



# Care Documentation and Reporting Technologies

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#### Workshop motivations

CNAs collect and report critical data to track residents' health condition. This data informs residents, their families, and their care team. Most of this data collection happens through digital apps. Undocumented activities may not be considered as legally happened.

# Learning goals (students will be able to...)

- Understand differences between objective and subjective information in care documentation.
- Gain communications skills to report Activities of Daily Living
- Become familiar with cell phone policies at long term care facilities.

# Workshop agenda

- Objective and subjective information
- Medical terminology and abbreviations
- ADLs documentation
- eRSP: A system example
- Cell phone use / policies and residents'
   privacy protection

### Suggested time

• 1 hour



# Objective vs Subjective Information

# Objective

Measured through physical examination, observation, or diagnostic testing

Collected using senses (signs)

Ambulation, bleeding, blood pressure, body temperature, heart rate, height and weight, overall appearance, respiratory rate, wound appearance

# Subjective

Data elicited from residents or family

Collected by client interview (symptoms)

Chills, congestion or runny nose, exhaustion and fatigue, feeling sleepy or dizzy, loss of appetite, loss of taste or smell, muscle or body aches

Both are valuable and need to be clearly noted!





# Medical terminology and abbreviations

Abr.	Meaning
AC	Before Meals
ADLs	Activities of Daily Living
AMB	Ambulate
BID	Twice Per Day
ВМ	Bowel Movement
BP	Blood Pressure
Cl Liq	Clear Liquids
C/O	Complains Of
DC	Discontinue
FBS	Fasting Blood Sugar
FF	Force Fluids
I&O	Intake and Output
NPO	Nothing By Mouth

Abr.	Meaning
N&V	Nausea and Vomiting
ООВ	Out of Bed
PC	After Meals
РО	By Mouth
PRN	As Necessary
QD	Every Day
QH	Every Hour
QID	Four Times Per Day
ROM	Range of Motion
SOB	Shortness of Breath
TID	Three Times Per Day
TX	Treatment
VS	Vital Signs
W/C	Wheelchair

- Save time with both verbal and written communication
- Reduce mistakes to communicate lengthy, complex medical terms
- Used in charting narrated notes for patient documentation
- Practice on <u>Quizlet</u>!

Source: Hedman, Fuzy, and Howard 2022

# Narrated notes: Case scenarios





- What was the time each case was charted? Do you understand this time format?
- What are subjective and objective data in these cases?
- Which abbreviations are used? Could you use another abbreviations?
- 1/30/23 13:17: Patient reports pain to lower abdomen, rates hurt at 7/10. She states that the distress has been increasing over the past partly hour after her return from PACU. Mrs. Hare describes the pain as a "dull ache." Abdominal dresser is dry and intact. Bowel sounds were hypoactive X4. Most current VS BP 114/82, HR 88, respiration 18, Sp02 94% on room airflow. Become experiential post-operative pain related go recent hernia functioning.

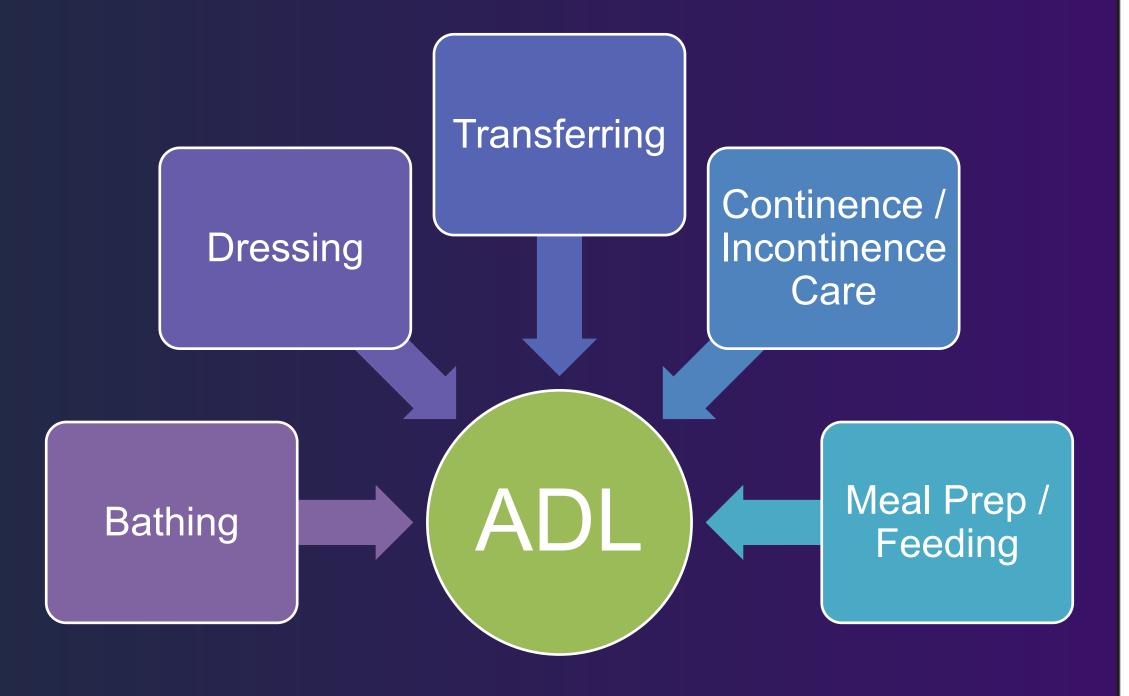
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Source: Correll 2023





