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Patient Name: _____

Date: _____

(Not a permanent part of the medical record)

Criteria – Please consider the following criteria when determining the palliative care score of this patient			
SECTION 1-BASIC CONDITION <input type="checkbox"/> Cancer (Metastatic/Recurrent) <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced COPD (SOB in conversation or at rest/continuous O ₂) <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke (with decreased function by at least 50%) <input type="checkbox"/> End stage renal disease (Stage 4)		<input type="checkbox"/> Late stage dementia (decreased verbalization/ambulation) <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced cardiac disease – i.e. CHF severe CED, CM (LVEF < 25%) <input type="checkbox"/> Other life-limiting condition	SCORING Score 2 Points Each _____
If the score for Section 1 above is zero the patient does not meet the basic definition of seriously ill. STOP HERE IF SCORE IS 0 FOR SECTION ONE			
SECTION 2-COMORBIDTY CONDITIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Liver disease <input type="checkbox"/> Moderate renal disease <input type="checkbox"/> Moderate COPD		<input type="checkbox"/> Moderate congestive heart failure <input type="checkbox"/> Other condition complicating cure <input type="checkbox"/> Early to mid-stage dementia	Score 1 Point Overall _____
SECTION 3 FUNCTIONAL STATUS OF PATIENT Using ECOG Performance Stratus (Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group)			Score as specified below
ECOG Grades			ECOG score
0	Fully Active, able to carry on all pre-disease activities without restriction.	Score 0	_____
1	Restricted in physically strenuous activity but ambulatory and able to carry out work of a light or sedentary nature, e.g., light housework, office work.	Score 1	
2	Ambulatory and capable of all self-care but unable to carry out any work activities. Up and about more than 50% of waking hours.	Score 2	
3	Capable of only limited self-care; confined to bed or chair more than 50% of waking hours	Score 3	
4	Completely disabled. Cannot carry on any self-care. Totally confined to bed or chair.	Score 4	
SECTION 4 OTHER CRITERIA TO INCLUDE IN SCREENING			Score 1 point EACH
Unacceptable level of pain or other uncontrolled symptoms			_____
Unresolved psychosocial or spiritual issues			_____
Frequent visits to the Emergency Department and or hospital admissions			_____
Prolonged hospital stays			_____
Family/caregiver limitations or lack of consensus related to planning or prognosis			_____
Lacks advanced directive and or identified healthcare agent			_____
Other complex situations or significant limitations			_____
TOTAL SCORE			_____
SCORING GUIDELINES	Scoring schema inserted by organization		