

**WAC 388-828-9640 How does the residential algorithm determine your nighttime support needs score?** The residential algorithm scores the answers to each of the five following questions from the DDA sleep panel in the service level assessment to determine your nighttime support needs:

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DDA Sleep Panel Question	If your answer to the question is:	Then your support needs score for this question is:
Nighttime Assistance*needed? Frequency	0 = None or less than monthly	Less than daily
	1 = At least once a month but not once a week	Less than daily
	2 = At least once a week but not once a day	Less than daily
	3 = At least once a day but not once an hour	Daily or more frequently
	4 = Hourly or more frequently	Daily or more frequently
* Nighttime assistance needed means that the person wakes in the night and requires assistance with toileting, mobility, medical issues, behaviors, guidance through sleepwalking, or other support requiring intervention.		

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DDA Sleep Panel Question	If your answer to this question is:	Then your support needs score for this question is:
Nighttime assistance needed? Daily support time	0 = None	Less than (<) 30 minutes
	1 = Less than 30 minutes	Less than (<) 30 minutes
	2 = 30 minutes to less than 2 hours	30 minutes or more
	3 = 2 hours to less than 4 hours	30 minutes or more
	4 = 4 hours or more	30 minutes or more

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DDA Sleep Panel Question	If your answer to this question is:	Then your support needs score for this question is:
Can toilet self at night?	Yes	Yes
	No	No

(4)

DDA Sleep Panel Question	If your answer to this question is:	Then your support needs score for this question is:
Wakes to toilet most nights?	Yes	Yes
	No	No

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DDA Sleep Panel Question	If your answer to this question is:		Then your support needs score for this question is:
Nighttime behavioral/ anxiety issues?	None	Defined as: No behavioral or anxiety issues at night.	No
	Minor	Defined as: You experience low to medium behavioral or anxiety issues when left alone at night, but can manage the behaviors/anxiety with minimal or no intervention.	No
	Moderate	Defined as: You experience intense behavioral or anxiety issues when left alone at night, but you are managing to cope, even if only minimally, by yourself or with remote or occasional onsite help as needed.	No
	Severe	Defined as: You experience intense behavioral or anxiety issues on most nights if left alone and require a support person within your home during all overnight hours in order to maintain yours and/or other's health and safety.	Yes

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