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[Taking a medical history and conducting a physical exam are required \[1\]](#)

Medical directors are reminded that a pre-admission assessment, including but not limited to physical exam, medical history, ASA classification, body mass index (BMI) and pre-operative testing based upon the patient's clinical conditions and the planned procedure, must be performed on all patients, including patients having procedures under local anesthesia only, such as cataract surgery and biopsies.

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