## Heart Failure Critical Event Guideline

### Event Day 2

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- Echo ordered or previous LV function documented.
- ACEI/ARB for LVSD prescribed, if not ordered: Document rationale
- Beta Blocker ordered
  - Yes ☐ No ☐ Document rationale, if contraindicated
- Switch from IV to PO diuretics
- Consider progressive ambulation/Walking Program
- Consider d/c of Foley and oxygen
- Anticoagulation, if appropriate
- Consider d/c cardiac monitor

### Event Day 3

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- Documentation of LV Function
- Pt. on ACEI/ARB/Beta Blocker, if not contraindicated
- Switch from IV to PO diuretics
- Progressive ambulation/Walking Program
- Consider d/c of Foley and oxygen
- Anticoagulation, if appropriate
- D/C cardiac monitor, if appropriate
- Consider discharge/discharge notice

### Event Day 4

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- Patient on ACEI/ARB/Beta Blocker, if not contraindicated
- PO Diuretics, if appropriate
- Progressive ambulation/Walking Program
- Consider d/c of Foley and oxygen
- Anticoagulation, if appropriate
- D/C cardiac monitor, if appropriate
- Consider discharge/discharge notice

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- PO Diuretics, if appropriate
- Progressive ambulation/Walking Program
- D/C of Foley, oxygen and cardiac monitor, if appropriate
- Review HF D/C instructions
- Follow up with PMD/Cardiologist recommended on D/C instructions

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