
SCPA: Required when an uncorrected major error is discovered in a prior comprehensive assessment.					
SOT OMRA is an optional assessment. If done, the ARD must be on day 5, 6, or 7 after the start of therapy.					
03	SOT OMRA combined with a SCSA/SCPA	See above	N/A	The first day of therapy	End of standard payment period
13	SOT OMRA, SCSA/SCPA & 5 day PPS	1-5	6-8		14
23	SOT OMRA, SCSA/SCPA & 14 day PPS	13-14	15-18		30
33	SOT OMRA, SCSA/SCPA & 30 day PPS	27-29	30-33		60
43	SOT OMRA, SCSA/SCPA & 60 day PPS	57-59	60-63		90
53	SOT OMRA, SCSA/SCPA & 90 day PPS	87-89	90-93		100

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End of Therapy (EOT) OMRA (with or without an SCSA/SCPA)				
EOT OMRA is <u>required</u> when all therapies are discontinued and a skilled level of care remains. The EOT OMRA ARD must be set on day 1, 2, or 3 after all rehabilitation therapies have been discontinued.				
04	EOT OMRA	See above	N/A	Use Z0150A (non-therapy RUG) from the day after the last day of therapy thru the end of the standard payment period (day 14, 30, 60, 90 or 100)
14	EOT OMRA & 5 day PPS	1-5	6-8	
24	EOT OMRA & 14 day PPS	13-14	15-18	
34	EOT OMRA & 30 day PPS	27-29	30-33	
44	EOT OMRA & 60 day PPS	57-59	60-63	
54	EOT OMRA & 90 day PPS	87-89	90-93	

SOT OMRA and an EOT OMRA (Z0100A must be a therapy RUG or assessment is invalid)				
SOT OMRA is an <u>optional</u> assessment. If done, the ARD must be on day 5, 6, or 7 after the start of therapy. EOT OMRA ARD must be set on day 1, 2, or 3 after all rehabilitation therapies have been discontinued.				
05	SOT OMRA with EOT OMRA (stand alone)	See above	N/A	Z0100A pays from first day of therapy thru last day of therapy and then Z0150A pays thru the end of the standard payment period (day 14, 30, 60, 90 or 100)
15	SOT OMRA, EOT OMRA & 5 day PPS	1-5	6-8	
25	SOT OMRA, EOT OMRA & 14 day PPS	13-14	15-18	
35	SOT OMRA, EOT OMRA & 30 day PPS	27-29	30-33	
45	SOT OMRA, EOT OMRA & 60 day PPS	57-59	60-63	
55	SOT OMRA, EOT OMRA & 90 day PPS	87-89	90-93	

SOT OMRA, EOT OMRA & SCSA/SCPA (Z0100A must be a therapy RUG or assessment is invalid)				
SOT OMRA is an <u>optional</u> assessment. If done, the ARD must be on day 5, 6, or 7 after the start of therapy. EOT OMRA ARD must be set on day 1, 2, or 3 after all rehabilitation therapies have been discontinued. SCSA: The ARD must be no later than 14 days after a significant change is identified. SCPA: Required when an uncorrected major error is discovered in a prior comprehensive assessment.				
06	SOT OMRA, EOT OMRA & SCSA/SCPA	See above	N/A	Z0100A pays from first day of therapy thru last day of therapy and then Z0150A pays thru the end of the standard payment period (day 14, 30, 60, 90 or 100)
16	SOT, EOT, SCSA/SCPA & 5 day PPS	1-5	6-8	
26	SOT, EOT, SCSA/SCPA & 14 day PPS	13-14	15-18	
36	SOT, EOT, SCSA/SCPA & 30 day PPS	27-29	30-33	
46	SOT, EOT, SCSA/SCPA & 60 day PPS	57-59	60-63	
56	SOT, EOT, SCSA/SCPA & 90 day PPS	87-89	90-93	

Medicare Short Stay Assessment				
07	Short Stay (stand alone)	Last day of the part A stay	See CMS's RAI Version 3.0 Manual, Chapter 6, Pages 6-15	
17	Short Stay combined with 5 day PPS			

End of Therapy Reporting Resumption (EOT-R) OMRA				
EOT-R OMRA ARD must be set on day 1, 2, or 3 after all rehabilitation therapies have been discontinued. Therapies must resume within 5 calendar days.				
0A	SOT OMRA with EOT OMRA (stand alone)	See above	N/A	Z0150A pays from the day after the last day of therapy the day before the resumption of therapy date. Z0100A from the assessment immediately preceding this EOT-R thru the end of the standard payment period.
1A	SOT OMRA, EOT OMRA & 5 day PPS	1-5	6-8	
2A	SOT OMRA, EOT OMRA & 14 day PPS	13-14	15-18	
3A	SOT OMRA, EOT OMRA & 30 day PPS	27-29	30-33	
4A	SOT OMRA, EOT OMRA & 60 day PPS	57-59	60-63	
5A	SOT OMRA, EOT OMRA & 90 day PPS	87-89	90-93	

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Change of Therapy (COT) OMRA				
COT OMRA is required when the COT observation period indicates there is a change in therapy intensity that results in a new RUG category. The ARD is set on the last day of the COT observation period.				
0D	COT OMRA (stand alone)	See above	N/A	End of standard payment period
1D	COT OMRA & 5 day PPS	N/A	N/A	N/A
2D	COT OMRA & 14 day PPS	13-14	15-18	30
3D	COT OMRA & 30 day PPS	27-29	30-33	60
4D	COT OMRA & 60 day PPS	57-59	60-63	90
5D	COT OMRA & 90 day PPS	87-89	90-93	100

Default Rate (AAAx) for assessments that fail to comply with the assessment schedule.

- **Early assessments:** If an assessment is performed earlier than the schedule indicates, the provider will be paid at the default rate for the number of days the assessment was out of compliance (e.g. 14 day assessment with ARD done on day 10, 1 day early, would be paid at default for the first day of the payment period that begins on day 15). Use the AI associated with the early assessment with RUG AAA for days paid at default. (e.g. AAA20 for early 14 day PPS)
- **Late assessments:**
 - o If an assessment is performed after the grace period, payment will be made at the default rate from the first day of the coverage period to the ARD of the late assessment (e.g. 14 day assessment with ARD done on day 22, days 15-21 paid at default). Use the AI associated with the late assessment with RUG AAA for days paid at default. (e.g. AAA30 for a late 30 day PPS)
 - o If the ARD of the late assessment is set after the end of the payment period for the Medicare-required assessment that was missed **and the resident is still on Part A**, the provider must still complete an assessment. The SNF must bill all covered days at default.
- **Missed assessments:** No MDS assessment in QIES ASAP. Can bill AAA00 only when exception requirements listed in Chapter 6 of the RAI 3.0 are met.

Abbreviations

AI = Assessment Indicator	OBRA = Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act
ARD = Assessment Reference Date	OMRA = Other Medicare-required Assessment
COT = Change of Therapy	SOT = Start of Therapy
EOT = End of Therapy	SCSA = Significant Change in Status Assessment
EOT-R = End of Therapy Reporting Resumption	SCPA = Significant Correction to Prior Comprehensive Assessment