

HPDP - Health Promotion, Disease Prevention

HPDP-ADL ACTIVITIES OF DAILY LIVING

OUTCOME: The patient/family will understand how the patient's ability to perform activities of daily living (ADLs) impact the care plan including in-home and out-of-home care.

STANDARDS:

1. Define activities of daily living (ADLs) (e.g., the everyday activities involved in personal care such as feeding, dressing, bathing, moving from a bed to a chair (also called transferring), toileting, and walking) and discuss how the patient's ability to perform ADLs affects the patient's ability to live independently.
2. Assist the patient/family in assessing the patient's ability to perform activities of daily living.
3. Provide the appropriate information and referrals for services needed to increase, maintain, and/or assist with activities of daily living.

HPDP-CAR AUTOMOBILE SAFETY

OUTCOME: The patient/family will understand measures that will improve car safety.

STANDARDS:

1. Discuss the importance of using a seat belt when traveling in a vehicle.
2. Explain that the youngest child should be restrained in a car seat in the middle of the back seat of the vehicle.
3. Explain the dangers posed by things that might divert attention from driving, such as smoking, cell phone use, eating, CDs and radios, etc.
4. Emphasize the importance of never driving while under the influence of alcohol, sedatives, and/or street drugs.
5. Discuss the dangers in riding on the outside of the vehicle, such as in the back of a pick-up truck, on the hood of the vehicle, or on running boards of a vehicle.
6. Emphasize not to leave sibling/infant/child unattended in a vehicle (motor running, not running, keys in car) due to potential incidents; e.g., vehicle gears shifted and car goes in motion, electric windows cause injury to child, keys locked in vehicle with child, heat/cold exposure, abduction, or child wandering away.

HPDP-CUL CULTURAL/SPIRITUAL ASPECTS OF HEALTH

OUTCOME: The patient/family will understand the impact and influences that cultural and spiritual traditions, practices, and beliefs have on health and wellness.

STANDARDS:

1. Discuss the potential role of cultural/spiritual traditions, practices and beliefs in achieving and maintaining health and wellness. Refer to clergy services, traditional healers, or other culturally appropriate resources.
2. Explain that traditional medicines/treatments should be reviewed with the healthcare provider to determine if there are positive or detrimental interactions with prescribed treatment. Explain that the medical treatment plan must be followed as prescribed to be effective.

HPDP-EX EXERCISE

OUTCOME: The patient/family will understand the role of increased physical activity in this patient's disease process and will make a plan to increase regular activity by an agreed-upon amount.

STANDARDS:

1. Discuss medical clearance issues for physical activity.
2. Discuss the benefits of any exercise, such as improvement in well being, stress reduction, sleep, bowel regulation, and self image.
3. Discuss obstacles to a personal exercise plan and solutions to those obstacles. Assist the patient in developing a personal exercise plan.
4. Encourage the patient to increase the intensity and duration of the activity when becoming more fit.
5. Refer to community resources as appropriate.

HPDP-FU FOLLOW-UP

OUTCOME: The patient/family will understand the importance of keeping routine provider visits.

STANDARDS:

1. Discuss the importance of regular follow up to monitor health patterns, screen for disease, and update immunizations.
2. Inform the patient/family of the timing of the next visit.
3. Discuss signs and symptoms of illness that should prompt immediate follow-up.
4. Discuss the procedure for making appointments.

HPDP-HY HYGIENE

OUTCOME: The patient will recognize personal routine hygiene as an important part of wellness.

STANDARDS:

1. Review bathing habits, paying special attention to face, pubic hair area, and feet. Discuss hygiene as part of a positive self image.
2. Review the importance of daily dental hygiene, with attention to brushing and flossing.
3. Discuss the importance of hand-washing in infection control, especially in relationship to food preparation/consumption, child care, and toilet use.
4. Discuss the importance of covering the mouth when coughing or sneezing.
5. Review the risks of exposing immunocompromised and high-risk persons (infants and elderly) to communicable diseases.

HPDP-IR INFORMATION AND REFERRAL

OUTCOME: The patient/family will have information on community or other resources appropriate to this patient.

