

**Patient Discharge Instructions** can improve outcomes and reduce readmission rates by sending patient home with a single set of clear and complete discharge instructions.



### Document and print discharge instructions online

Patient discharge instructions have become an integral part of the overall care of your patients. With **Patient Discharge Instructions (PDI)**, you can improve outcomes and reduce readmission rates by sending the patient home with a single set of clear, complete discharge instructions from as many departments as needed. Clinicians can either print standard instructions and medication information or customize instructions for patients' specific needs, as required by Joint Commission.

**Medication Reconciliation Enhancements:** The Joint Commission states one of its National Patient Safety Goals is to "accurately and completely reconcile medications across the continuum of care." To help hospitals meet this goal, PDI and PDP (Patient Discharge Prescriptions) incorporate home, transfer, and discharge medication lists. Together PDI & PDP help hospitals reconcile medications easily by pulling all necessary information onto one screen and allowing changes to be made, if necessary. See our **Medication Reconciliation** brochure for more information.

### Key Advantages Include:

- Saves nurses time
- Provides ability to customize instructions for each patient
- Prints instructions from all necessary departments
- Creates an audit trail
- Enables streamlined medication reconciliation

For more information on **Patient Discharge Instructions**, or any other Iatric Systems products or services, please contact us using the information below.

The screenshot displays the Iatric Systems software interface for creating and managing Patient Discharge Instructions (PDI). The main window shows patient information for 'TESTIATRIC,PDI' (Account #: V00007377, Unit #: H000000299) and a list of categories including 'Discharge Follow-up Instructions'. A secondary window displays the details for 'Discharge Follow-up Instructions', including fields for 'Follow up with: CARDA CARUSO,DAVID H in how many days 14', 'Discharge Diet: 2 GRAM SODIUM', and 'Limitations: Frequent Rest Periods, Partial Weight Bearing - Left Leg'.