**Healthcare Plan for Risk of Diarrhea**

| **Name:** | FirstName LastName | **Date of Birth:** | Enter DOB Here |
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| **These are my medical diagnoses related to my risk of diarrhea:** | List all diagnoses or conditions that contribute to risk of diarrhea. | | |
| **I am allergic or sensitive to these things:** | List all known allergies and sensitivities. | | |
| **The goal of this Healthcare Plan is:** | I will not experience any instances of diarrhea for the duration of the ISP year.  I will not experience any instances of skin breakdown related to diarrhea for the duration of the ISP year.  I will follow diet order to reduce risk of diarrhea for the duration of the ISP year.  Describe any other goal for management of my risk of diarrhea here. | | |
| **Progress in the past year:** | Describe the status of my health for the past year related to my risk for diarrhea. | | |
| **In an EMERGENCY**  **Call 911 IMMEDIATELY if I:**  **🡪 have large amounts of blood in my stool;**  **🡪 have been unable to urinate for ### hours and am experiencing diarrhea.**  **🡪 have a fever over ###**°.  **🡪 lose consciousness (become unresponsive).**  **🡪 Describe any additional instructions here.** | | | |
| **DO NOTMAKE NOTIFICATIONS PHONE CALLS UNTIL**  **I AM STABLE AND/OR EMERGENCY SERVICES HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED.** | | | |
| **These are the things that increase my risk of developing diarrhea:** | I drink a lot of liquids.  I am thirsty a lot of the time. (Sometimes this is called polydipsia.)  I am taking antibiotics.  I have one or more food allergies/sensitivities.  I have irritable bowel syndrome, ulcerative colitis, or Chron’s disease.  I take fiber supplements and/or laxatives regularly.  I take medications to treat GERD regularly.  I have a history of C Diff.  I have diabetes.  **Other:** Describe any other conditions or circumstances that increase my risk for developing diarrhea or indicate if there are none. | | |
| **These are the things supporters can do with and for me to help avoid developing diarrhea or complications from diarrhea:** | Help me wash my hands throughout the day.  Make sure I practice appropriate hygiene skills when I use the bathroom.  Help me avoid food/beverages to which I have a known allergy or sensitivity.  Talk to my nurse or doctor about my laxative use if I am having loose stools regularly.  If I am experiencing diarrhea, monitor me closely for signs of dehydration, and report this to my nurse.  If I am experiencing diarrhea, monitor me closely for signs of skin breakdown, and report these to my nurse.  If I am experiencing diarrhea, ensure that all areas where I use the restroom and/or receive personal care are cleaned and sterilized before and after I use them.  **Other:** Describe any other interventions I should take to avoid diarrhea, or indicate if there are none. | | |
| **When these symptoms occur, supporters should help me to get an assessment and medical care:** | I have more than ### bowel movements in a day, which is unusual for me.  Have bowel movements that are watery or even liquid. My bowel movements may be discolored.  I have a fever.  I am letting you know that I am having cramping or pain in my abdominal or rectal area.  I have any redness or skin breakdown in my perineal area.  **Other**: Describe any other signs that I have diarrhea or indicate if there are none. | | |
| **Documentation:** | Describe the things supporters should write down and where they should write them down. | | |
| **Nursing Intervention:** | Describe those things that must be done by the nurse relative to my risk of diarrhea, including those non-delegable duties listed in O.C.G.A. § 43-26-32 or HRST Q Score. | | |

**Signature of RN:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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