



Date: 05/10/2025

AlphaCare Home Health Agency, Inc.

**PLAN OF CARE** 

Patient: Cromwell. Hector-MR#00000316

Chart: 2 Episode: 2

Patient's HI Claim No Certification Period Start of Care Date Medical Record No Provider No 9159P8518 03/11/2025 05/10/2025 -- 07/08/2025 000000316 227523

Patient's Name and Address Cromwell, Hector

Date of Birth: 02/09/1970

158 Fourth St Suite/Apt #2nd Floor

Fall River, MA 02721 Phone: (508) 623-6798

Provider's Name Address and Telephone Number AlphaCare Home Health Agency, Inc. 1707 GAR Highway

Swansea, MĂ 02777 Phone: 617-600-4547 Fax: 855-225-2958

Sex 

Male 
Female

Summary of Changes Since Last Plan of Care Update

Physician Name: Hinedi, Tamim (MD (Dr. Alliance)) Date Order Received: 05/21/2025 Time Order Received: 2:00 PM

MEDICATIONS:

Active

Atorvastatin Calcium 40 MG Tab(s) Oral 80 mg Every night at bedtime Change Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025 Carvedilol 12.5 MG Tab(s) Oral 25 mg Twice per day HTN. Hold for systolic <100. diastolic <60 Change Start

Effective Date: 03/11/2025

Prasugrel HCl 10 MG Tab(s) Oral 10 mg Daily Start Effective Date: 05/21/2025

Sacubitril-Valsartan (Entresto) 24-26 MG Tab(s) Oral 1 tab Twice per day Start Effective Date: 05/21/2025

Spironolactone 25 MG Tab(s) Oral 25 mg Daily Start Effective Date: 05/21/2025

Dapagliflozin Propanediol (Farxiga) 10 MG Tab(s) Oral 10 mg Daily Start Effective Date: 05/21/2025 Ergocalciferol 1.25 MG (50000 UT) Cap(s) Oral 1.25 mg Every seven days Start Effective Date: 05/21/2025

amLODIPine Besylate 10 MG Tab(s) Oral 10 mg Daily HTN Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025 Discontinued Date: 05/21/2025

# ELIGIBILITY

## **HOMEBOUND STATUS:**

Patient is NOT HOMEBOUND. Please be advised, patient is not confined to place of residence. Patient goes out independently for errands, social reasons, and leisure activities, and does so routinely without any taxing effort. Services are medically necessary. Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

# RECERTIFICATION OF PATIENT ELIGIBILITY:

I estimate the duration of continued Home Health services for this patient to be 60 days Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Please note, as per 114.3 CMR 50.02/101 CMR 350.02 (general definitions), services provided by a professional registered nurse, licensed practical nurse, or a nursing student under the supervision of a registered nurse include giving medications ordered by the physician and are nursing services. As such, per 114.3 CMR 50.04/101 CMR 350.04, said nursing services are reimbursable by MassHealth (Medicaid) as skilled nursing services. Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Services are expected to end within 60 days unless goals are not met. Patient will be discharged when goals are met and patient is safe and independent with care at home or when patient is no longer in need of skilled nursing services. Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

VERBAL ORDER FOR PLAN OF CARE:

Verbal order for this plan of care taken and read back by clinician signing this plan of care. Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

# FACE TO FACE ENCOUNTER:

NON-HOMEBOUND/f2f SCHEDULED WITHIN 30 DAYS: I certify/recertify that this patient is under my care and that I, or a nurse practitioner or physicians assistant working with me, has a scheduled face to face encounter within the next 30 days that meets the physician face to face encounter requirements with this patient. I certify/recertify that the above stated patient is NOT HOMEBOUND and that upon completion of the/this FTF encounter, has a need/continued need for intermittent skilled nursing, physical therapy and/or speech or occupational therapy services in their home for their current diagnoses as outlined in their initial plan of care. These services will continue to be monitored by

Clinician's Signature and Date Of Verbal SOC Where Applicable (see below):

Electronically Signed by: Lopes, Amanda (RN) RN 05/07/2025 04:54:17 PM EDT

Date HHA Received Signed POT

Physician's Name and Address

Hinedi, Tamim (MD (Dr. Alliance)) 277 Pleasant Street Suite/Apt #Suite 208

Fall River MA, 02720

Physician's Phone # (508) 567-6065 Physician's Fax # 774-365-4082 Physician's NPI # 1447255880

