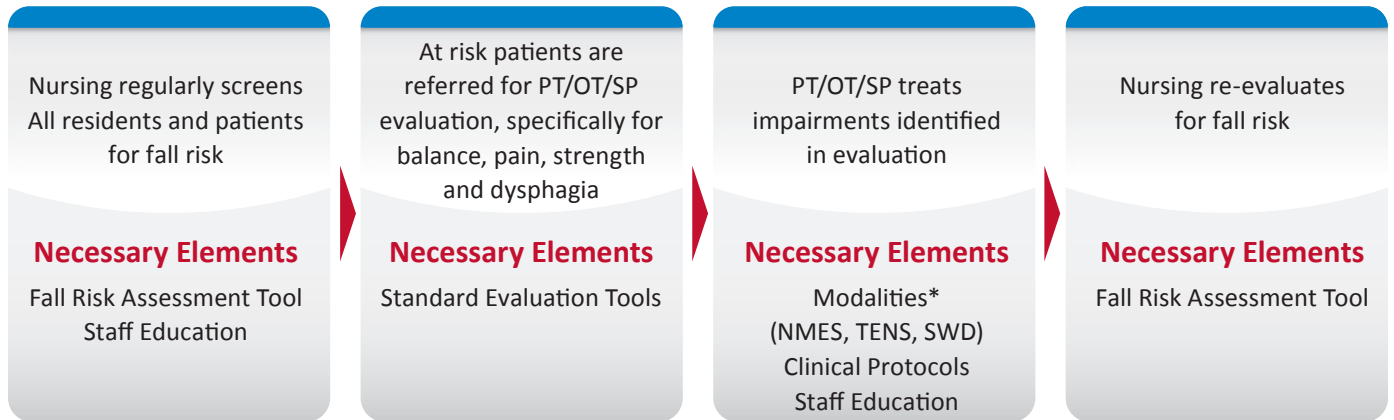


# Long-term Options for Falls – Implementation Plan

The most effective strategy to decrease the risk of and incidence of falls in the long term care setting is to implement a comprehensive approach that includes routine screening of residents, thorough evaluation, skilled treatment where needed, and careful tracking of outcomes.



The following is a checklist of recommended action items to complete in order to implement a comprehensive fall risk management care plan.

<i>To do:</i>	<i>Complete</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Initial</i>
Agree on outcome variables and tracking tools	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Obtain copies of screener and evaluation tools	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Educate facility staff on fall risk management program	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Educate staff on screener	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Educate staff on clinical protocols	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Comments:			

