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3	M0300C	M-14	**DEFINITION** **STAGE 3 PRESSURE ULCER** Full thickness tissue loss. Subcutaneous fat may be visible but bone, tendon or muscle is not exposed. Slough may be present but does not obscure the depth of tissue loss. May include undermining or tunneling (see definition of undermining and tunneling on page M-1~~7~~9).
3	M1030	M-27	**Coding Instructions** ~~*Check all that apply in the last 7 days.*~~ *Pressure ulcers coded in M0210 through M0300 should not be coded here.*
3	—	M-39	**Example M0100-M1200** 1. Mrs. P was admitted to the nursing home on 10/23/201~~0~~9 for a Medicare stay. In completing the PPS 5-day assessment (ARD of 10/28/2019), it was noted that the resident had a head-to-toe skin assessment and her skin was intact, but upon assessment using the Braden scale, was found to be at risk for skin breakdown. ~~On the 14-day PPS (ARD of 11/5/2010),~~ ~~t~~The resident was noted to have a Stage 2 pressure ulcer that was identified on her coccyx on 11/1/201~~0~~9. This Stage 2 pressure ulcer was noted to have pink tissue with some epithelialization present in the wound bed. Dimensions of the ulcer were length 01.1 cm, width 00.5 cm, and no measurable depth. Mrs. P does not have any arterial or venous ulcers, wounds, or skin problems. She is receiving ulcer care with application of a dressing applied to the coccygeal ulcer. Mrs. P. also has pressure reducing devices on both her bed and chair and has been placed on a 1½ hour turning and repositioning schedule per tissue tolerance. In order to stay closer to her family, Mrs. P was discharged to another nursing home on 11/5/2019. This was a planned discharge (A0310G = 2), and her OBRA Discharge assessment was coded at A0310F as 10, Discharge assessment – return not anticipated. **5-Day PPS ~~#1~~:**

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M1040. Other Ulcers, Wounds and Skin Problems

↓ **Check all that apply**

	Foot Problems
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☐	**B. Diabetic foot ulcer(s)**
☐	**C. Other open lesion(s) on the foot**
	Other Problems
☐	**D. Open lesion(s) other than ulcers, rashes, cuts** (e.g., cancer lesion)
☐	**E. Surgical wound(s)**
☐	**F. Burn(s)** (second or third degree)
☐	**G. Skin tear(s)**
☐	**H. Moisture Associated Skin Damage (MASD)** (e.g., incontinence-associated dermatitis [IAD], perspiration, drainage)
	None of the Above
☒	**Z. None of the above** were present

M1200. Skin and Ulcer/Injury Treatments

↓ **Check all that apply**

☐	**A. Pressure reducing device for chair**
☐	**B. Pressure reducing device for bed**
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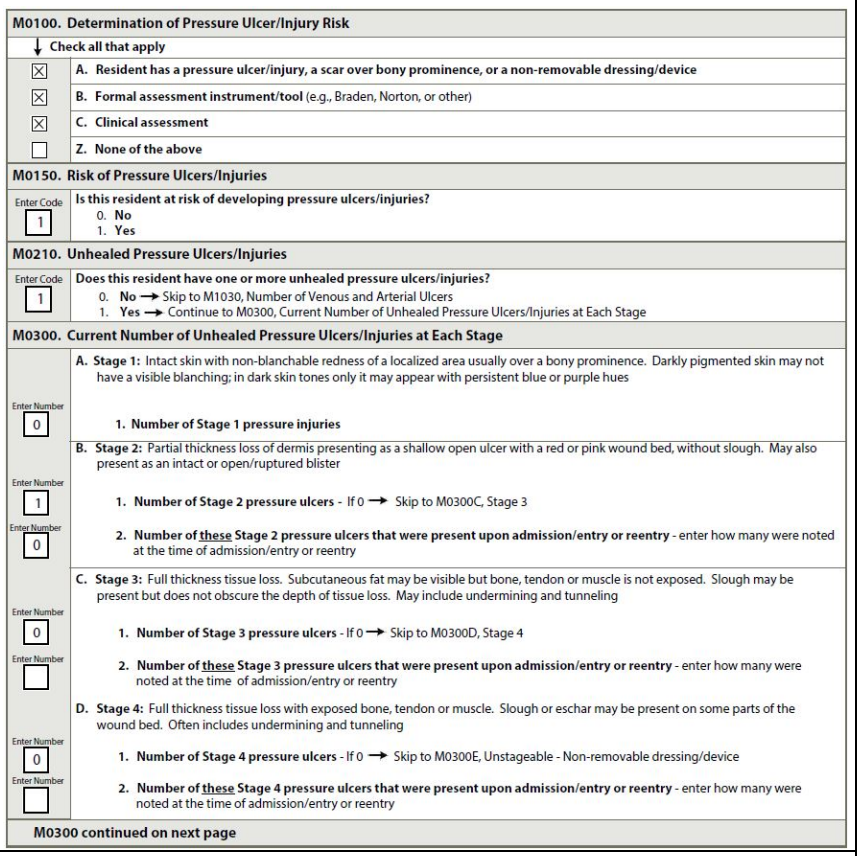
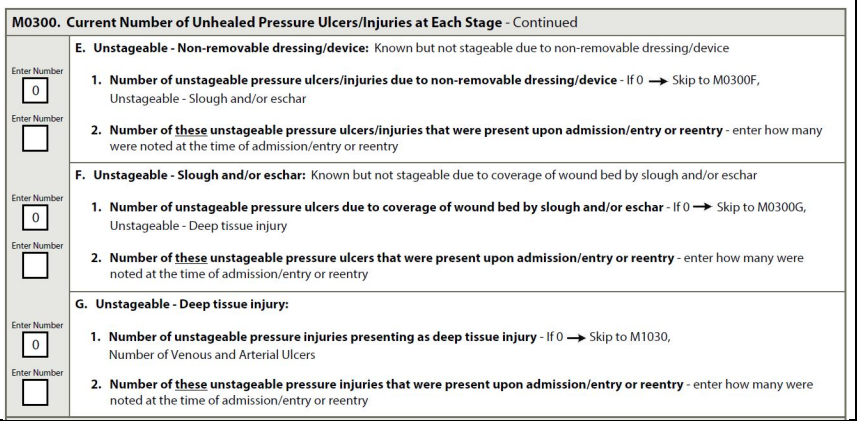
3	—	M-40	Deleted following screenshot: 
3	—	M-40	Deleted following screenshot: 

