What is Extensive Services?
(ES1, ES2 and ES3)

What is case mix?

Minnesota Case Mix is a system that classifies residents into distinct groups, called Resource Utilization Groups (RUGs), based on the resident’s condition and the care the resident was receiving at the time of the assessment. These groups determine the daily rate the facility charges for the resident’s care. A value is assigned to each classification, which is then used to calculate the daily rate of payment.

The Extensive Services resource utilization group (RUG) includes residents who received assistance with activities of daily living (ADLs), such as eating, bed mobility, transferring from one surface to another and toileting. In addition, residents classified in the Extensive Services group received at least one of the following services:

- Tracheostomy care
- Ventilator or respirator
- Infection isolation

The above services had to be provided in the 14 days prior to the assessment and after the resident had been admitted to or reentered the facility.

There are three levels of extensive services depending on how many or which services were received.

If you believe an assessment is inaccurate for the period of time covered by that assessment, you may submit a request for reconsideration. (See separate fact sheet for “Requesting a Reconsideration”.)