

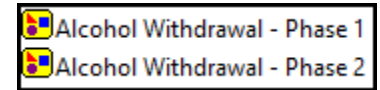
Alcohol Withdrawal Documentation for MMC Nursing Staff

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Overview

There are two Alcohol Withdrawal PowerPlans that work together:

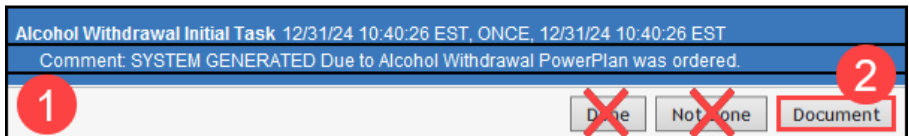
- Phase 1.
- Phase 2.



Never discontinue Phase 1 PowerPlan when Phase 2 PowerPlan is ordered.

Once the Alcohol Withdrawal PowerPlan is entered, the system generates a task on CareCompass:

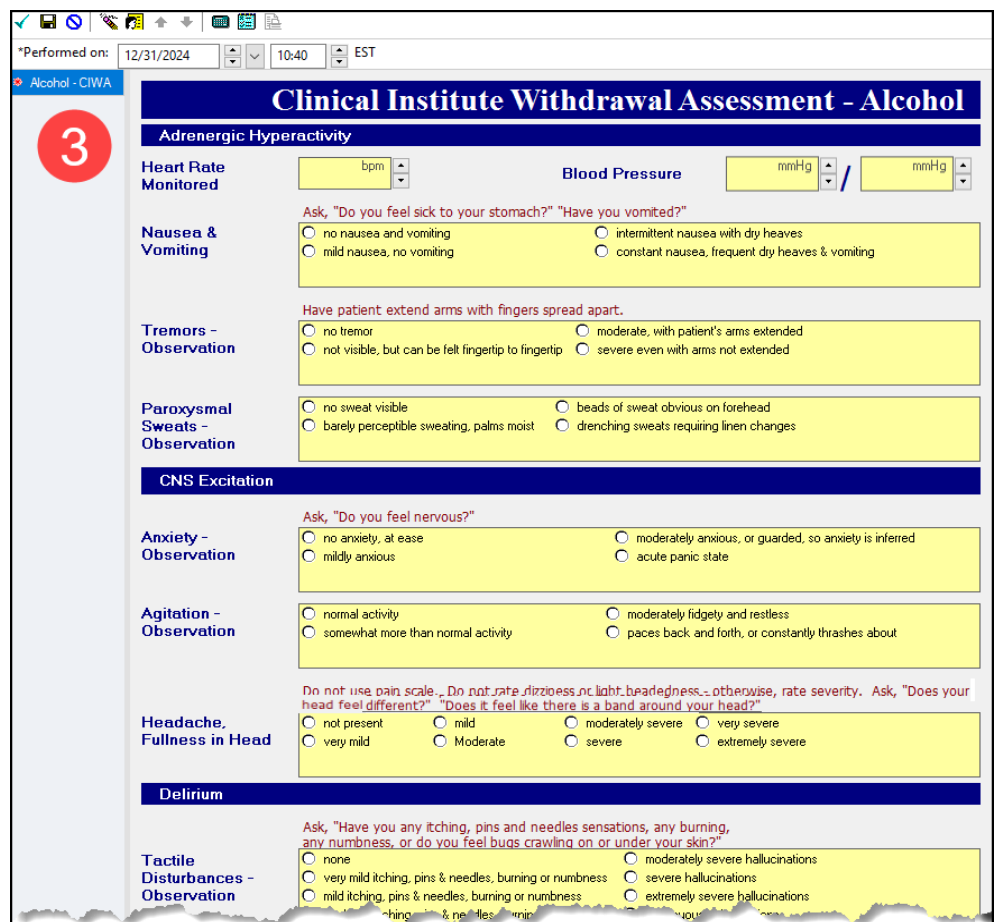
1. Select Alcohol Withdrawal Initial Task from Activities column.
2. Click Document.