STANDARDS:

1. Provide the patient/family with alternative or additional sources for care and services; for example, physical activity, car seat safety, nutrition, injury prevention, alcohol and drug prevention.
2. Provide the patient/family with assistance in securing alternative or additional resources as needed. Refer patient to services as needed.

HPDP-L LITERATURE

OUTCOME: The patient/family will receive literature about health promotion and disease prevention.

STANDARDS:

1. Provide the patient/family literature on health promotion and disease prevention.
2. Discuss the content of the literature.

HPDP-LA LIFESTYLE ADAPTATIONS

OUTCOME: The patient will understand lifestyle changes necessary to improve mental or physical health.

STANDARDS:

1. Review the concept that health or wellness refers to the whole person (mind, body, and spirit) and is a positive state of health which results from appropriate habits and lifestyle.
2. Review lifestyle aspects/changes that the patient has control over: diet, exercise, safety and injury prevention, and avoidance of high-risk behaviors (e.g., smoking, alcohol and substance abuse, sex with multiple partners).
3. Discuss wellness as an individual responsibility to:
 - a. Learn how to be healthy.
 - b. Be willing to change.
 - c. Practice new knowledge.
 - d. Get help when necessary.
4. Review the community resources available for help in achieving behavior changes.

HPDP-M MEDICATIONS

OUTCOME: The patient/family will understand the purpose, proper use, and expected outcomes of prescribed drug therapy.

STANDARDS:

1. Describe the name, strength, purpose, dosing directions, and storage of the medication.
2. Discuss the risks, benefits and common or important side effects of the medication and follow up as appropriate.
3. Discuss any significant drug/drug, drug/food, and alcohol interactions, as appropriate.
4. Discuss the importance of keeping a list of all current prescriptions and over-the-counter medicines, vitamins, herbs, traditional remedies, and supplements. Encourage the patient to bring this list and pill bottles to appointments for medication reconciliation.

HPDP-N NUTRITION

OUTCOME: The patient/family will understand health and nutrition.

STANDARDS:

1. Discuss the importance of eating a variety of foods and regular meals.
2. Review the relationship of calories to energy balance and body weight.

3. Emphasize the importance of limiting snack foods, fatty foods, red meats, reducing sodium consumption, and adding more fresh fruits, fresh vegetables, and fiber to the diet.
4. Emphasize the necessary component—WATER—in a healthy diet. Reduce the use of colas, coffee, and alcohol.
5. Review which community resources exist to assist with diet modification and weight control.
6. Stress the importance of being a smart shopper.

HPDP-S SAFETY

OUTCOME: The patient will understand the role of safety and injury prevention in maintaining health.

STANDARDS:

1. Discuss the importance of vehicle safety. Some examples are:
 - a. Regular use of seat belts and children’s car seats, obeying the speed limit, and avoiding the use of alcohol while in a vehicle.
 - b. Wear personal protective equipment when operating recreational vehicles (e.g., boats, snow mobiles, sea dos, ATVs, skateboards, bicycles.), and horses.
 - c. **Never** leave children unattended in a vehicle.
 - d. Never ride on the hood, bumper, or in the cargo compartment of any vehicle.
2. Discuss the importance of poisoning prevention. Some examples are:
 - a. Discuss poison prevention: e.g., proper storage and safe use of medicines, cleaners, auto products, paints.
 - b. Discuss current recommendations for use of ipecac syrup.
 - c. Discuss common poisonous plants.
 - d. Provide the patient with the telephone number of poison control.
3. Discuss the importance of fire safety and burn prevention. Some examples are:
 - a. Review the dangers inherent in the use of wood-burning stoves, “charcoal pans,” kerosene heaters, and other open flames.
 - b. Encourage the use and proper maintenance of smoke detectors, carbon monoxide detectors, and fire suppression systems.
 - c. Encourage routine practices of fire escape plans, chimney cleaning, and fireworks safety.
 - d. Review the safe use of electricity and natural gas.

