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**Attention Provider Type 29 (Home Health Agency and Private Duty Nursing Services):**

**Reminder of Requirements for Recipients Admitted to an Acute Facility During a Private Duty Nursing (PDN) Certification Period**

As a reminder, [Medicaid Services Manual Chapter 900, Section 903.1B.\(3\)](#) states that a new Plan of Care (POC) is required when there is a change in the recipient's condition, change in orders following hospitalization, and/or change in the ordering physician.

For recipients who become hospitalized for 24 hours or longer during a Private Duty Nursing (PDN) certification period, Home Health Providers must submit an [FA-29A Request for Termination of Service](#) notification to Gainwell Technologies, the QIO like vendor for Nevada Medicaid.

Upon hospital discharge and readmission to PDN services, a new prior authorization and a newly signed POC will be required.

Per [CFR 484.55d2 42](#), the comprehensive assessment must be updated and revised (including the administration of the OASIS) as frequently as the patient's condition warrants due to a major decline or improvement in the patient's health status, but not less frequently than—

- (1) The last 5 days of every 60 days beginning with the start-of-care date, unless there is a—
  - (i) Beneficiary elected transfer;
  - (ii) Significant change in condition; or
  - (iii) Discharge and return to the same HHA during the 60-day episode.
- (2) Within 48 hours of the patient's return to the home from a hospital admission of 24 hours or more for any reason other than diagnostic tests, or on physician or allowed practitioner-ordered resumption date;
- (3) At discharge.

If you have any questions or require assistance, please call the Gainwell Technologies Contact Center at (877) 638-3472.