Note:

- Never select Done or Not Done as it will stop the future tasks from populating.
- Select and document the Alcohol Withdrawal Initial Task from CareCompass as it automatically creates the future tasks for reassessment.
- Next task timing determined by the last CIWA Score (see Alcohol Withdrawal Reference Text for details).

3. Document the PowerForm.



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After all the mandatory fields are documented:

- Depending on the answers from the assessment, the CIWA-Ar/Total Score auto populates.
- Select the appropriate answer in CIWA Score of 15 or More field.
- Follow the directions populated in the Instructions section.

CIWA-Ar Score (max possible score = 67)

Total Score **a**

Withdrawal Regimen

☐ no Ativan, next CIWA-Ar in 4 hours

☐ 2 mg Ativan, next CIWA-Ar in 1 hour

☒ 4 mg Ativan, next CIWA-Ar in 1 hour

CIWA Score of 15 or More **b**

☐ No

☒ 1st time score of 15 or more and patient not in Phase 2

☐ 2nd consecutive score of 15 or more, patient not in Phase 2

☐ 3rd consecutive score of 15 or more, patient not in Phase 2

☐ Not applicable; patient in Phase 2

Instructions

First score greater than or equal to 15: If NOT already given contact provider to order phenobarbital load (see reference) * use ideal body weight for dosing * and Ativan 4mg. If blood pressure is greater than or equal to 160/90 give clonidine. **c**

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Total Score **a**

Withdrawal Regimen

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CIWA Score of 15 or More **b**

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☐ 1st time score of 15 or more and patient not in Phase 2

☐ 2nd consecutive score of 15 or more, patient not in Phase 2

☒ 3rd consecutive score of 15 or more, patient not in Phase 2

☐ Not applicable; patient in Phase 2


Instructions

c If this is the THIRD consecutive score of 15 or more: Call for notification and orders for transfer to critical care unit if not already in critical care unit. Provider to consider repeat phenobarbital load (see reference) *use ideal body weight for dosing. Ativan to continue per protocol. If no critical care bed is available, expect a critical care RN to come to bedside and assist with care and drug administration. DO NOT DELAY transfer. If symptoms remain uncontrolled despite above interventions call provider to consider addition of Precedex drip if not already started and/or other adjunct therapy. Haloperidol may be added for refractory delirium/agitation if symptom control still not obtained despite above interventions or for treatment of NARD.

Note:

When a patient reaches Phase 2, they must be moved to Critical Care.

- Sign the PowerForm.

To view **Acute Alcohol Withdrawal Reference Text** and **Alcohol Withdrawal Flow for Phase 1 and 2**, click the Reference Text icon within  the Alcohol Withdrawal PowerPlans or Orders.

To view CIWA scores and status:

- Select CIWA from myPatient Views on the Menu.

Histories

Infusion Start/Stop

InsightRX

Insurance

MAR

Medication Request

Medication List

myPatient Views

CIWA

Immunization Summary

Micro History

QR and MPR Case Data

Patient Medication Profile

PMP Med Reconciliation

MDR E-Tool - Patient Checklist

OB & Newborn Worksheet

CIWA - View Generated: 12/31/2024 11:51 am **By:** Marchenko RN, Oksana

Patient: TRAIN, MONA **MRN:** 10000411 **FIN:** 3000000282 **DOB:** 5/10/1959

Location: MMC C4 4612-A **Attending:** Brown MD, Natalie S **PCP:** -- **Admit:** 8/15/2024 4:33 pm

Reason for Visit: PNEUMONIA **LOS:** 137.8 days

[Launch Flowsheet](#)

CIWA Orders	Order Date/Time	Discontinue Date/Time
Call Dr. Phase 1 CIWA SCORE	12/31/24 10:40	

Phase	Time In Phase	Lorazepam Total	Phenobarbital Total	Avg HR	Average SBP
Phase 1	0	0	0	0	0

Event	Time	Result	Running Total Lorazepam	Running Total Phenobarbital	Time Since Last
Alcohol Withdrawal (CIWA) Score	12/31/24 10:40	15	0	0	