**PPNO List Serv Query Summary Template**

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Abbreviated Question (as it will appear on search results page): Are CCC/rehab units doing vitals on discharge, if ordered weekly?

Policy/Procedure Practice  Program Info  Committee Structure info  Role  Students

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Responses: Please cut and paste responses from emails into the table, save and send summary table to PPNO List Serv. Allow 3 weeks for responses to filter in before sending final version.

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| Grace Sutherland, RN, BScN, MN    Almonte General Hospital  Informatics Coordinator/Clinical Educator  613-256-2500, ext 2507  [gsutherland@agh-fvm.com](mailto:gsutherland@agh-fvm.com) | Hi Robin, it is an expectation that vital signs are done prior to discharge.  This is especially important if they are transferred to another facility. |  |
| Shona Kroeker RN, BScN, PME  **Clinical Educator**: Mental Health, Complex Care, Palliative, Rehabilitation, Integrated Stroke Unit, & Willett Site  **District Stroke Best Practice Lead**  Brant Community Healthcare System  200 Terrace Hill Street  Brantford On, N3R 1G9  (519) 751- 5544 **ext 2702**  [**shona.kroeker@bchsys.org**](mailto:shona.kroeker@bchsys.org) | I reached out to my team- seems to be nurse and/or patient dependant- but it is not expected – we do not have a policy to support vitals on discharge. |  |
| Selina Fleming MN, BScN, RN  HPHA Educator  Huron Perth Healthcare Alliance  Phone: [519.272.8210 x2325](tel:(519)%20272-8210)  Clinton Public Hospital - St. Marys Memorial Hospital - Seaforth Community Hospital - Stratford General Hospital | Hi Robin,  I’ve included the except below around VS in our CCC population. I’ve also connected with the Team Leaders on units that have patients that are CCC or Rehab who indicated that it’s expected  for VS to be taken prior to discharge but at times it may be warranted if there was a particular concern or specifically ordered (which both are generally rare occurrences).  cid:image001.png@01D6A3A6.4D0FFB80  Hope you find this helpful, |  |
| **Melissa Monardo OT Reg. (Ont.)**  Health Disciplines Professional Practice Leader  Interprofessional Practice  Lakeridge Health  T. 905.576.8711 ext.33876  C: 905.252.6617  [mmonardo@lh.ca](mailto:mmonardo@lh.ca) | Hi  I received a response from one of our CCC CPLs who advised:  It is expected that a patient have vitals completed prior to leaving the unit/ being discharged for liability purposes of sending a potentially unstable patient. There is a vitals section on the transfer record that is always completed prior to sending them.  Hope that helps  Thank you |  |