



NURSING GRAND ROUNDS

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1:30 PM - 2:30 PM Community Room - Community Campus

Before You Serve Another Round (of Medication): The BEERS Criteria & Nursing Best Practice with Older Adults

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Targeted to all inpatient RNs

Purpose:

To educate nursing staff to perform early identification of high risk medications and their adverse effects on elderly patients.

Objectives:

- 1. Describe age-related physiologic changes that increase the risk for adverse drug reactions
- 2. Identify common high-risk medications for older adults.
- 3. Identify nursing strategies that will improve medication safety in older adults in the hospital

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