

Your Ontario Nurse Practitioner...

in Geriatric Care

Nurse Practitioners in geriatric care work with physicians to provide services to older adults in hospital settings, outpatient clinics, long-term care institutions, and outreach home-visits.

The Nurse Practitioner will assess and manage elderly patients who have periodic illness, chronic disease, and common geriatric issues such as falls, confusion, and incontinence.

The Nurse Practitioner communicates with families and community agencies to promote safe discharge home, to rehabilitation, to convalescent care, or to long-term care.

In addition to patient care the Nurse Practitioner is involved in research and education to promote improved care of elders.



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