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Bowel Surgery

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Clinical Indications for Admission to Recovery Facility

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- Skilled nursing facility (SNF) or subacute facility care is/was needed for appropriate care of patient because of **ALL** of the following^[A](1):
 - There are no acute hospital care needs.(2)
 - The patient has **Intense and complex care needs** that make recovery facility care safer and more practical than attempting care at a lower level and **ALL** of the following^{[B][C]}(5):
 - These care needs include the multiple components of care that are delivered by skilled professionals at a recovery facility.^{[D][E][F]}
 - There is a plan to provide **ALL** of the following(15):
 - Care plan management and evaluation to meet patient needs, achieve treatment goals, and ensure medical safety(16)
 - Observation and assessment of patient's changing condition to evaluate need for treatment modification or for additional procedures until condition stabilized
 - Education services to teach patient self-maintenance or to teach caregiver patient care(17)(18)
 - **Skilled care** treatments daily (or more frequent), including **1 or more** of the following:
 - Nursing treatments needed for **1 or more** of the following(19):
 - Intravenous (IV) infusion, IV injection, or intramuscular (IM) injection(2)(17)(20)
 - Tube feeding (ie, gastrostomy tubes, jejunostomy tubes, percutaneous endoscopic gastrostomy (PEG) tubes, nasogastric tubes) required because patient needs feeding to supply at least 26% of daily calories and at least 501 mL of daily fluids(17)(21)(22)
 - Wound management that requires dressing changes with prescription medication or clean technique and treatment for **1 or more** of the following(2):
 - Surgical wound complications
 - Patient care training and assistance for **1 or more** of the following(18)(23):
 - Exercise program (eg, range of motion, pulmonary, cardiac)(24)