Benefits of Standardization

A successful fall management program includes a variety of key interventions, including low beds, bedside mats, hip protectors and grab bars. To optimize fall management for both your residents and staff, begin with a standardized set of fall alarms. Because they are most commonly used, standardizing your pad alarms is a good place to start. You can then add other specialized alarm varieties to your program as needed.

**Standardizing on one brand of fall alarms offers numerous benefits:**

**Reduces false alarms and malfunctions** – Using multiple brands in combination with each other can greatly increase the risk of product malfunction. Relying on one manufacturer ensures that each component was made to work properly with the others.

**Gives staff more time to provide care** – Your busy staff has enough to worry about each day! Keeping fall management solutions consistent allows staff to spend more time caring for residents and less time troubleshooting products.

**Makes training easier** – Because most brands offer multiple alarm options with similar control layouts, standardization by brand can greatly reduce training time and confusion related to fall alarms.

**Results in more efficient maintenance** – Using a consistent brand of fall alarms makes maintenance much easier when it comes to tracking pad and battery life as well as performing basic alarm repairs.

Contact our expert product consultants for help finding your ideal fall management solutions. Call 1-800-634-7328 today!