PMAG PALLIATIVE CARE
PATIENT SCREENING TOOL

PATIENT NAME: DATE OF BIRTH (mm-dd-yyyy):

Criteria 1 - Please consider the following criteria when determining the Palliative Care score of this patient (SCORE 2 POINTS EACH)

1. Basic Disease Process
   - Cardiac Disease (e.g., CHF, CAD, CM, etc.) 2
   - COPD 2
   - Cancer 2
   - Stroke 2
   - CNS Disease (e.g., Parkinson’s, ALS, MS, etc.) 2
   - Other Serious Illness (e.g., ESRD, etc.) 2

Criteria 2 - Please consider the following criteria when determining the Palliative Score of this patient (SCORE 1 POINT OVERALL)

2. Associated Disease Processes
   - Liver Disease
   - Renal Disease
   - Lung Disease
   - Other Life-Limiting Illness
   - Other Conditions Complicating Care (e.g., Diabetes, Persistent Anxiety, SOB, Fatigue, Chronic Pain, Dementia, etc.)

Criteria 3 - Please consider the following criteria when determining the Palliative Care score of this patient (SCORE 1 POINT EACH)

3. Basic Disease Process
   - Needs help with complex decision-making and goals of care.
   - Is not a candidate for curative therapy.
   - Has a life-limiting illness and chosen to have life prolonging therapy.
   - Has unacceptable level of pain >24 hours.
   - Has difficult-to-control symptoms (e.g., pain, N/V, weight loss, etc.).
   - Has psychosocial or spiritual issues (e.g., inadequate family support, food insecurity, housing issues, etc.).
   - Has frequent visits to the Emergency Department.
   - Has more than one hospital admission for the same diagnosis in last 30 days.

Criteria 4 - Functional Status of Patient

PPS (Palliative Performance Scale) / ECOG Performance Status (Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group) SCORE AS SPECIFIED BELOW

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<tr>
<th>PPS</th>
<th>ECOG</th>
<th>Scale</th>
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<td>100-90</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>Fully Active, able to carry on all pre-disease activities without restriction. 0</td>
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<td>80-70</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>Restricted physically strenuous activity, but ambulatory and able to carry out work of a light or sedentary nature (e.g., light housework, office work). 0</td>
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<td>60-50</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>Ambulatory and capable of all self-care, but unable to carry out any work activities. Up and about more than 50% of waking hours. 1</td>
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<td>40-30</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>Capable of only limited self-care; confined to bed or chair more than 50% of waking hours. 2</td>
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<td>20-0</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>Completely disabled. Cannot carry on any self-care. Totally confined to bed or chair. 3</td>
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TOTAL SCORE:

SCORING GUIDELINES:
- TOTAL SCORE = 2 Monitor with follow-up.
- TOTAL SCORE = 3 Consider consult.
- TOTAL SCORE = 4 Needs consult (inform/educate patient, initiate referral form for Case Mgt)

Patient screened by:
Print Name: Signature: Date Screened:

Note: This screening tool is designed to help identify patients who may benefit from Palliative Care services. Its use is not intended for diagnosis, prognosis, or any directive regarding the practice of medicine.