

HUDDLE HELPER™ Falls Awareness

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Fall Alert Room Signage



A **Yellow Falling Star** is posted outside patient rooms identified as fall risks. Fall risk patients are identified with yellow wrist bands, yellow gowns, and yellow non-skid socks (when appropriate footwear is unavailable).

When rounding on patients, confirm usage, settings, and connections of the Stanley Bed Alarms.



Yellow Gowns for High Risk Patients



Adult Alert Bracelet/ Pediatric Sticker Alert



Yellow socks for non-skid traction and visibility



The unfamiliar hospital environment contributes to patient falls.

Allowing patients to have their own personal items can reduce falls in the hospital setting.

Encourage families to bring:

- Ambulation aides used at home to be kept at the patient bedside
- Sturdy personal footwear to use during their stay
- Document footwear and ambulation aides in patient belonging fields in EHR

