

Post Test Answer Key- Discharge Care Plan

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Question: True or False?	Answer
1. Discharge care planning does not have to be completed until about a week before the resident goes back home.	False – discharge care planning should be started upon admission if discharge is planned and for resident currently in the facility, once discharge is anticipated.
2. The resident does not need to be part of the development of the discharge plan as long as the interdisciplinary team and physician feel discharge is appropriate.	False - The resident and resident representatives must be active partners in the participation and development of the discharge plan.
3. Facilities need to document any referrals to local contact agencies or other entities in regards to the resident discharge.	True – Documentation of all referrals should be located in the medical record.
4. If it is determined that the resident is unable to be discharged, the facility is not required to document discharge determination.	False – the facility is required to document who made the determination and why.
5. Regular re-evaluation and care plan updates are necessary with the discharge care plan.	True – The care plan must be updated as needed to reflect changes/modifications to the care plan based on resident assessment and ongoing evaluation.