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Chapter	Section	Page(s) in version 1.20.11	Change
3	A1005	A-16– A-17	Interview icon removed. A1005: Ethnicity 
3	A1005	A-16	Steps for Assessment: Interview Instructions For a New Admission 1. Ask the resident to select the category or categories that most closely correspond to their ethnicity from the list in A1005, Ethnicity .
3	A1005	A-16	For Subsequent Assessments 1. If it has been less than a year since the resident was asked about their ethnicity, this item may be coded using the prior response to this item.
3	A1005	A-17	2. If it has been a year or more since the resident was asked about their ethnicity, initiate For a New Admission Step 1 and ask the resident about their ethnicity.
3	A1010	A-18– A-21	Interview icon removed. A1010: Race 
3	A1010	A-19	Steps for Assessment: Interview Instructions For a New Admission 1. Ask the resident to select the category or categories that most closely correspond to the resident's race from the list in A1010, Race.

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3	A1010	A-19	For Subsequent Assessments 1. If it has been less than a year since the resident was asked about their race, this item may be coded using the prior response to this item. 2. If it has been a year or more since the resident was asked about their race, initiate For a New Admission Step 1 and ask the resident about their race.
3	A1110	A-22– A-23	Interview icon removed. A1110: Language 
3	A1255	A-25– A-27	Interview icon removed. A1255: Transportation 

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3	A2400	A-60	3. Resident R. began receiving services under Medicare Part A on October 15, 2021. Due to complications from their recent surgery, they were unexpectedly discharged to the hospital for emergency surgery on October 20, 2021, but are expected to return within 30 days. Code the following on their OBRA Discharge assessment: A0310F = 11 A0310G = 2 A0310H = 1 A2000 = 10-20-2021 A2105 = 0304 A2300 = 10-20-2021 A2400A = 1 A2400B = 10-15-2021 A2400C = 10-20-2021 Rationale: Resident R's physical discharge to the hospital was unplanned, yet it is anticipated that they will return to the facility within 30 days. Therefore, only an OBRA Discharge was required. Even though only an OBRA Discharge was required, when the Date of the End of the Medicare Stay is on the day of or one day before the Date of Discharge, MDS specifications require that A0310H be coded as 1.

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3	A2400	A-61	5. Resident W began receiving services under Medicare Part A on November 15, 2021. Their Medicare Part A stay ended on November 25, 2021, and they were unexpectedly discharged to the hospital on November 26, 2021. However, they are expected to return to the facility within 30 days. Code the following on their OBRA Discharge assessment: A0310F = 11 A0310G = 2 A0310H = 1 A2000 = 11-26-2021 A2105 = 0304 A2300 = 11-26-2021 A2400A = 1 A2400B = 11-15-2021 A2400C = 11-25-2021 Rationale: Resident W's Medicare stay ended the day before discharge and they are expected to return to the facility within 30 days. Because their discharge to the hospital was unplanned, only an OBRA Discharge assessment was required. Even though only an OBRA Discharge was required, when the Date of the End of the Medicare Stay is on the day of or one day before the Date of Discharge, MDS specifications require that A0310H be coded as 1.