

Medical/Surgical Safety Huddle Tool						
Date:					Unit:	
Time:	7am	3pm	7pm	11pm	Other_	
Name of RP:			Huc	ddle Start Time:		Huddle End Time:
Risk Reports or Critical Events from Previous Shift:						
						d why? Next steps and cautions
Cens	sus	#0	)R's	#ER ANB	Incoming	#D/C
Assessment Bay Patients						
Who has been in the Assessment Bays nearing / beyond 24 hrs? Plans for transfers, escalations?						
Patients at risk for falls (write in room numbers)						
Frequent Faller:						
Bed Alarm:						
Hi-Lo Bed - Needed:						
Infection Control Issues						
ex. Who need's ARO swabs? c.diff, airborne, droplet precautions						
High Risk Medications						
ex. Pyxis discrepancies, heparin gtts, insulin gtts, PCA, epidurals, cytotoxic meds (rooms that require additional precautions)						
Resources of Supplies/Equipment/Staffing						
ex. broken/ malfunctioning equipment, bariatric bed required, special airmattress required, need to order more supplies						
Other Safety Issues and Staff Announcements						
ex. two patients with similar names, escalation plans for high risk patients, scheduled training						