

THERE IS A DIFFERENCE IN THE
quality of care

- *We* manage patients seven days a week
- *We* provide objective, trended patient data
- *We* deliver proactive and preemptive care
- *We* reduce ER admissions and hospitalizations
- *We* encourage patient education and communication

*Others say it,
we can prove it!*

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HOME CARE AGENCIES

are not ALL ALIKE...

With the Honeywell HomMed Health Monitoring System, only we can manage patients EACH and EVERY DAY!

Individual/Family Benefits

- Provides a sense of security knowing a healthcare professional is monitoring user health status every day
- Reduces unnecessary ER visits and hospitalizations
- Encourages self management and adherence to care plan

Physician Benefits

- Customizable to meet specific disease/chronic management needs
- Complete, objective, clinical and subjective data is available upon request
- Allows preemptive care, supporting adjustments to treatment plan or medications
- Reinforces patient education and compliance to treatment plan
- Breaks the cycle of emergency care and hospital re-admissions
- Supports documentation of time spent on care plan oversight

Discharge Planner Benefits

- Provides a solution for discharges that are fragile, non-compliant, or without a support system
- Reduces repeat ER visits and hospitalizations

Faster and more informed interventions result in greater peace of mind for the user, physician and family.

Health Monitoring System Honeywell HomMed®



The Honeywell HomMed Health Monitoring System is an FDA Class II, Hospital Grade, Medical Device.

Each day, a gentle, friendly voice guides the user through the simple three minute procedure to collect their health status information. The user is also asked up to 10 subjective yes/no questions to further assist our clinicians in evaluating their health. The data is automatically sent to our agency via a wireless two-way pager system or by a standard telephone line for clinical review. If the data collected indicates a need for intervention or if the user fails to collect their vital signs when prompted, appropriate action is taken. Daily monitoring allows early identification of a change in health status, preventing a chronic condition from escalating into something more serious.

- Standard measurements – weight up to 500 pounds, blood pressure, heart rate, oxygen saturation and temperature when necessary
- Additional medical peripheral devices – glucose meter, peak flow meter/FEV1, spirometer, PT/INR device, ECG device
- Monitor's verbal and visual cues are available in 8 languages
- The data can be trended for any customized time period

Recommended Criteria for Monitoring

- Recent hospitalizations or ER visits
- Any condition requiring frequent monitoring or trending of health data to facilitate clinical management
- Individuals that can avoid admission to alternative living facilities if monitored at home
- History of poor compliance with diet, medications, or self-monitoring

The Cost of Home Health Monitoring

- Medicare eligible patients who are referred to our agency for home healthcare services and meet the selection criteria will be monitored at no cost
- Other individuals have the option of being monitored at a nominal fee



Daily monitoring with proper medical attention ensures higher quality of life, more independence, and peace of mind for our patients.