

Connecticut PASRR

Quarterly Newsletter:

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PROCESS REMINDER: New Federal Regulations Now in Place



Keep in mind that **federal compliance regulations went into effect on May 12, 2023**. Please continue to adhere to the following three regulations:

- The Nursing Facility (NF) will need to submit a new screen prior to the expiration of a time-limited approval.
- The NF is required to report significant changes related to the identification or support of a PASRR disability, which could include these disability-specific indicators: diagnoses, medications, behaviors, services, or institutional care. Such changes should be reported within 14 days of identification.
- NF admission occurred before the required PASRR activity was completed.

All guidance mentioned above is required and if not followed, may result in nonpayment of services.

Note: Retrospective reviews will not be granted if there was a compliance regulation noted in the time period being requested.

BEST PRACTICE: Assessment Tips & Reminders

1

Make sure all **MD certifications are filled out correctly**. If you are requesting an exemption, the corresponding exemption box must be marked. If it is not marked correctly, the Clinician will delete it and you will need to upload a new one with correct information. Clinicians have 5 hours to complete any reviews that we have received information on.

2

If you are requesting a categorical, make sure you always **complete the MD certification that corresponds with the categorical you are requesting**. Be sure to carefully read the criteria related to each categorical.

3

Always be sure to check your **AssessmentPro homepage for status updates** before calling the Help Desk regarding the status of a review.

QUESTIONS? Contact CT PASRR Help Desk



We will continue to reach out via email to provide you with helpful reminders, detailed information on policy, and procedural updates. We invite you to [visit our website](#) to learn more about us.

We are privileged to work with you to ensure individuals across Connecticut receive the services and supports they need.
