

MDS Alert

Tool: Falls Prevention: Employ This Inspection Checklist

Instructions: Write the unit name, date and room numbers across the top line. Put the bed number or letter across the second line and sign it. Put a check mark under the room number and bed beside all the tasks that need to be done. Write notes about special problems or add details in the NOTES column.

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