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Fall Prevention Challenges & Strategies in Home-Based Care



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Overview

What a clinician comes to “know” about patients through home care is qualitatively different than what is known when patients are seen in clinics, hospitals, and even community-based service sites. Many home care patients have underlying deficits particularly in strength and balance that are not remediable, and many are homebound. How patients interact with their current environment also contributes to falls. There are ways to help Home Care, Home Health and Hospice clinicians and aides to recognize the importance of what they are observing or learning about patients and to tailor intervention strategies to reduce fall risk in this population. But first it’s necessary to appreciate how this population is different from community-mobile older adults who participated in the studies that inform much of the fall prevention literature.



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The Home Remedy



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