## **Common Qualifiers and Descriptors for Illnesses**

Pathology	Important potential qualifiers
Anemia	Baseline Hgb     Microcytic, normocytic, macrocytic
Venous thromboembolism	<ul> <li>Provoked vs unprovoked</li> <li>Anti-coagulation (with anticipated end date)</li> <li>IVC filter (with anticipated removal date)</li> </ul>
Heart failure	<ul> <li>Ejection fraction</li> <li>Medications (or lack thereof)</li> <li>Potential mortality benefit</li> <li>Beta-blocker (BB)</li> <li>Mineralocorticoid receptor antagonist (MRA)</li> <li>Angiotensin receptor-neprolysin inhibitor (ARNI) or ACE-inhibitor or Angiotensin receptor blocker (ARB)</li> <li>Sodium/glucose cotransporter-2 inhibitors (SGLT2i)</li> <li>Without mortality benefit</li> <li>Diuretics</li> <li>Afterload reduction</li> <li>Implantable Cardioverter Defibrillator (ICD)</li> <li>Cardiac resynchronization therapy (CRT)</li> <li>Coronary artery bypass grafting (CABG)</li> </ul>
CAD	Obstructive vs non-obstructive     Anti-platelet agents (and any expected end dates of said medications)
Sepsis	<ul> <li># of SIRS criteria and/or # of qSOFA criteria</li> <li>Likely source</li> <li>Severity/associated end-organ dysfunction</li> <li>F/u cultures, imaging</li> <li>Antibiotic regimen (with dates)</li> <li>Amount/type of IV fluid</li> </ul>
A-fib/A-flutter	<ul> <li>CHA<sub>2</sub>DS<sub>2</sub>VASc</li> <li>Rate control</li> <li>Rhythm control</li> <li>Anti-coagulation</li> </ul>
CVA	<ul> <li>Approximate date</li> <li>Ischemic or hemorrhagic</li> <li>Etiology if known</li> <li>Residual deficits (or lack thereof)</li> </ul>

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Cirrhosis	<ul> <li>Etiology if known</li> <li>Compensated or decompensated</li> <li>MELD-Na and Childs-Pugh class</li> <li>Indicate if patient is being considered for transplant</li> <li>Ascites</li> <li>Spontaneous Bacterial Peritonitis prophylaxis</li> <li>Esophageal varices/past gastrointestinal bleed</li> <li>Thrombocytopenia</li> <li>Coagulopathy</li> <li>Encephalopathy</li> <li>HCC screening</li> </ul>
Diabetes	<ul> <li>Type I or Type II</li> <li>Most recent A1c</li> <li>Microvascular complications (e.g., nephropathy, retinopathy, neuropathy)</li> <li>Macrovascular complications (e.g., CAD, arrhythmias, PAD)</li> <li>Oral and non-oral regimen</li> </ul>
Fracture	Pathologic vs non-pathologic     Weight-bearing status
COPD	<ul> <li>Baseline supplemental O2 requirements</li> <li>Chronic regimen</li> <li>Past exacerbations in past year</li> </ul>
CKD (non-dialysis)	<ul> <li>Baseline Cr</li> <li>Proteinuria/albuminuria</li> <li>Etiology if known</li> </ul>
CKD (dialysis)	<ul> <li>Access (type and location)</li> <li>Home dialysis schedule</li> <li>Still making urine?</li> </ul>