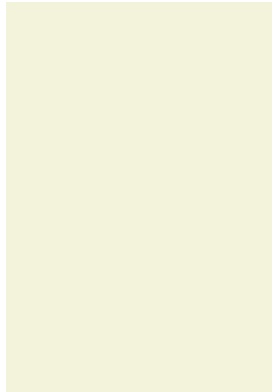


ACUTE POLYPHARMACY

Highlights



Interactions between multiple medications and/or unnecessary doses can have serious impacts on the safety and quality of life for elderly patients.

This project aimed to improve awareness of polypharmacy and streamline medication review and discharge processes for patients admitted to the SP3 ward at PRH.



- Focused on supporting primary care providers by providing access to acute care pharmacists for high-risk patients.
- Supported streamlining of the discharge process.
- Improved communication and supported meaningful medication review between acute care, the family physician, and the community pharmacist.

ATTN: PHYSICIANS

HAVE YOU SEEN THIS STAMP ON YOUR PATIENT'S PROGRESS NOTES?

**POLYPHARMACY
REVIEW**



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