

OBRA Assessment Schedule After Discharges Return Anticipated

According to the RAI Manual (page 2-7):

Completion of an OBRA Admission assessment must occur in any of the following admission situations:

- when the resident has never been admitted to this facility before; OR
- when the resident has been in this facility previously and was discharged prior to completion of the OBRA Admission assessment; OR
- when the resident has been in this facility previously and was discharged return not anticipated; OR
- when the resident has been in this facility previously and was discharged return anticipated and did not return within 30 days of discharge.

If the resident is discharged return anticipated and returns within 30 days of discharge, an OBRA Admission assessment **should not be completed**. If a significant change in status has occurred, a significant change assessment should be completed. Otherwise, the OBRA assessment schedule from prior to the discharge should be resumed.

