



Clinical Parameters For Admission and Recertification

End-Stage Liver Disease

Patient: _____ MR#: _____

NOTE: CIRCLE OR CHECK THE APPROPRIATE DATA AS COMPLETELY AS POSSIBLE

General Characteristic

1. Consider the entire physical and psychosocial condition of the patient.
2. Review history and conduct physical examination of the presenting terminal diagnosis including medications.
3. Patient/CG should desire no further aggressive intervention including acute care hospitalizations or cardiopulmonary resuscitation.
4. Patient with multiple medical problems that dictate a terminal prognosis and a need for symptom management rather than an aggressive approach.

Clinical Characteristics

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| _____ | Pain | | |
| _____ | Hepatic encephalopathy | _____past | _____present |
| _____ | Hx of GI bleeding | _____past | _____present |
| _____ | H of peritoneal taps | _____past | _____present |
| _____ | H of ETOH abuse | _____past | _____present |
| _____ | Hx of transfusions | | |
| _____ | Hx of peritonitis | _____past | _____present |
| _____ | Hepatorenal syndrome | | |
| _____ | Jaundice | _____past | _____present |
| _____ | Ascites | _____girth | |
| _____ | Edema | _____location | |
| _____ | Ecchymosis, purpura, petechiae | | |
| _____ | Pt over 5 sec or INR over 1.5 | | |
| _____ | Serum albumin less than 2.5 gm/dl | | |
| _____ | AST | _____LDH | _____Ammonia |
| _____ | ALT | _____Alk Phos | |
| _____ | Karnofsky Performance Scale less than 50% | | |
| _____ | Palliative Performance Scale less than 70% | | |

Clinical

Narrative: _____

Information Obtained From: _____ **date:** _____

H&P Requested: _____ **Yes** _____ **No**

Date: _____ **Source:** _____ **Signature:** _____