# Reporting Activities of Daily Living (ADL)



#### ADL Flow Sheet Example

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# Care Documentation Relevance

Help healthcare teams to communicate.

Ensure the continuum of care (e.g., ADLs reporting).

Protect residents' privacy and healthcare rights.

Organize administrative activities (e.g., shifts scheduling).

Protect you in the event of a lawsuit.

Demonstrate your contributions as a nurse assistant.



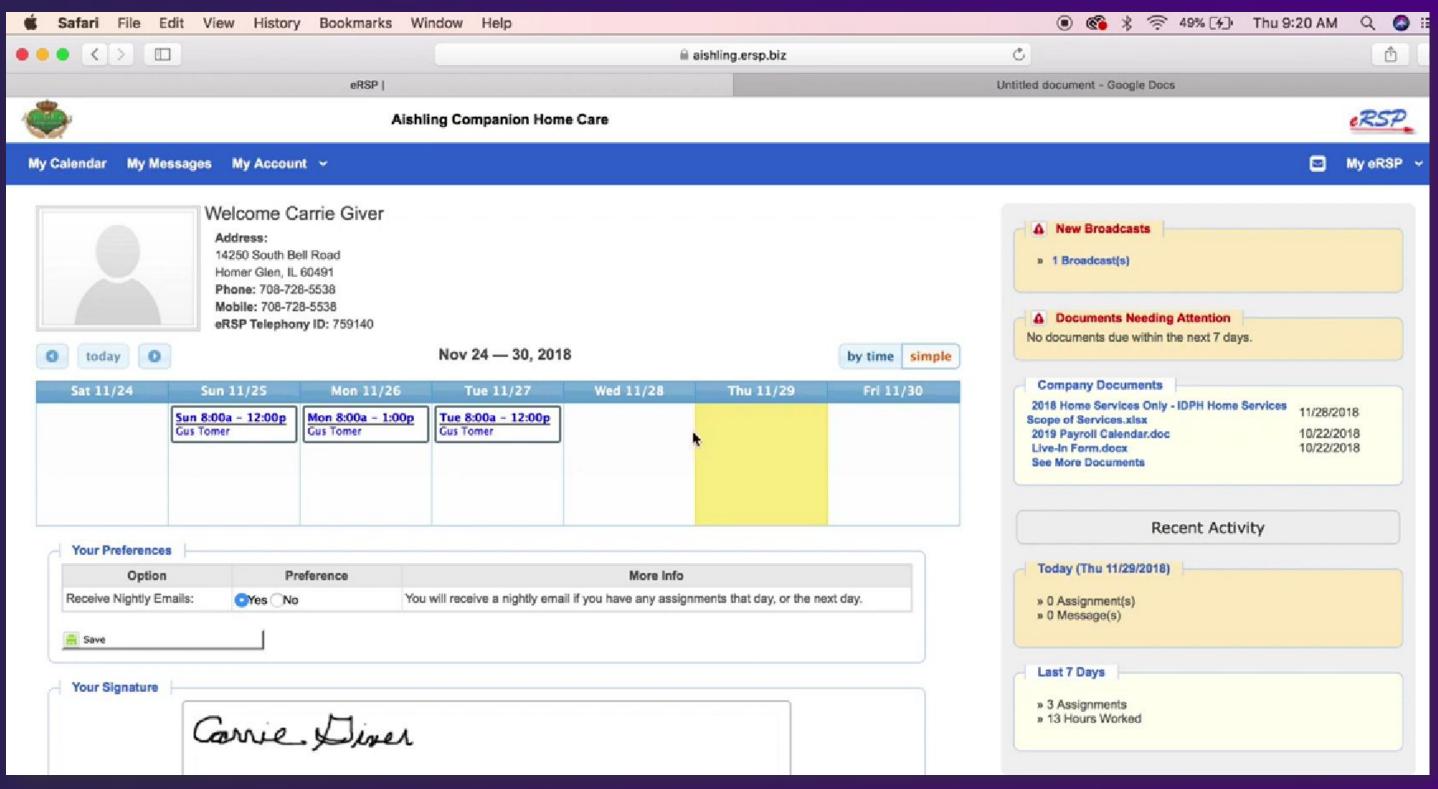




# eRSP: An ADLs commercial reporting system example (I)

CNAs dashboard includes:

