

<b>OASIS ITEM:</b>
<p><b>(M0100) This Assessment is Currently Being Completed for the Following Reason:</b></p> <p><b><u>Start/Resumption of Care</u></b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 1 – Start of care—further visits planned</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 3 – Resumption of care (after inpatient stay)</p> <p><b><u>Follow-Up</u></b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 4 – Recertification (follow-up) reassessment [ <b>Go to M0175</b> ]</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 5 – Other follow-up [ <b>Go to M0175</b> ]</p> <p><b><u>Transfer to an Inpatient Facility</u></b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 6 – Transferred to an inpatient facility—patient not discharged from agency [ <b>Go to M0830</b> ]</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 7 – Transferred to an inpatient facility—patient discharged from agency [ <b>Go to M0830</b> ]</p> <p><b><u>Discharge from Agency — Not to an Inpatient Facility</u></b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 8 – Death at home [ <b>Go to M0906</b> ]</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 9 – Discharge from agency [ <b>Go to M0200</b> ]</p>
<b>DEFINITION:</b>
<p>Identifies the reason why the assessment data are being collected and reported. Accurate recording of this response is important as the data reporting software will accept or reject certain data according to the specific response that has been selected for this item.</p>
<b>TIME POINTS ITEM(S) COMPLETED:</b>
All
<b>RESPONSE—SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS:</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mark only one response.</li> <li>• Response 1: This is the start of care comprehensive assessment. A CMS-485 is being established, and further visits are planned.</li> <li>• Response 3: This comprehensive assessment is conducted when the patient resumes care following an inpatient stay of 24 hours or longer (for reasons other than diagnostic tests). Remember to update the Patient Tracking Sheet ROC date (M0032) when this response is marked.</li> <li>• Response 4: This comprehensive assessment is conducted during the last five days of the 60-day certification period.</li> <li>• Response 5: This comprehensive assessment is conducted due to a significant change (a major decline or improvement) in patient condition at a time <u>other than</u> during the last five days of the episode. This assessment is done to update the patient's care plan.</li> </ul>

**RESPONSE—SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS (Cont'd for OASIS ITEM M0100)**

- Response 6: Data regarding the patient's transfer to an inpatient facility for 24 hours or longer (for reasons other than diagnostic tests) are reported. The patient is expected to resume care and is not discharged from the agency. When the patient resumes care, a Resumption of Care comprehensive assessment is conducted. Note the "skip pattern" included in the response. This response does not require a home visit; a telephone call may provide the information necessary to complete the required data items.
- Response 7: Data regarding the patient's transfer to an inpatient facility for 24 hours or longer (for reasons other than diagnostic tests) are reported. The patient is discharged from the agency. Note the "skip pattern" included in the response. This response does not require a home visit; a telephone call may provide the information necessary to complete the required data items. No additional OASIS discharge data are required.
- Response 8: Data regarding patient death other than death in an inpatient facility. A patient who dies before being admitted to an inpatient facility would have this response marked. Note the "skip pattern" included in the response. A home visit is not required to mark this response; a telephone call may provide the information necessary to complete the data items.
- Response 9: This comprehensive assessment is conducted at the patient's discharge from the agency. This discharge is not occurring due to an inpatient facility admission or patient death. An actual patient interaction (i.e., a visit) is required to complete this assessment. Note the "skip pattern" present in the response.

**ASSESSMENT STRATEGIES:**

Why is the assessment being conducted (or the information being recorded)? What has happened to the patient? Accuracy of this response is critical.