

Resident found on floor with suspected hip/LE Fracture

Do not move resident

- Pull emergency cord
- Make resident comfortable with warm blanket/pillow
- Keep calm and provide reassurance
- Communicate findings to registered staff

Transfer to bed

- Communicate with registered staff and determine a plan for transfer
- 3 or more staff required
- Ensure space is accessible for transfer
- Ensure resident has received medication prior to ANY movement- check in with registered staff re: medication provided and timeframes
- Immobilize/support suspected fracture site/ limb
- Reassurance to resident

Providing Care

- Care provided only once per shift or if needed for bowel incontinence
- Determine plan for care with team
- Ensure resident has received medication prior to ANY movement- check in with registered staff re: medication provided and timeframes
- Room set up for care needs
- Clothing change to gown
- Support suspected fracture site/ limb (e.g., pillow between legs)
- Stop care and notify registered staff if resident shows signs of pain/discomfort at any point during care

Documentation

• Note details on how care was tolerated in PCC

NOTE

At any point in the AHE process, please do not hesitate to ask for help, ask questions and/or ask for clarification.



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