

What's Hot: Important Updates

Diabetes Foot Exam—UPDATE

In addition to the physical inspection, assessment of pulses and monofilament, the ADA Standards of Care and CMS now require an additional neurological assessment. The additional neurological assessment must consist of *any one* of the following: pin prick, vibratory sensation or reflexes.

Please confer with your EHR specialist to identify if any modifications have been or will be made in your electronic health record (EHR) system that reflect this change. For providers using paper charts, please note that all four components must be mentioned in the encounter note to meet the criteria for a diabetes foot exam.

[Click here](#) for more information, see page 83 of the ADA Standards of Care or contact Diabetes Clinical Specialist, Elizabeth Nalli at enalli@mainehealth.org.