Falls Prevention Assessment

The falls prevention risk screen has been developed electronically for inpatient admissions for clinical staff to complete. This form provides evidence that patient's, during admission and when clinically indicated, are screened for risk of a fall. If a risk factor is identified, the corresponding section of the Falls Risk Assessment will trigger a set of tasks/interventions or actions for clinical staff to complete. The automated tasks have replaced the FRAMP.

The Falls Risk Screen can be accessed through the Adult Admission Assessment form. It is a mandatory section in the form and needs to be completed within 24hrs of admission. Alternatively a standalone falls risk screen can be launched through the patient summary view via the assessment scores field or the Ad Hoc icon on the tool bar.

The falls screen is completed on every patient at:

- Admission
- Post Fall
- Change of condition
- When Appropriate

There are a number of sections to be completed on the OMS Falls Risk Screen. These sections consist of:

- History of Falls
- Mental Status
- Vision
- Toileting
- Transfer Score
- Mobility Score
- Medications

A view of the OMS Falls Risk Screen Score will be available on the Patient Summary View (if the score is \( \geq 9 \) ((High fall risk) the font will be red) as will a view of the completed document. It will also be displayed in the alerts component.

High Level Design Requirements

The design has the following features:

- The falls risk screen will provide the ability to capture and score the screen across all hospital disciplines.
- A prompt will be displayed to complete the falls screen on patient admission within 24hrs of admission.
- An alert and prompt will be displayed when the screen has not been performed within a defined time frame.
- A set of tasks/interventions will automatically trigger off each section of the Falls Risk Screen.
- Meet mandatory and local reporting requirements.