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Conference Topics

- Delirium
- Mobility
- NICHE program and goals
- Geriatric Certification
- Falls
- Medication in the Elderly

Learning to Consider for LVHN

- Implement a walking program focused on mobility of patients and geriatrics as the focus. Use of the volunteers should be investigated.
- Encourage geriatric certification for the nurses. Discuss with DOE the possibility of a review course for the geriatric course.
- Reeducate the delirium protocol so that the staff are more aware of the interventions available.

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Group Discussion

ACTION ITEMS

Where the rubber meets the road

