

NO HARM ACROSS THE BOARD

Days Since Last **ADE**



Adverse Drug Event (ADE) Prevention:

- Assess medication risk on admission for all patients.
- Reassess patients' risk daily or when changes occur in patients' medical condition.
- Use patient-specific identifiers.
- Verify allergies and reactions.
- Conduct a thorough medication reconciliation to include over-the-counter medications, vitamins, and holistic treatments.
- Avoid problematic abbreviations.
- Monitor labs for anticoagulant and glucose problems.
- Consider pharmacy-driven anticoagulation or insulin protocols.
- Engage patients and families in medication, education, and recognition of signs and symptoms.
- Use standard height and weight measurements.
- Use standardized order sets.



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