

State Requirements for Preadmission and Resident Review (PASRR)

State of Virginia, Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (DBHDS)



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What is PASRR?

The purpose of Preadmission Screening and Resident Review (PASRR) is to identify the best services (and setting where services should be received) for applicants to and residents of Medicaid certified nursing homes who also have a Serious Mental Illness (SMI) or an Intellectual or Developmental Disability (I/DD). PASRR is required under Title 42 CFR, Section 483 of federal regulations and is an outgrowth of the Americans with Disabilities Act. A PASRR is required before a person with a SMI or IDD can be admitted to a nursing home. If the person has a legal guardian, they must also be interviewed.

Reasons why PASRR information may be requested:

- 1) To determine whether the applicant or resident has a major mental illness or an intellectual or developmental disability
- 2) Once it is determined that a person has a disability, then information must be provided to inform the best setting and services needed

Information needed by Maximus to establish whether a person has a PASRR condition



Information needed by Maximus if a PASRR condition is confirmed

