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Answers And Emotional Support While Caring For An Elder

NEWS AND ARTICLES »

[For the Elderly, Falls May Prove Deadly](#)

The Autumn seasons offers perfect weather for an evening stroll. See what factors can cause a senior to fall, and learn how to stay active and safe. [More »](#)

[Health Care: To Reduce Risks and Costs, Less Is More](#)

Is it possible to have a "less is more" approach to health care? One of our bloggers explains why this is beneficial to your health and wallet and how you can implement this strategy in your everyday life. [More »](#)

[How to Convince Your Parent to Move to Assisted Living](#)

Planting the idea of transitioning to assisted living is no easy task. Here are some effective ways to introduce the thought and prompt your parent(s) to be the one(s) to make the decision. [More »](#)

[Activities of Daily Living: Why This Measure Matters](#)

What's an ADL? Many health professionals use special jargon with families who are seeking care, but many are unaware of what this term means. Understanding their lingo is vital to finding the right level of care for your loved one. [More »](#)

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COMMUNITY QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS »

Q: Is there legal liability for Mom's injury at the nursing home?

My mom was in a NH in March 2015. She received an antibiotic shot in the arm and has been complaining of pain ever since.

Q: Will my Mother still be allowed by the courts to spend her own money on what she wants if I get guardianship?

She has dementia stemming from traumatic brain injury, basically no short term memory, so I take care of all her bills and...

Q: Can I make payments to repay asset transfer?

Mom is in NH on Medicaid. Mom is still on mortgage for our house. New money coming. I need to use some or will lose house. Can I repay later, or can they force...

Q: Does dehydration contribute to a senior's fall risk?

I'm asking because an elderly relative took a tumble getting up from a nap.

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