- e. Encourage hot water heater no hotter than 120°F to avoid scalding.
 - f. Cook on the backburners of the stove and turn panhandles toward the back of the stove.
 - g. Avoid the use of kerosene or gasoline when burning debris piles.
 - h. Discuss calling 911 for house fires and other emergencies.
4. Discuss the proper handling, storage, and disposal of hazardous items and materials. Some examples are:
- a. Firearms and other potentially hazardous tools.
 - b. Waste, including sharps and hazardous materials.
 - c. Chemicals, including antifreeze.
 - d. Lead based materials, e.g., pre-1970 paint, pottery, smelting, pre-1993 window blinds, solder, old plumbing.
 - e. Never store hazardous chemicals in food containers.
5. Discuss the importance of water safety. Some examples are:
- a. Never swim alone.
 - b. When under the influence of alcohol or other drugs, never swim, boat, or use other recreational vehicles.
 - c. Never leave a child unattended in a bathtub, swimming pool, lake, river, or other water source.
 - d. Always close toilets, mop buckets, and other water containers to avoid toddler drowning.
6. Discuss the importance of food and drinking water safety. Some examples are:
- a. Proper handling, storage, and preparation of food, e.g., original preparation, reheating to a proper temperature (165°F).
 - b. Importance of uncontaminated water sources. Discuss the importance of purifying any suspect water by boiling or chemical purification.
 - c. Prevention of botulism, salmonella, shigella, giardia, listeria, E-coli, etc.

HPDP-SCR SCREENING

OUTCOME: The patient/family will understand the proposed screening test including indications.

STANDARDS:

1. Discuss the indication, risks, and benefits for the proposed screening test, e.g., guaiac, blood pressure, hearing, vision, development, mental health.
2. Explain the process and what to expect after the test.

3. Emphasize the importance of follow-up care.

HPDP-SM STRESS MANAGEMENT

OUTCOME: The patient will understand the role of stress management in overall health and well-being.

STANDARDS:

1. Explain that uncontrolled stress may cause release of stress hormones that interfere with general health and well-being.
2. Explain that effective stress management may help prevent progression of many disease states, as well as, help improve the patient's health and well-being.
3. Discuss that stress may exacerbate adverse health behaviors, such as increased tobacco, alcohol, or other substance use, as well as, overeating, all of which can increase the risk of morbidity and mortality from many disease states.
4. Emphasize the importance of seeking professional help as needed to reduce stress.
5. Discuss various stress management strategies which may help maintain a healthy lifestyle. Examples may include:
 - a. Becoming aware of your own reactions to stress
 - b. Recognizing and accepting your limits
 - c. Talking with people you trust about your worries or problems
 - d. Setting realistic goals
 - e. Getting enough sleep
 - f. Maintaining a reasonable diet
 - g. Exercising regularly
 - h. Taking vacations
 - i. Practicing meditation, self-hypnosis, and positive imagery
 - j. Practicing physical relaxation methods such as deep breathing or progressive muscular relaxation
 - k. Participating in spiritual or cultural activities
6. Provide referrals as appropriate.

HPDP-SX SEXUALITY

OUTCOME: The patient will understand how sexuality relates to wellness.

STANDARDS:

1. Review sexuality as an integral part of emotional and physical health.
2. Discuss how sexual feelings play a part in each person's personal identity.

3. Discuss sexual feelings as an important part of interpersonal relationships.
4. Discuss how sexuality varies with gender, age, life-stage, and relationship status.
5. Explain the preventive measures for STIs (**refer to STI-P**), including abstinence and monogamy.
6. Review the community resources available for sexual counseling or examination.

HPDP-TE TESTS

OUTCOME: The patient/family will understand the test(s) to be performed, the potential risks, the expected benefits, and the risks of non-testing.

STANDARDS:

1. Explain test(s) that have been ordered (explain as appropriate):
 - a. method of testing
 - b. necessity, benefits, and risks of test(s) to be performed
 - c. any potential risk of refusal of recommended test(s)
 - d. any advance preparation and instructions required for the test(s)
 - e. how the results will be used for future medical decision-making
 - f. how to obtain the results of the test
2. Explain test results:
 - a. meaning of the test results
 - b. follow-up tests may be ordered based on the results
 - c. how results will impact or effect the treatment plan
 - d. recommendations based on the test results