

## Frailsafe in the Acute Medical Unit Craigavon Area Hospital

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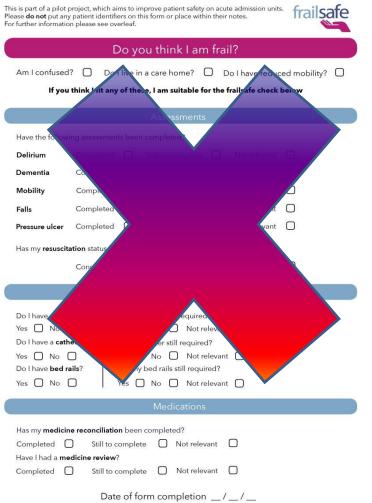






# What is Frailsafe?





Once this form is completed it should be placed... (site specific information)

- The Frailsafe tool is a checklist for the acute care of frail older people
- The checklist has been piloted in twelve sites across England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland
- The Frailsafe checklist is a check and challenge tool triggering an interaction between the senior doctor and another member of staff on Acute Medical Units



#### • Am I frail?

- Confused
- Care Home
- Reduced mobility

#### Assessments

- Delirium
- Dementia
- Mobility
- Falls
- Pressure Ulcer
- Resus status considered

### • Equipment

- IV cannula
- Catheter
- Bedrails

### Medication

- Medicines reconciliation
- Medicines review

## Implementation and challenges

- PDSA cycles
- SPC charts
- Completed PTWR
- Majority of patients admitted to AMU 5-11pm
- March 2016 completed white board meeting
- Acute Care at home using checklist
- Roll out to ED

frailsafe	ASSES	SMENT	EQUIPMENT		MED REC
REDUCED MOBILITY	Delirium 🗌		CANNULA N/A 🗆	REFERRALS/ACTIO	ONS TAKEN:
	Dementia 🗆		Required 🗆		
	Mobility 🗆		Removed  CATHETER		
CARE HOME	Falls		N/A 🗆		
	Pressure Ulcer 🗆		Required 🗆 Removed 🗆		
	RESUS STATUS CONSIDERED		BED RAILS	DATE:	
	YES	NO	Required 🗆 Removed 🗆	SIGNATURE:	

