Identifying People for Medication Assessment.

It’s likely that someone you care for takes a medication that may do more harm than good, causing serious risks, including falls, fractures and hospitalizations.

Spot the signs and report possible medication-related side effects in the people you care for.

Your voice matters in making a difference.

Spot a change (new, worse or bothersome) in the people you care for.

Report your concerns with nursing staff that may prompt a medication assessment with a pharmacist or doctor.

Follow-up with nursing staff on resident outcomes.

What is a medication assessment?

A careful check of a resident’s medications to see if one or more of them might be causing the problem.

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