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**Suicide risk screening is performed on all patients admitted inpatient at NL Acadia Hospital. Patients who screen positive for risk of suicide require an assessment with the provider for intervention as needed, including safety planning.**

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### **Suicide Risk Screening at Admission**

Upon admission Nursing will screen the patient for suicide risk using the CSSRS Screener to determine if further assessment needs to be completed by the provider.

**STEP 1:** From within the Nursing Admission Intake Form, select **CSSRS Screen** section.

**STEP 2:** Complete the screening questions with the patient.

### **Suicide Risk Assessment at Admission**

If a **positive** (yes) response to any of the screening questions, A **SmartZone alert** fires for the provider to complete the **BH SAFE-T Protocol with CSSRS Initial Assessment PowerForm**.

**STEP 1:** Select the **SmartZone Alert**.

**STEP 2:** Review **CSSRS Screener** section to see responses documented by the nurse.

**STEP 3:** Complete **Asmt - Risk Factors and Behaviors** section.

**STEP 4:** Complete **Asmt - Protective Factors** section.

**STEP 5:** Select **Asmt - Risk Stratification** section.

**STEP 6:** Select applicable responses, starting at high risk.

- Refer to responses in previous sections to determine the most appropriate boxes to select.

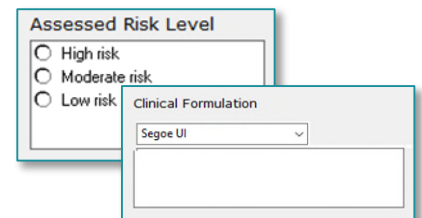
**STEP 7:** Indicate **Risk Interventions** used.

**STEP 8:** Select the **Asmt - Risk Level** section.

**STEP 9:** Complete the **Assessed Risk Level** and **Clinical Formulation**.

**STEP 10:** Safety Plan section is available to review and update if needed.

**NOTE:** Use auto text **/bh\_safet-t\_assessment** to populate the risk level and clinical formulation in the note.



The image shows two overlapping form windows. The top window is titled 'Assessed Risk Level' and contains three radio button options: 'High risk', 'Moderate risk', and 'Low risk'. The bottom window is titled 'Clinical Formulation' and contains a dropdown menu with 'Segue UI' selected and a large empty text box below it.

### **Ongoing Suicide Risk Screening**

A patient will be screened for suicide risk twice daily, and documented within iView.

**STEP 1:** Select **BH Shift Assessment**.

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**STEP 2:** Select **BH Suicide Screening** section.

**STEP 3:** Document **yes/no** to *Since last asked, Thoughts of Ending Life*.

- If **Yes**, document **yes/no** on the two conditional screening questions: *Since last asked, Plan to End Life* and *Since Last Asked, Intent to End Your life*.

**STEP 4:** Document **yes/no** to *Since Last Asked, Increase Screening Risk*.

- If **Yes**, a **SmartZone alert** will fire for the provider to complete a BH SAFE-T Assessment with CSSRS Reassessment PowerForm.

### Ongoing Suicide Risk Assessment

With a **positive** response to any of the screening questions, a **SmartZone alert** fires for the provider to complete the **BH SAFE-T Protocol with CSSRS Reassessment PowerForm**.

**STEP 1:** Select the **SmartZone alert**.

**STEP 2:** Complete the **CSSRS- Since Last Asked Screener**.

**STEP 3:** Complete **Asmt - Risk Factors and Behaviors** section.

**STEP 4:** Complete **Asmt - Protective Factors** section.

**STEP 5:** Select **Asmt - Risk Stratification** section.

**STEP 6:** Select applicable responses, starting at high risk.

- Refer to responses in previous sections to determine the most appropriate boxes to select.

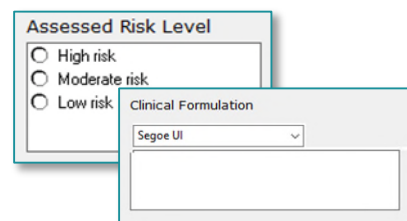
**STEP 7:** Indicate **Risk Interventions** used.

**STEP 8:** Select the **Asmt - Risk Level** section.

**STEP 9:** Complete the **Assessed Risk Level** and **Clinical Formulation**.

**STEP 10:** Safety Plan section is available to review and update if needed.

**NOTE:** Use auto text `/bh_safet-t_assessment` to populate the risk level and clinical formulation in the note.



The image shows a screenshot of a software interface. On the left, there is a box titled 'Assessed Risk Level' with three radio button options: 'High risk', 'Moderate risk', and 'Low risk'. To the right of this box is another box titled 'Clinical Formulation' which contains a dropdown menu with 'Segoe UI' selected and a large empty text area below it.

### Discharge Suicide Risk Assessment

At provider discretion a BH SAFE-T Assessment will be completed.

**STEP 1:** From the **Inpatient Workflow MPage**, select the **BH SAFE-T with CSSRS - Reassessment** from the **Scales and Assessments Component** dropdown.

**STEP 2:** Complete the **CSSRS- Since Last Asked** screener.

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**STEP 3:** Complete **Asmt - Risk Factors and Behaviors** section.

**STEP 4:** Complete **Asmt - Protective Factors** section.

**STEP 5:** Select **Asmt - Risk Stratification** section.

**STEP 6:** Select applicable responses, starting at high risk.

- Refer to responses in previous sections to determine the most appropriate boxes to select.

**STEP 7:** Indicate **Risk Interventions** used.

**STEP 8:** Select the **Asmt - Risk Level** section.

**STEP 9:** Complete the **Assessed Risk Level and Clinical Formulation**.

**STEP 10:** Safety Plan section is available to review and update if needed.

The image shows two overlapping screenshots of a web-based assessment tool. The top screenshot is titled 'Assessed Risk Level' and contains three radio button options: 'High risk', 'Moderate risk', and 'Low risk'. The bottom screenshot is titled 'Clinical Formulation' and features a dropdown menu with 'Segoe UI' selected and a large empty text input field below it.