**Center Fall Prevention Evaluation**

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| **Center Fall Risk Factors** | **Scale** | **Score** |
| Number of fall incidents in past year |  |  |
| * Prior to admission | 1 per fall |  |
| * Pre-op | 1 per fall |  |
| * Intra-op | 2 per fall |  |
| * Post-op | 2 per fall |  |
| No **patient fall assessment** in use at Center | 2 |  |
| Beds not always placed in low position when enter recovery room, locked position and side rails not up | 2 |  |
| Call light not always within patient/family reach | 1 |  |
| Patients are not always assisted to bathroom and are left alone in the bathroom | 2 |  |
| Handrails not present in all patient bathrooms | 2 |  |
| Limited lighting at bedside for dressing | 1 |  |
| Patients dress without staff or family assistance | 2 |  |
| Hallways/exits obstructed | 1 |  |
| Floors dirty, with glare, or slippery | 2 |  |
| Patients not walked or using wheelchair with staff | 2 |  |
| Parking lots with areas of obstruction | 1 |  |
| Facility has occurrences of ice/snow that can affect ambulating to the center | 1 |  |
| **Total score** |  |

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0-5 **Low risk:** Limited changes needed.

6-10 **Moderate risk:** Review of processes. Plan focus study.

10 or more **High risk:** Must put focus study in place and develop a plan of correction.