

HOME ENVIRONMENT SAFETY CHECKLIST

PATIENT NAME:		PATIENT ID:	
Check "Yes" if the item listed is available,	safe and adequ	ate. For items checked "No," explain in com	nents below.
H	OME ENVIRONI	MENT ASSESSMENT	
2. Water supply □ □ 10. F 3. Electricity □ □ 11. F 4. Refrigeration □ □ p 5. Storage space □ □ 12. C 6. Food supply □ □ 13. N 7. Stove □ □ 14. L	ufficient outlets ree of infestations amily involved in atient care caregivers/sitters To vicious animals ifeline® or Patient lert System	☐ ☐ 16. No visible weapons 17. Lives alone ☐ ☐ 18. Cognitive deficits ☐ ☐ 19. Multi-dwelling residence	Yes No N/A
	HOME	SAFETY	
BATHROOM: Are there handgrips by the tub/shower? Is there a nonskid mat in the tub/shower? Is there a seat by the sink?	Yes No	Are there handgrips by the toilet? Is there a seat in the tub/shower? Does the toilet have a high-rise seat?	Yes No
ELECTRICAL OUTLETS & DEVICES:	Yes No	LIGHTING:	Yes No
Do electric cords run along walls? Are electric devices protected		Is lighting adequate throughout the house? Are night lights used along routes and	
from water?		areas traveled after dark?	
FIRE SAFETY:	Yes No		Yes No
Is there a home fire safety plan? Are there smoke detectors? Are there exits from all areas of the house?		Have fire safety risks been identified in the home? Fire extinguishers?	
FLOORS: Are scatter rugs secured by non-skid backs? Are pathways and hallways cleared of toys, excess furniture, etc.?	Yes No N/A	STAIRWELLS: Are there non-skid surfaces on steps? Are handrails present and securely fastened?	Yes No N/A
BEDROOMS: Hospital Bed Bed Rails Bedside Commode Walker Cane	Yes No N/A	Lift Wheelchair Prosthetic Device/Leg Brace Other:	Yes No N/A
MISCELLANEOUS:	Yes No	1	Yes No
Are hazardous items such as medications and sharps placed in secure areas out of the reach of children or confused individuals?		Is wheeled furniture secured by caster plates?	
COMMENTS/INSTRUCTIONS:			
SIGNATURE:		TITLE: DATE:	