- Log-in/Log-off
- Personal info
- Shifts schedule
- Employer messages
- Pending actions
- Recent activities



Source: ACHC 2019

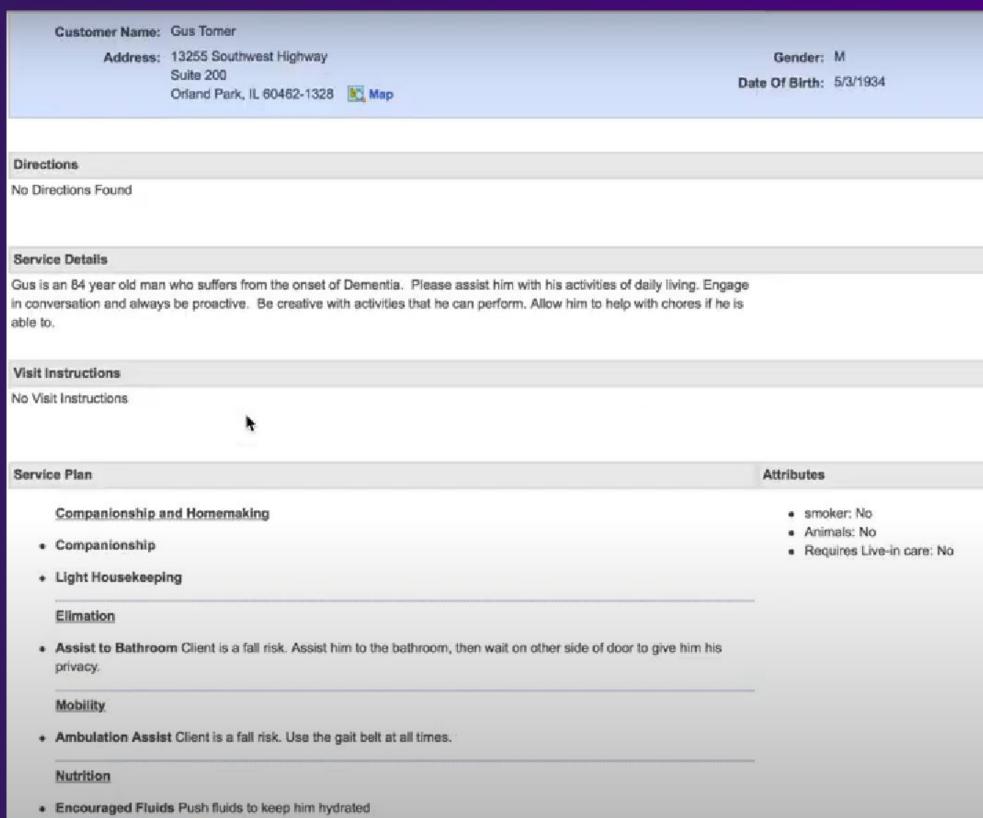




# eRSP: An ADLs commercial reporting system example (II)

A typical CNA assignment includes:

- Client's info and address.
- Service details for the assignment.
- Visit instructions (e.g., drive client to a doctor's appointment).
- Client's current care plan: CNAs are required to read it carefully and ask questions to the employer!



