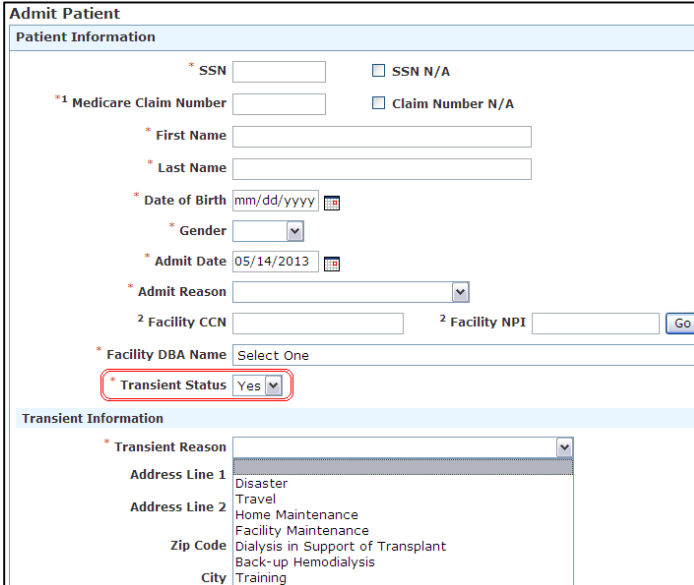


## Reporting Transient Patients in CROWNWeb

A **transient patient** is one who is expected to be managed by the facility for fewer than 30 days or 13 treatments. Any temporary admission to a facility for a short duration means admitting the patient as Transient. This allows the patient to remain admitted in the *home* facility in CROWNWeb, while visiting another facility for treatment.

When admitting transient patients in CROWNWeb, it is very important to make sure the patient is reported correctly. If a patient is supposed to be admitted as a transient, and you forget to indicate **Yes** in the *Transient Status* field, this will cause the patient to be **discharged from the previous facility**. The previous facility will then be left with a missing patient, an incorrect PART, and a System Discharge event they will not be able to fix. Pay special attention when you are admitting patients, particularly transient patients, in CROWNWeb.



**Admit Patient**

**Patient Information**

\* SSN   SSN N/A

\*<sup>1</sup> Medicare Claim Number   Claim Number N/A

\* First Name

\* Last Name

\* Date of Birth

\* Gender

\* Admit Date

\* Admit Reason

<sup>2</sup> Facility CCN  <sup>2</sup> Facility NPI

\* Facility DBA Name

\* **Transient Status**

**Transient Information**

\* Transient Reason

Address Line 1

Address Line 2

Zip Code

City

Be especially aware of the difference between admit reasons *Dialysis in Support of Transplant* and *Dialysis After Transplant Failed*:

- *Dialysis in Support of Transplant* (transient event) – The patient is temporarily receiving hemodialysis at a transient facility in support of a kidney transplant.
- *Dialysis After Transplant Failed* (not a transient event) – The patient being admitted to the facility is being enrolled back into dialysis treatment after a failed kidney transplant.

If a transient patient becomes permanent, please notify the home facility to transfer the patient out, and then change your transient status to *No*.