

RAPID RUG-IV GUIDE (48 GROUP CLASSIFICATION)

The Rapid RUG-IV Guide is intended to be an at-a-glance reference providing the MDS 3.0 items and criteria for each RUG category. The Guide also includes the calculation to determine the resident's Late Loss ADL Score.

CATEGORY I - EXTENSIVE SERVICES (while a resident)			
ADL = 2-16	RUG-IV		
Tracheostomy care AND ventilator/respirator	ES3		
Tracheostomy care OR ventilator/respirator	ES2		
Infection isolation without tracheostomy AND ventilator/respirator	ES1		
CATEGORY II - REHABILITATION			
ADL = 0-16	ADL Score	RUG-IV	
✓ Received 150+ minutes and at least 5 distinct days of any combination of the 3 disciplines OR	15-16	RAE	
✓ Received 45+ minutes and at least 3 distinct days of any combination of the 3 disciplines and 2 or more Restorative Nursing Services ⁴ received 6 or more days	11-14 6-10 2-5 0-1	RAD RAC RAB RAA	
CATEGORY III - SPECIAL CARE HIGH			
ADL = 2-16	ADL Score	Depressed	RUG-IV
✓ Comatose with ADL-Self-Performance of 4 or 8	15-16	Yes	HE2
✓ Septicemia	15-16	No	HE1
✓ Diabetes Mellitus (DM) with :	11-14	Yes	HD2
• Insulin injections (7 days) and	11-14	No	HD1
• Insulin order changes on 2+ days	6-10	Yes	HC2
✓ Quadriplegia and ADL >=5	6-10	No	HC1
✓ COPD and SOB when lying flat	2-5	Yes	HB2
✓ Fever with one of the following:	2-5	No	HB1
• Pneumonia			
• Vomiting			
• Weight Loss			
• Feeding Tube with requirements ¹			
✓ Parenteral/IV feeding			
✓ Respiratory Therapy (7 days)			
<i>Depression criteria is met if the Total Severity Score ≥10</i>			
CATEGORY IV - SPECIAL CARE LOW			
ADL = 2-16	ADL Score	Depressed	RUG-IV
✓ Cerebral Palsy and ADL >=5	15-16	Yes	LE2
✓ Multiple Sclerosis and ADL >= 5	15-16	No	LE1
✓ Parkinson's Disease and ADL >=5	11-14	Yes	LD2
✓ Respiratory Failure and Oxygen therapy (while a resident)	11-14	No	LD1
✓ Feeding tube with requirements ¹	6-10	Yes	LC2
✓ 2+ Stage 2 pressure ulcers with 2+ selected skin treatments ²	6-10	No	LC1
✓ Stage 3 or 4 pressure ulcers, or unstageable-slough and/or eschar with 2+ selected skin treatments ²	2-5	Yes	LB2
✓ 2+ venous/arterial ulcers with 2+ selected skin treatments ²	2-5	No	LB1
✓ One Stage 2 pressure ulcer and one venous/arterial ulcer with 2+ selected skin treatments ²			
✓ Foot infection, diabetic foot ulcer, or other open lesion of foot with dressings			
✓ Radiation (while a resident)			
✓ Dialysis (while a resident)			
<i>Depression criteria is met if the Total Severity Score ≥10</i>			
CATEGORY V - CLINICALLY COMPLEX			
ADL = 0-16	ADL Score	Depressed	RUG-IV
✓ Pneumonia	15-16	Yes	CE2
✓ Hemiplegia or Hemiparesis with ADL score >=5	15-16	No	CE1
✓ Open lesion(s) other than ulcers, rashes cuts with any selected skin treatment ³	11-14	Yes	CD2
✓ Surgical wound(s) with any selected skin treatment ³	11-14	No	CD1
✓ Burn(s)	6-10	Yes	CC2
✓ Chemotherapy (while a resident)	6-10	No	CC1
✓ Oxygen therapy (while a resident)	2-5	Yes	CB2
✓ IV medications (while a resident)	2-5	No	CB1
✓ Transfusions (while a resident)	0-1	Yes	CA2
	0-1	No	CA1
<i>Depression criteria is met if the Total Severity Score ≥10</i>			