Source: ACHC 2019

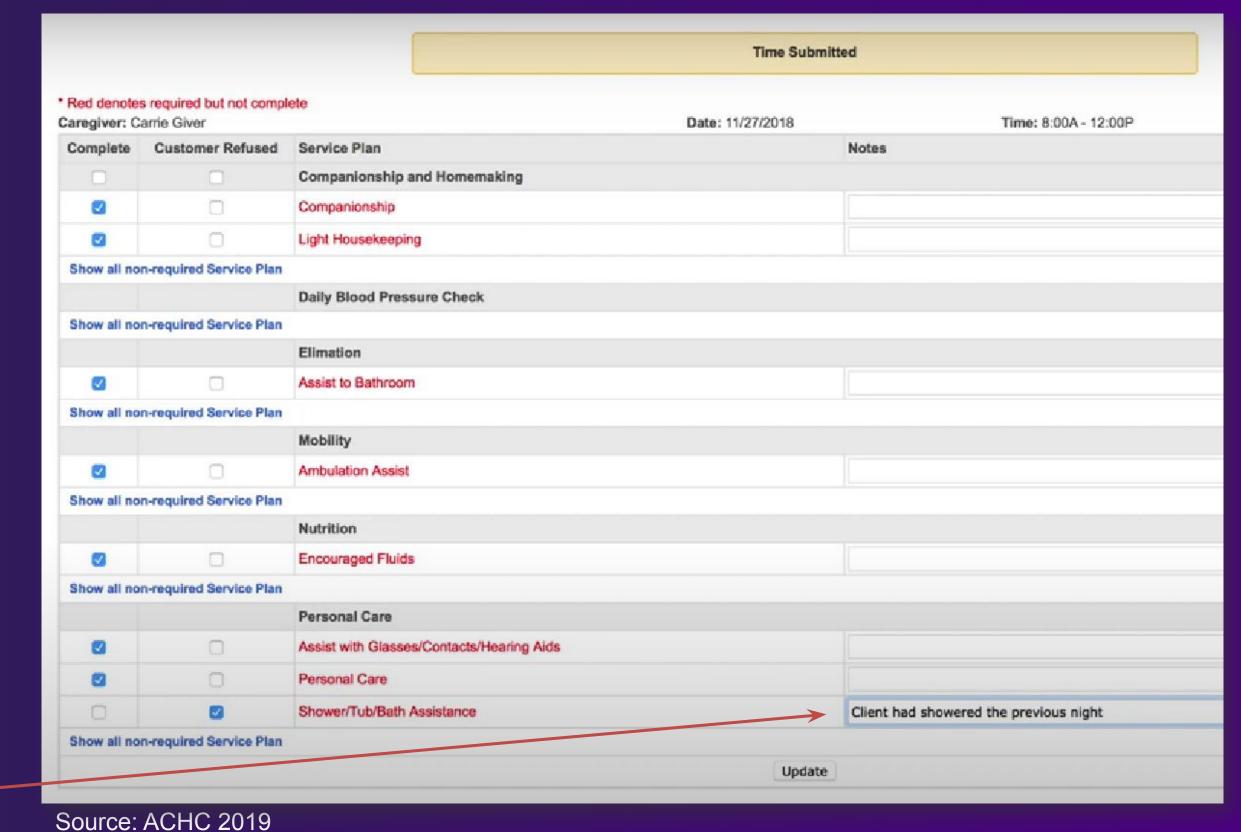




# eRSP: An ADLs commercial reporting system example (III)

CNAs fill out the Flow Sheet to report their service plan:

- Marking completed and refused tasks.
- Adding narrated notes when required to provide clarification to the health care team.
- Keep your notes objective because they might be shared with family members



ADL narrated notes





# eRSP: An ADLs commercial reporting system example (IV)

To complete the service's Flow Sheet, CNAs add notes about client's special conditions (e.g., dementia care) and medication.

You must report ADLs on site to avoid penalizations by geolocation.

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Source: ACHC 2019





### Don'ts

# Cell phone use: Dos and Don'ts

- Report your activities far from LTCF or patient's home (10 miles max.)
- Share photos or videos on resident or clients' home on social media (e.g., Snapchat).
- Disclose residents' personal information on responses made to comments posted by other Internet users either publically or via e-mail.
- Use cellphone while assisting ADLs like bathing and toileting.

#### Sources:





# Cell phone use: Dos and Don'ts

#### Dos

- Report your activities on site when finish services.
- Communicate to your resident / patient the purpose of your photos.
- Share photos on broken equipment or patients wounds to nurses.
- Keep clean your cellphone before and after attend to the LTCF.
- Use your device for colleague communication such as calling a physician, the charge nurse, or the nurse's aide.
- Turn off you phone's ringer, prioritize your phone calls, and find a private place to make calls.
- Review carefully your employer's cellphone policy.





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# Thank you! Please let us know if you have any questions.