

CVA and Coma (patient has both 1 and 2)

Y/N

1. Poor functional status with Palliative Performance Scale (10, 20, 30, or 40)

And

2. Poor nutritional status with inability to maintain sufficient fluid and caloric

Intake with at least one of the following:

Level of consciousness↓, coma, persistent vegetative state

Dysphasia; current history of pulmonary aspiration

Serum albumin < 2.5 gm/dl

10% weight loss over previous 6 months

Post stroke dementia (use FAST scale)