Attending Physician's Signature and Date Signed

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Caregiver Signature:





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myself or another physician, (nurse practitioner or physicians assistant working with me) who will periodically review and update the plan of care as required. Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

#### DIAGNOSIS

#### Primary

F33.9 Major depressive disorder, recurrent, unspecified Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

I10 Essential (primary) hypertension Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

E11.9 Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

J44.9 Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, unspecified Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

M10.9 Gout, unspecified Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

F12.20 Cannabis dependence, uncomplicated Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025 I72.4 Aneurysm of artery of lower extremity Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

K57.32 Dvtrcli of lg int w/o perforation or abscess w/o bleeding Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025 Z91.198 Pt noncompl with other med trtmt and regimen for other rsn Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

Z79.4 Long term (current) use of insulin Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

N18.9 Chronic kidney disease, unspecified Start Effective Date: 05/21/2025 E

I21.4 Non-ST elevation (NSTEMI) myocardial infarction Start Effective Date: 05/21/2025 E

Z95.5 Presence of coronary angioplasty implant and graft Start Effective Date: 05/21/2025 E

Aspirin (Aspirin 81) 81 MG Tab(s) Oral 81 mg Daily Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

Atorvastatin Calcium 40 MG Tab(s) Oral 80 mg Every night at bedtime Change Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

buPROPion HCl ER (SR) (Wellbutrin SR) 150 MG Tab(s) Oral 150 mg Daily Depression Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025 Carvedilol 12.5 MG Tab(s) Oral 25 mg Twice per day HTN. Hold for systolic <100, diastolic <60 Change Start Effective

Date: 03/11/2025

cloNIDine HCl 0.1 MG Tab(s) Oral 0.1 mg Every night at bedtime Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

Colchicine 0.6 MG Tab(s) Oral 0.6 mg Daily Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

Escitalopram Oxalate 20 MG Tab(s) Oral 20 mg Daily Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

Gabapentin 600 MG Tab(s) Oral 600 mg Three times per day Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

Insulin Glargine (Lantus) 100 UNIT/ML ml Subcutaneous 24 units Daily Insulin Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025 Insulin Lispro (HumaLOG) 100 UNIT/ML ml Subcutaneous 12 units Q Noon (Lunch) Insulin Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

Insulin Lispro (HumaLOG) 100 UNIT/ML Subcutaneous 16 units Q AM (Breakfast) Insulin Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025 Insulin Lispro (HumaLOG) 100 UNIT/ML Subcutaneous 16 units Q PM (Dinner) Insulin Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

Mirtazapine (Remeron) 15 MG Tab(s) Oral 15 mg Every night at bedtime Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

Potassium Chloride ER (Klor-Con 10) 10 MEQ Tab(s) Oral 10 MEQ Twice per day Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

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# DME/SUPPLIES

# DMF:

Medication Lockbox Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Shower Chair Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

# SAFETY MEASURES

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911 Protocol Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Diabetic precautions Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Emergency Care Plan Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Fall Prevention Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Hazardous Waste Disposal Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Infection Control: Standard Precautions Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Safety in ADLs Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Medication Safety/Storage. The Patient/ Caregiver was provided with an updated copy of the Medication list and

Instruction on the ordered Medications. Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

# NUTRITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

# DTFT/HYDRATTON:

Cardiac Diet Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Diabetic Diet Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

# ALLERGIES

NKDA Start Effective Date: 03/11/2025

# **FUNCTIONAL LIMITATIONS**

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The patient's routine inability to follow instructions affects daily function related to medication administration. Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

ACTIVITIES PERMITTED

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No Restrictions Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

MENTAL STATUS

MENTAL/PSYCHOSOCIAL/COGNITIVE STATUS: Agitated Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Alert Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Anxious Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Depressed Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Forgetful Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Impaired Judgment Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Oriented Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

PROGNOSTS

PROGNOSIS:

Guarded Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

GOALS/INTERVENTIONS

VISIT FREQUENCY:

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Skilled Nursing Visits 10-14/wk for SN assessment, education, med admin Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Vital Sign Parameters

VITAL SIGN PARAMETERS Notify Physician if:

Pain Rating is greater than 8 on 0-10 scale Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

NOTIFY MD IF:

BP less than 90/50 OR greater than 150/90

HR less than 50 OR greater than 120

TEMP greater than 100

02 less than 90%

BS less than 60 OR greater than 400 Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Rehospitalization/Emergency Risk

