



PATIENT PROFILE

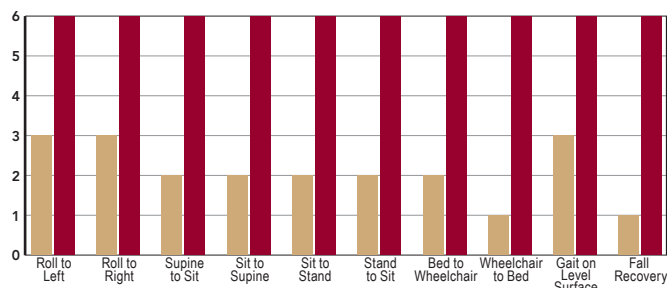
- 83 year old male, hospitalized for 13 days.
- Diagnosed with COPD exacerbation, aspiration pneumonia, and lung mass.
- Lived independently at home prior to hospitalization.

Mr. P came to ERCC after being hospitalized for COPD exacerbation, aspiration pneumonia, and a lung mass. Upon arrival at ERCC, he was very deconditioned and required extensive assistance in transfers, ambulation, and all activities of daily living, including bathing and grooming. He was on a diet texture of puree/honey-thick liquids and demonstrated overt signs and symptoms of aspiration with all intake by mouth.

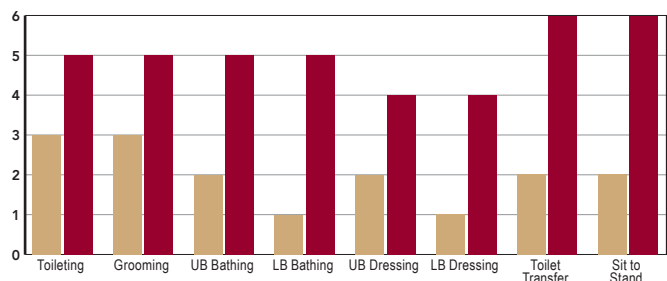
Mr. P was evaluated by Physical Therapy (PT), Occupational Therapy (OT), and Speech Language Pathology (SLP) at ERCC. His treatment focused on increasing independence with functional mobility, ambulation & activities of daily living, as well as, improving safety with swallowing using VitalStim.

THERAPY OUTCOMES

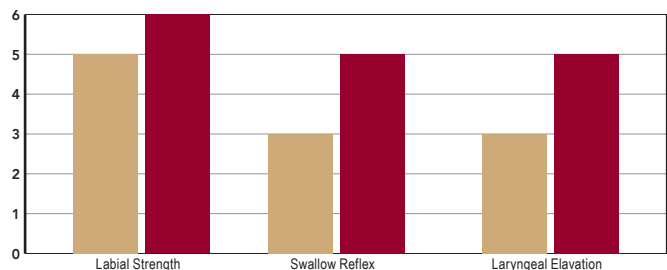
PHYSICAL THERAPY



OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY



SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY



Scale

1 = Max Assist
2 = Mod Assist
3 = Min Assist
4 = CGA
5 = SBA
6 = Independ

Admission
Discharge

Outcome: After undergoing therapy at ERCC, Mr. P was able to return home to live with his son at a supervision level of assist for all activities of daily living and was safely tolerating a diet of regular solids and regular liquids. Upon discharge, he was ambulating at 450 feet. Mr. P was referred to a home health therapy program to assist with further progression.