Preliminary pressure ulcer risk assessment

Points to consider

Use within 8 hours of admission to care area

Use daily if the person is identified to be 'not at risk'

People who are overweight may not be well nourished

People change, risks change

Please sign after each check

Write, or attach label		
Surname		
Forenames	Sex	
CHI No	DoB	
Location		

Mobility: Person is fully mobile without equipment/assistance

Continence: Person is fully continent

Nutrition: Person appears well nourished and able to eat and drink

Record your answer in the grid below $Y-Yes\ or\ N-No$

If the answer is Yes to all statements use this chart daily

If the answer is **No** to any statement undertake a full pressure ulcer risk assessment and consider any other relevant assessment

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