REHOSPITALIZATION/EMERGENCY RISKS & INTERVENTIONS:

RISK: Currently reports exhaustion Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 RISK: Currently taking 5 or more medications Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

RISK: Decline in mental, emotional, or behavioral status in the past 3 months Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

RISK: Multiple emergency department visits in the past 6 months Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

RISK: Multiple hospitalizations in the past 6 months Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

RISK: Reported or observed history of difficulty complying with any medical instructions in the past 3 months Start

Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Establish Patient Emergency Plan and instructions for 24-hour contact Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Provide medication education Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

REHOSPITALIZATION/EMERGENCY GOALS:

Patient/Caregiver will verbalize/demonstrate understanding of symptom management, resource utilization and medication management to reduce unplanned hospital or emergency department visits Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Progress

Towards Goals: 20%

Cardiovascular

CARDIOVASCULAR INTERVENTIONS

Assess for and Teach Patient to recognize Signs & Symptoms of Hypertension, explaining first that HTN can sometimes present without any symptoms: dizziness, HA (throbbing or pounding), palpitations, blurred vision, fatigue,

nosebleed(s), insomnia, nervousness, chest pain, SOB Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Assess: Cardiovascular status Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Assess: Extremity color, temperature, swelling and pain Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Educate patient on measures to manage Hypertension including: compliance with all MD appts and prescribed medications, eat balanced meals low in saturated fat, cholesterol, and sodium, avoid tobacco/ETOH use, maintain a healthy weight, increase or initiate exercise, lifestyle changes to reduce stress Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

**ENDOCRINE INTERVENTIONS** 

Assess for and Teach Patient to recognize Signs & Symptoms of Hyperglycemia: polyuria, polydipsia, polyphagia, nausea, HA, fatigue, dizziness Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Assess for and Teach Patient to recognize Signs & Symptoms of Hypoglycemia: sweating, tremors, anxiety, hunger, dizziness, HA, cloudy vision, confusion, abnormal behavior, convulsions, loss of consciousness Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Assess for and Teach Patient to recognize Signs & Symptoms of Type 2 Diabetes: increased thirst, increased appetite, increased urination, fatigue, blurred vision, slow-healing infections Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025





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Assess/Perform/Instruct Pt/Pcg: Blood glucose testing and importance of recording/monitoring for trends Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Educate Patient on following a Diabetic Diet: limit amount of sweets & fatty foods, eat often but in smaller amounts, include lots of whole-grain foods and fruits & vegetables, limit use of ETOH, establish a routine for eating meals & snacks at regular times every day, eat the same amount of carbs at each meal or snack to avoid severe fluctuations in blood sugars Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Educate Patient on long-term complications of DM including: diabetic retinopathy, neuropathty, nephropathy, hyperlipidemia, HTN/Strokes, CAD/PVD, infection, amputation of extremities Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Educate Patient on measures to manage low blood sugars: eat some form of simple carbohydrate as soon as possible (eg sweetened fruit juice, candy, glucose tablets), if low blood sugar and symptoms persist, seek EMS Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Educate Patient on possible emergent complications of Diabetes Mellitus: Hypoglycemic Coma, S/S include weakness/drowsiness, HA, confusion, dizziness, double vision, lack of coordination, convulsions, loss of consciousness Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

### **ENDOCRINE GOALS**

Pt will be compliant with medication/insulin regimen a.e.b. blood sugar readings within established parameters/target range Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Progress Towards Goals: 10%

Pt will recognize & report S/S hypo/hyperglycemia and utilize appropriate/taught interventions for each. Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Progress Towards Goals: 20%

#### Gastrointestinal

# GASTROINTESTINAL INTERVENTIONS

Assess: Gastrointestinal status Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Instruct Pt/Pcg: Management of constipation Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Instruct Pt/Pcg: Management of diarrhea Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Instruct Pt/Pcg: Management of nausea/vomiting Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

### **Medication Management**

### MEDICATION MANAGEMENT INTERVENTIONS

Administer AM medications per medication profile/MD orders Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Administer Insulin per medication profile/MD orders Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Administer PM medications per medication profile/MD orders Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Assess compliance with self managed insulin admin Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Perform/Instruct Pt/Pcg: Medication management; pill box, calendar, reminders Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Prepour medications at time of SN visit per medication profile/MD orders for days/doses leading up to next SNV. SN will assess for compliance with prepoured med doses at following SNV. Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Assess for S/S intoxication; hold medications if pt appears intoxicated and notify MD. Start Effective Date:

