



WEST PARK HEALTHCARE CENTRE – CHRONIC ASSISTED VENTILATORY CARE

PRE-ASSESSMENT REFERRAL

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This form is only to be completed once the patient’s referral has been approved for pre-assessment and is requested by the CAVC team at West Park Healthcare Centre.

IN ENLISTING PATIENT/FAMILY TO COMPLETE THIS FORM, STAFF SHOULD BE AWARE THAT SOME QUESTIONS ARE OF A SENSITIVE NATURE.

PATIENT NAME:

Surname _____ First Name _____

BIRTH DATE: _____ AGE: _____ SEX: _____ MARITAL STATUS: _____

HEALTH CARD NUMBER: _____

PATIENT’S CURRENT LOCATION: FACILITY: HOME:

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

REFERRING PHYSICIAN: _____ PHONE: _____

PRIMARY DIAGNOSIS (please include date of onset): _____

RELEVANT CO-MORBIDITIES: _____

MEDICALLY STABLE: YES: NO:

PROGNOSIS DISCUSSED WITH PATIENT: FAMILY:

SUBSTITUTE DECISION MAKER: _____

POWER OF ATTORNEY for Healthcare Decisions: _____

POWER OF ATTORNEY for Financial Decisions: _____

PATIENT CONSENTS TO THIS REFERRAL: YES: NO:

ADVANCE CARE DIRECTIVES: _____

In order to facilitate the assessment, and prompt processing of the application, it is imperative that this pre-assessment form be filled out accurately and a typed clinical/medical referral is included with this form.

CONTACTS: (CONTACT PERSONS WHO ASSISTED IN THE COMPLETION OF THIS FORM)

DISCIPLINE	NAME	PHONE #
Physician		
Nursing		
Respiratory Therapist		
Occupational Therapist		
Physiotherapist		
Social Worker		
OTHER		
OTHER		

VENTILATION NEEDS:

Ventilation Start Date: _____

How many hours/day is the patient using
mechanical ventilation? _____

Vent-free time: _____

Is O₂ required while ventilated: _____Is O₂ required while patient is breathing spontaneously? _____**VENTILATOR SETTINGS:**

Current Ventilator Model: _____

Mode of Ventilation: _____

V _T	_____	c.c.	FiO ₂	_____	
Pressure Control	_____	cmH ₂ O	PEEP	_____	cmH ₂ O
R.R.	_____	bpm	Pressure Support	_____	cmH ₂ O

Recent ABG Results on the above settings: _____

TRACHEOSTOMY:

Trach Tube Type / Size: _____	CUFFED: <input type="checkbox"/>	UNCUFFED: <input type="checkbox"/>
	FENSTRATED: <input type="checkbox"/>	UNFENESTRATED: <input type="checkbox"/>

If cuffed, cuff volume: _____

Date of recent trach tube change: _____

Trach changes performed by (i.e. Physician, RRT): _____

Frequency of trach changes: _____

Stoma condition: _____

If patient has vent-free time, is patient able to tolerate cuff deflation or corking? _____

DIAPHRAGMATIC PACING:

Model: _____

Bilateral Pacing? _____ Unilateral Pacing? _____

Resp. Rate: _____ bpm Right Ampl.: _____ Left Ampl.: _____

How long patient uses pacers? _____ Hrs/24 hrs.: _____

SUCTIONING:

Frequency: _____

Is the patient able to suction self? _____

Has the patient had a swallowing assessment,
including videofluoroscopy? _____Does patient have a problem with aspiration? YES: NO:

If Yes, please describe: _____

MANUAL VENTILATION:

How often is patient 'bagged'?

When is patient usually 'bagged'?

Can patient 'bag' him/herself?

Additional COMMENTS:

RESPIRATORY EQUIPMENT:

Please list all patient owned respiratory equipment (i.e. ventilators, diaphragmatic pacers, antennae, cables, apnea monitors, battery charges, low pressure alarms, suction equipment, manual resuscitators, etc.):

COMMUNICATION:Is the patient able to speak? YES: NO:

What is the language spoken and understood by the patient?

Does the patient require use of a communication device? YES: NO:

If so, please specify (i.e. communication board, clipboard, mouthing words)

COGNITIVE / EMOTIONAL:Is the patient alert? Yes No Oriented to: Time Person Place **Intact****Impaired**Memory Judgment Insight

Does the patient possess the capacity to make healthcare decisions:

Most of time Occasionally Sometimes Not at all

Has patient taken an active role in his/her care (actively participates and/or provides direction?)

Most of time Occasionally Sometimes Not at all

Does the patient consent to care routines / treatment plans?

Most of time Occasionally Sometimes Not at all

Does patient experience symptoms of anxiety?

Most of time Occasionally Sometimes Not at all

Does patient experience symptoms of depression?

Most of time Occasionally Sometimes Not at all

Has patient or family had any particular difficulty adjusting to patient's condition? Yes No

If so, please describe:

NUTRITION:

What method of feeding is utilized?

Oral Feeds Gastrostomy Nasogastric Jejunostomy

Diet: _____

Caloric Intake: _____

Present Weight: _____ Ideal Weight: _____ Pre-Admission Weight: _____

ELIMINATION:

Urinary System:

Is the patient continent of urine? Yes No

If no, specify:

Diapers Condom Catheter Indwelling Catheter Type _____ Last Change _____

Bowel:

Is the patient continent of bowel functioning? Yes No

If no, please describe bowel routine (laxatives, enema, etc.) _____

Does patient use: BEDPAN DIAPERS COMMODE

SKIN CONDITION:

Is there any skin breakdown **at present**: Yes No Date of Onset: _____

If yes, what area(s) are involved? _____

(include stage)

Current treatment: _____

Is patient at risk to develop skin breakdown? Yes No

Is there a history of past skin breakdown? Yes No

If yes, area(s) involved: _____

MUSCULOSKELETAL STATUS:

Does the patient have active ROM? FUNCTIONAL NON-FUNCTIONAL

a) of neck

b) of arms

c) of legs

Does the patient have passive ROM? Full _____ Limited _____

Please describe any:

a) Limitations/Contractions/Pain/Oedema: _____

b) Spasticity: _____

c) Orthopaedic Problems: _____

Intervention for above (splints, positioning, exercise): _____

MOBILITY, TRANSFERS AND POSITIONING:

Is the patient ambulatory? Yes No How often? _____

Mobility Aids: _____

Has equipment been: Prescribed Ordered

Does the patient require assistance for transfer? Yes No # of persons: _____

Manual Lift Mechanical Lift Manual Transfer Describe: _____

Can the patient shift his/her own weight in:

a) Chair Yes No

b) Bed Yes No

Does the patient have a special mattress? Yes No

If yes, what type? _____

Does the patient use positioning devices? | Yes No

If yes, which type: _____

Does the patient tolerate changes in positions in bed? | Yes No

If yes, check all that apply:

Supine Right-side Lying Left-side Lying

ADL:

	Independent	Assistance Needed	Supervision	Dependent
Shaving	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Oral Care	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Grooming	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bathing/Washing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Shower/Tub	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Feeding	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dressing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