CATEGORY VI - BEHAVIORAL SYMPTOMS AND COGNITIVE PERFORMANCE			
ADL = 0-5	ADL Score	Restorative Nursing	RUG-IV
✓ BIMS score ≤9 OR	2-5	2 or more	BB2
✓ CPS ≥3	2-5	0 or 1	BB1
✓ Hallucinations	0-1	2 or more	BA2
✓ Delusions	0-1	0 or 1	BA1
✓ Physical behavioral symptoms directed toward others			
✓ Verbal behavioral symptoms directed toward others			
✓ Other behavioral symptoms not directed toward others			
✓ Rejection of Care			
✓ Wandering			
✓ Restorative Nursing Services ⁴ administered for 6 or more days			
CATEGORY VII - REDUCED PHYSICAL FUNCTION			
ADL = 0-16	ADL Score	Restorative Nursing	RUG-IV
✓ Behavioral Symptom & Cognitive Performance with ADL 6-16	15-16	2 or more	PE2
✓ Residents who do not meet the conditions in any of the previous categories	15-16	0 or 1	PE1
✓ Restorative Nursing Services ⁴ administered for 6 or more days	11-14	2 or more	PD2
	11-14	0 or 1	PD1
	6-10	2 or more	PC2
	6-10	0 or 1	PC1
	2-5	2 or more	PB2
	2-5	0 or 1	PB1
	0-1	2 or more	PA2
	0-1	0 or 1	PA1
¹Tube Feeding Intake Requirements		⁴Restorative Nursing Services	
✓ K0710A3 is 51% or more of total calories OR		✓ Urinary toileting program++	
✓ K0710A3 is 26% to 50% of total calories and		✓ Bowel toileting program++	
K0710B3 is 501cc or more per day fluid enteral intake		✓ Passive ROM++	
		✓ Active ROM++	
		✓ Splint or brace assistance	
		✓ Bed mobility++	
		✓ Walking training++	
		✓ Transfer training	
		✓ Dressing and/or grooming training	
		✓ Eating and/or swallowing training	
		✓ Amputation/prosthesis care	
		✓ Communication training	
		++Count as one service if both provided	
²Selected Skin Treatments for Special Care Low			
✓ Pressure reducing device for chair++			
✓ Pressure reducing device for bed++			
✓ Turning/repositioning program			
✓ Nutrition/hydration intervention			
✓ Pressure ulcer care			
✓ Application of non-surgical dressings (not to feet)			
✓ Application of ointments/medications (not to feet)			
++Count as one service if both provided			
³Selected Skin Treatments for Clinically Complex			
✓ Surgical wound care			
✓ Application of non-surgical dressings (not to feet)			
✓ Application of ointments/medications (not to feet)			
RUG-IV LATE LOSS ADL CALCULATION			
<i>Directions: Use the chart below to calculate late loss ADL Scores. Enter ADL score for each item then sum for the total ADL score.</i>			
G0110(1) - Self-Performance COLUMN 1	G0110(2) - Staff Support COLUMN 2	ADL Score	
BED MOBILITY, TRANSFER, AND TOILET USE			
- , 0, 1, 7, or 8	and any number	=	0
2	and any number	=	1
3	and - , 0, 1, or 2	=	2
4	and - , 0, 1, or 2	=	3
3 or 4	and 3	=	4
EATING			
- , 0, 1, 2, 7, or 8	and - , 0, 1, or 8	=	0
- , 0, 1, 2, 7, or 8	and 2 or 3	=	2
3 or 4	and - , 0, or 1	=	2
3	and 2 or 3	=	3
4	and 2 or 3	=	4
Bed Mobility (G0110A) = _____	Toilet Use (G0110I) = _____	Total RUG-IV ADL SCORE ▶	
Transfer (G0110B) = _____	Eating (G0110H) = _____		