M0100. Determination of Pressure Ulcer/Injury Risk

Check all that apply

- ☒ A. Resident has a pressure ulcer/injury, a scar over bony prominence, or a non-removable dressing/device
- ☒ B. Formal assessment instrument/tool (e.g., Braden, Norton, or other)
- ☒ C. Clinical assessment
- ☐ Z. None of the above

M0150. Risk of Pressure Ulcers/Injuries

Enter Code [1] — Is this resident at risk of developing pressure ulcers/injuries?
0. No
1. Yes

M0210. Unhealed Pressure Ulcers/Injuries

Enter Code [1] — Does this resident have one or more unhealed pressure ulcers/injuries?
0. No → Skip to M1030, Number of Venous and Arterial Ulcers
1. Yes → Continue to M0300, Current Number of Unhealed Pressure Ulcers/Injuries at Each Stage

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A. **Stage 1:** Intact skin with non-blanchable redness of a localized area usually over a bony prominence. Darkly pigmented skin may not have a visible blanching; in dark skin tones only it may appear with persistent blue or purple hues

Enter Number [0] — 1. **Number of Stage 1 pressure injuries**

B. **Stage 2:** Partial thickness loss of dermis presenting as a shallow open ulcer with a red or pink wound bed, without slough. May also present as an intact or open/ruptured blister

Enter Number [1] — 1. **Number of Stage 2 pressure ulcers** - If 0 → Skip to M0300C, Stage 3

Enter Number [0] — 2. **Number of <u>these</u> Stage 2 pressure ulcers that were present upon admission/entry or reentry** - enter how many were noted at the time of admission/entry or reentry

C. **Stage 3:** Full thickness tissue loss. Subcutaneous fat may be visible but bone, tendon or muscle is not exposed. Slough may be present but does not obscure the depth of tissue loss. May include undermining and tunneling

Enter Number [0] — 1. **Number of Stage 3 pressure ulcers** - If 0 → Skip to M0300D, Stage 4

Enter Number [ ] — 2. **Number of <u>these</u> Stage 3 pressure ulcers that were present upon admission/entry or reentry** - enter how many were noted at the time of admission/entry or reentry

D. **Stage 4:** Full thickness tissue loss with exposed bone, tendon or muscle. Slough or eschar may be present on some parts of the wound bed. Often includes undermining and tunneling

Enter Number [0] — 1. **Number of Stage 4 pressure ulcers** - If 0 → Skip to M0300E, Unstageable - Non-removable dressing/device

Enter Number [ ] — 2. **Number of <u>these</u> Stage 4 pressure ulcers that were present upon admission/entry or reentry** - enter how many were noted at the time of admission/entry or reentry

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M0300. Current Number of Unhealed Pressure Ulcers/Injuries at Each Stage - Continued

E. **Unstageable - Non-removable dressing/device:** Known but not stageable due to non-removable dressing/device

Enter Number [0] — 1. **Number of unstageable pressure ulcers/injuries due to non-removable dressing/device** - If 0 → Skip to M0300F, Unstageable - Slough and/or eschar

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F. **Unstageable - Slough and/or eschar:** Known but not stageable due to coverage of wound bed by slough and/or eschar

Enter Number [0] — 1. **Number of unstageable pressure ulcers due to coverage of wound bed by slough and/or eschar** - If 0 → Skip to M0300G, Unstageable - Deep tissue injury

Enter Number [ ] — 2. **Number of <u>these</u> unstageable pressure ulcers that were present upon admission/entry or reentry** - enter how many were noted at the time of admission/entry or reentry

G. **Unstageable - Deep tissue injury:**

Enter Number [0] — 1. **Number of unstageable pressure injuries presenting as deep tissue injury** - If 0 → Skip to M1030, Number of Venous and Arterial Ulcers

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