**SDC 2. Outcome variables for heart failure (HF) patients randomly assigned to two different home health care (HHC) visit schedules\*: usual schedule (N = 32) and intervention schedule (N = 35).**

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|  | **Usual HHC Visit Schedule****(N = 32)** | **Intervention Visit Schedule****(N = 35)** |
| **Hospital Readmissions During 4 Weeks After Hospital Discharge** | **Total for 4 Week Period** | 3 | 4 |
| **Week #1** | 0 | 0 |
| **Week #2** | 2 | 2 |
| **Week #3** | 0 | 1 |
| **Week #4** | 1 | 1 |
| **Emergency Department Visits** | **Total for 4 Week Period** | 1 | 2 |
| **Week #1** | 0 | 1 |
| **Week #2** | 1 | 0 |
| **Week #3** | 0 | 0 |
| **Week #4** | 0 | 1 |
| **Calls by HHC Nurse to Primary Care Physical for Worsening Condition or Medical Order Clarifications** | **Total for 4 Week Period** | 32 | 35 |
| **Week #1** | 12 | 10 |
| **Week #2** | 6 | 12 |
| **Week #3** | 6 | 6 |
| **Week #4** | 8 | 7 |
| **Evidence of Worsening HF** | **Total for 4 Week Period** | 26 | 34 |
| **Week #1** | 11 | 11 |
| **Week #2** | 5 | 7 |
| **Week #3** | 5 | 8 |
| **Week #4** | 5 | 8 |
| **Adherence Poor for Weight Monitoring** | **Total for 4 Week Period** | 19 | 21 |
| **Week #1** | 10 | 10 |
| **Week #2** | 4 | 4 |
| **Week #3** | 4 | 4 |
| **Week #4** | 1 | 3 |
| **Adherence Poor for Following Medication Orders** | **Total for 4 Week Period** | 11 | 12 |
| **Week #1** | 7 | 5 |
| **Week #2** | 2 | 4 |
| **Week #3** | 1 | 1 |
| **Week #4** | 1 | 2 |
| **Understanding of Medication Orders Poor** | **Total for 4 Week Period** | 16 | 15 |
| **Week #1** | 8 | 8 |
| **Week #2** | 3 | 4 |
| **Week #3** | 4 | 3 |
| **Week #4** | 1 | 0 |
| **Adherence Poor to Sodium and Fluid Restrictions** | **Total for 4 Week Period** | 29 | 31 |
| **Week #1** | 15 | 11 |
| **Week #2** | 5 | 7 |
| **Week #3** | 5 | 7 |
| **Week #4** | 4 | 5 |
| **Understanding of Sodium and Fluid Restrictions Poor** | **Total for 4 Week Period** | 21 | 15 |
| **Week #1** | 8 | 8 |
| **Week #2** | 5 | 3 |
| **Week #3** | 5 | 4 |
| **Week #4** | 3 | 0 |
| **Other Problems Identified During HHC Visit** | **Total for 4 Week Period** | 10 | 9 |
| **Week #1** | 6 | 5 |
| **Week #2** | 1 | 2 |
| **Week #3** | 2 | 1 |
| **Week #4** | 1 | 1 |

\* Usual visit schedule: 3 visit in 1st week, 2 visits in 2nd, 3rd, and 4th weeks. Intervention visit schedule: 2 visits in 1st, 2nd, and 4th weeks, 3 visits in 3rd week.