

Chapter 10	Assisting with fall prevention	
bedrail		
gait / transfer belt		
definition of a fall		
fall prevention steps		
fall risk factors		
time of day falls most often occur		
what is a barrier to prevent wandering?		
what is a floor cushion?		
what is a bed alarm?		
how will you assist a falling resident to the floor?		
what is the difference between a grab bar & a hand rail?		
when using a hand rail, which hand (strong or weak) is next to the rail?		
when transferring a resident, where is the wheelchair placed?		
does everyone have bedrails?		
why is the bed ALWAYS lowered after giving care or making the bed?		
what is entrapment?		
name 4 entrapment zones found on every bed		
is there a certain way residents should be dressed during transfer?		
Any special foot wear?		
how will you keep the room environment safe?		
what can the care plan tell you?		

Is everyone able to transfer with just 1 person helping?		
how is the gait belt applied?		
what is your job regarding the call light?		
If resident uses call light in their room, what color is seen outside their door?		
If resident uses call light in their bathroom, what color is seen outside the door		
Is there a difference in how quickly you are supposed to answer a room light vs a bathroom light		
what is your responsibility if you see a water / liquid spill on the floor		
what is your responsibility if you see a hazard on the floors in the hallway, dining room, therapy, shower room etc.		
Is there an increased risk of falling if resident is visually impaired?		
Is there an increased risk of falling if resident is hearing impaired?		
Do residents RUSH to the bathroom occasionally? Does this present a fall risk?		
Do UTIs increase a resident's risk for falling?		
What must you always check on a wheelchair before using?		

<p>If you find a resident already on the floor, what is your responsibility? Can you pick a resident up off the floor? How much time do you have to answer a call light?</p>		
<p>Is there a requirement on lighting in the hallways / resident's room is there a way to identify a resident who is a fall risk?</p>		
<p>FIND OUT HOW MEADOWBROOK IDENTIFIES THEIR RESIDENTS -- OR DO THEY? how often must you check a resident identified as a fall risk?</p>		
<p>Do shower chairs in the shower room have locking wheels?</p>		
<p>Do beds have locking wheels?</p>		

