Risk Assessment on Admit Order – Revision 5-14-20
Effective **Thursday, May 14th**, an update to the COVID-19 Risk Assessment will go-live to help provide further clinical decision support during the admission ordering process of COVID-19 labs.

The **COVID-19 Risk Assessment** will continue to be required when admitting any patient and remain on admit order sets. The admit order will not file without the COVID-19 Risk Assessment documented.

**Updated COVID-19 Risk Assessment:**

**Procedure Ordered**

**COVID-19 Risk Assessment**

**COVID-19 status:**

1. Known exposure w/in 14 d
2. Unexp sx - suspect COVID
3. External COVID test
4. COVID test +/- pending
5. COVID not suspected
6. COVID test negative
7. Admit from SNF/LTC

For each admission, we ask that you address the likelihood of COVID-19.

*** Does your patient have fever, cough, shortness of breath, general body aches, new loss of taste/smell, or malaise that is otherwise unexplained? ***

**COVID-19 status:** [ ] *
### Risk Assessment on Admit Order

- Risk Assessment Admit Order will have new responses and translations

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Definition of Risk Assessment Responses

- **Known Exposure 14d**
  - Patient has been exposed to another person that was positive

- **Un-exp symptoms consider COVID (unexplained symptoms)**
  - Patient has new symptoms but is negative for other viruses (e.g. Flu, PNE,) consider COVID test

- **External COVID test**
  - Any patient that enters the facility either by ER or transfer and had a test prior to admission at another testing location (should have a COVIDTransfer order placed in lab)
Risk Assessment Order
(operational definitions of each option)

• **COVID test +/pending**
  • A COVID test was completed **before admission order and the result is positive or pending at time of admission** (e.g. ED, Pre-procedure) result is in the medical record

• **COVID not suspected**
  • Patient is admitted to the facility for a reason other then COVID and the provider does not suspect COVID due to no symptoms or exposure

• **COVID test negative**
  • A COVID test was completed prior to the patient being admitted to the facility and the result is negative at time of admission (e.g. ED, Pre-procedure) result is in the medical record

• **COVID NH/LTF**
  • This response was added to capture the admission from post-acute care facilities that require a COVID test when patient is **asymptomatic**