

Patient Name:

Date:

Person Completing:

INTENSIVE OUTPATIENT CONTINUED STAY

A, B, C, D and E are required for Intensive Outpatient Continued Stay for all ED patients:

A. Co-morbid psychiatric disorders are stable enough for outpatient treatment and appropriate treatment is being provided to maintain this stability [SI 4]

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B. Eating disorder behaviors and body weight are at levels where acute medical intervention is not needed, but without at least three (3) hours daily structured treatment at least three (3) days a week the patient is likely to regress or return to needing a higher level of care [SI 1]

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C. Motivation, self care skills and recognition of a need for treatment are sufficient for the patient to reduce ED behaviors and/or gain weight with OP treatment, [but has not achieved progress with OP treatment at a twice weekly frequency] [SI 2]

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D. Patient has adequate support in their living environment and access to this level of care [SI 3]

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E. Benefit from treatment is likely as shown by participation by patient and family, attendance and evidence of motivation and acceptance of treatment recommendations *or* if progress is not being achieved then the treatment plan is being modified in such manner as to likely achieve progress [CS 1]

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