

La Crosse County Falls Prevention Meeting 3-29-2017

- Present: Kunze and Intern, Branson, Thiel, Straker, Schertz and Intern, Anderson. Pintz, Murphy, Pierce, White
- The Patient Education Committee of Gunderson Health System will modify our Falls Prevention Resource Guide and develop a parallel product that meets their professional standards for distribution throughout their system.
- The attachment below from the North Dakota State University Extension Services offers us a prototype to follow if we want to survey former Stepping On Students in La Crosse County.
- Marshfield Clinic has a program called “Independent and Upright” when volunteers go into homes to assess for fall risk. They use the STEADI home safety checklist, do follow-up, and connect seniors to community falls prevention resources.
www.marshfieldclinic.org/independent-and-upright.
- **Next Meeting: Wed. April 26, 2017**
1:01pm lower level conference room
First Presbyterian Church 233 West Ave
- **AGENDA**
 - Survey Instrument for former Stepping On Students
 - P.R. to promote Falls Prevention Awareness Day
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 - ❖ Demonstrations
 - How to Get Up
 - La Crosse Fire Dept.
 - Tri-State Ambulance
 - Assistive Devices
 - www.lacrossestopfalls.com
 - ❖ Screening
 - Balance
 - Falls risk assessment,
 - Vision, hearing, blood pressure
 - Bone density
 - ❖ Topics/Programs
 - ❖ Community Resources

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