



Treasure Coast Home Health Care

Readmission Prevention Program

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CHF Program

This Program is designed for patients diagnosed with Congestive Heart Failure



Problem:

- Patients going home without **proper support** may deteriorate soon after discharge, which lead to readmissions
- Medicare estimates that readmissions can cost more than **\$15 billion a year**
- October 1, 2012 CMS will reduce payments to hospitals with excess readmissions *J. Bourbeau, M. Julien, et al

Let us help reduce your readmission rates!

Our 30-day readmission rate for **2013: 4.47%** (Nat'l avg. is 19%)

Solution:

Our CareSpecialists® will:

Watch for **early** signs and symptoms of CHF such as: increased confusion, difficulty sleeping, wheezing/coughing, shortness of breath & swelling before it becomes an emergency!

Upon Discharge, or patients will receive:

- FREE RN assessment
- Daily weights; weight gain of 2 lbs.+ **immediately** reported to RN and MD
- Education on importance of taking medications, healthy diet & exercise
- RN Care Management will track patient compliance and outcomes
- CareSpecialist® will help w/ **bathing, dressing, toileting & ambulating, medication reminders, light-housekeeping, transportation, meal prep...**



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