05/10/2025

Assess: Medication compliance, effectiveness, side effects Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Educate Patient on Insulin management including administration precautions: rotate sites to prevent skin complications (appropriate sites include abdomen, upper/outer thighs, upper arms, and buttocks), do not massage injection site after administration of insulin, dispose of syringes in impermeable container Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Instruct Pt/Pcg: Medication actions, uses, frequency, dose, side effects, interactions of all new/change meds Start

Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Teach Patient proper Insulin Administration procedure: wash hands, choose injection site and prepare by swabbing with alcohol, allow to air dry, pinch approx 2in of skin around selected site with thumb & forefinger (do not touch area just cleaned), inject needle into skin using quick, firm motion, use 45deg angle for normal wt, 90deg angle for obese pt, inject slowly then remove needle and hold alcohol swab over site briefly, dispose of syringe in appropriate container Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

To promote patient independence okay for skilled nurse to prefill/prepour medication doses per medication profile/MD orders, and reduce visits within frequency range. If patient demonstrates ability, plan of care will be re-evaluated and MD notified of requested changes. Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

# MEDICATION MANAGEMENT GOALS

Pt will comply with medication regimen and be knowledgeable of side effects to report. Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Progress Towards Goals: 10%

# Musculoskeletal

# MUSCULOSKELETAL INTERVENTIONS

Assess/Instruct Pt/Pcg: Safe transfer/ambulation Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Assess/Instruct Pt/Pcg: Safety measures to prevent injury Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Assess: Musculoskeletal status Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

# Psychiatric/Neurological

# PSYCHIATRIC/NEUROLOGICAL INTERVENTIONS:

Assess for and teach patient to recognize s/s anxiety Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Assess for and teach patient to recognize s/s of depression Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025





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Assess for: s/s intoxication or substance use Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Assess for: Suicidal ideations and/or thoughts of self-harm Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Assess: mental status, mood, s/s mania/depression Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Educate patient on measures to manage depressive d/o Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Instruct Pt/Pcg: Signs and symptoms of anxiety, agitation, ineffective coping Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Teach measures and coping skills to manage Anxiety Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

#### PSYCHIATRIC/NEUROLOGICAL GOALS:

Pt will be free from exacerbation of psychiatric symptoms and/or hospitalizations Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Progress Towards Goals: 0%

Pt will develop positive coping skills to manage feelings of anxiety/depression. Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Progress Towards Goals: 0%

# Respiratory

### RESPIRATORY INTERVENTIONS

Assess for and teach patient to recognize s/s of COPD exacerbation Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Assess: Respiratory status Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Assess and educate patient on emergency s/s of respiratory distress/oxygen deprivation Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Educate patient on measures to manage COPD and prevent exacerbation Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

Instruct Pt: Risks associated with cigarette smoking; promote smoking cessation Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

# RESPIRATORY GOALS

Pt will recognize & report s/s COPD exacerbation and/or respiratory infection Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

### Patient Centered Goal

PATIENT CENTERED GOAL

Pt will comply with medication regimen including prepoured doses. Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Progress Towards

Goals: 10%

Pt will gain insight into disease process/ care management Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025 Progress Towards Goals:

100.

Pt will understand correlation between noncompliance and R/F decompensation/hospitalization. Start Effective Date:

05/10/2025 Progress Towards Goals: 10%

#### Long Term Goal

SN LONG TERM GOALS:

Patient will remain safely at home and in the community with clinical management by SN and MD follow-up until

independent with care Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

# ADVANCE DIRECTIVES

ADVANCE DIRECTIVES:

FULL CODE Start Effective Date: 05/21/2025

# **REHAB POTENTIAL**

SN REHAB POTENTIAL:

SN Rehab Potential: Guarded Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

# DISCHARGE PLANNING

SN DISCHARGE PLAN:

Patient will be discharged when goals are met and patient is safe and independent with care at home or when patient is

no longer in need of skilled nursing services. Start Effective Date: 05/10/2025

# FREOUENCIES

Active

RN/LPN: 2 x day for 49 days starting 05/21/2025 (week 3) Start Date: 05/21/2025 End Date: 07/08/2025 RN/LPN: 2 x day for 60 days starting 05/10/2025 (week 1) Start Date: 05/10/2025 End Date: 07/08/2025