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Enhancement of Fall Prevention and Management
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Introduction

Objectives
Enhancement of Fall Prevention and Management

Methodology
1. Adoption of a new fall risk assessment tool: MORSE Scale on 1 Dec 2011
2. Environmental modification e.g. installation of hand rails in bathrooms, shower chair, 3M non-slippery bath mats, standardized bedhead alert signage
3. Broadcasting the fall prevention video three times everyday, especially at the high risk time
4. Distribute fall prevention education pamphlets to patients and relatives if necessary
5. Slogan competition
6. Fall Prevention Day 2011 enhancing the fall prevention culture
7. Revised the nursing guidelines on fall prevention
8. Point surveillance of fall on 10/2012

Result
In 2010-11, the average patient fall incident rate was 0.52 which was better than the HA group 5 hospitals average of 0.59 per 1000 patient bed days.