Structured Inter-Disciplinary Rounds (SIDR) New Admission Communication Tool INTERACT project

The INTERdisciplinary Approaches to Communication and Teamwork (INTERACT) project is designed to improve communication and teamwork on general medical hospital units. The intervention consists of Prepared Nurse-Physician Co-Leadership and Structured Inter-Disciplinary Rounds (SIDR). The project is supported by a grant from the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality. This New Admission Communication Tool is intended for use during SIDR to ensure a shared understanding of the plan of care for newly admitted patients.

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ROOM NUMBER

PATIENT LAST NAME

OVERALL PLAN OF CARE

- Diagnosis?
- Patient's chief concern?
- Tests/Procedures today?
- Medication Changes/Issues?
- Consulting services?
- Diet (aspiration precautions?)
- Telemetry?

DISCHARGE PLANS

- Patient education needs (fragmin teaching, wound care, insulin, warfarin video,etc.)?
- Anticipated Discharge Date/Time?
- Discharge Needs/Barriers?
 - o Placement?
 - o Home health needs?
 - o Transportation?
 - o Dialysis?

PATIENT SAFETY

- PCP Contact?
- On VTE prophylaxis?
- Mobility Assessment (Last out of bed /Fall Risk/PT needs)
- Can we reduce pressure ulcer risk?
- Can central lines be d/c'd (including PICCs)?
- Can foley catheter be d/c'd?
- Goals of care and Code Status