

Assessment of requests for medication-related follow-up after hospital discharge, and the relation to unplanned hospital revisits, in older patients: a multicentre retrospective chart review.

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Poor [communication](#) between hospital and primary care providers can lead to adverse events, such as hospital readmission. In this study of older adults who required [medication](#)-related follow-up with their primary care provider, the discharging provider only sent an [adequate](#) request for 60% of patients. Of those patients that did not have an adequate request, 14% had a related hospital revisit within 6 months.