Record Nr. UNINA9910254531303321 Post-Acute and Long-Term Medicine: A Pocket Guide / / edited by **Titolo** Pamela A. Fenstemacher, Peter Winn Cham:,: Springer International Publishing:,: Imprint: Humana,, Pubbl/distr/stampa 2016 **ISBN** 3-319-16979-3 Edizione [2nd ed. 2016.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (353 p.) Collana **Current Clinical Practice** Disciplina 610 Soggetti Geriatrics Family medicine Primary care (Medicine) Medical rehabilitation Cardiology Geriatrics/Gerontology General Practice / Family Medicine Primary Care Medicine Rehabilitation Medicine Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Home Health Care -- Assisted Living and Residential Care -- PACE --Nota di contenuto Department of Veteran Affairs Option for LTC -- Behind the Scenes at Nursing Facilities -- The Role of Practitioners and the Medical Director -- Nurse Practitioners, Clinical Nurse Specialists and Physician Assistants -- Common Clinical Conditions in Long Term Care --Preventing Hospital Admissions and Readmissions -- Goals of Care and Prevention -- Integrating Palliative Care into Practice -- Weight and Nutrition -- Wound Care -- Dementia, Delirium and Depression --Ethical and Legal Issues -- Caring for Families -- Documentation and Coding -- Medication Management in Long Term Care -- Rehabilitation and Maximizing Function. This book addresses current issues surrounding hospital readmissions Sommario/riassunto

and the practice of post-acute and long-term care (LTC). Thoroughly updated, the Second Edition of this practical pocket guide presents new

regulations governing these services and lessens the uncertainty involved in caring for patients in a long-term care facility. The book is divided into four sections that cover: types of care, which include community care, nursing facility care, and teamwork; clinical medicine, with suggested approaches to common conditions and wound care; psychosocial aspects of care, which include ethical and legal issues and caring for families; and special issues, with chapters on documentation, coding, and medication management. As community-based care is an area of rapid growth where the elderly are increasingly seeking their medical care, new chapters have also been added that describe these programs. Written by expert contributors, many of whom have worked within AMDA - The Society for Post-acute and Long-term Care Medicine to create and disseminate a knowledge base for post-acute and LTC, this is a valuable resource for clinicians and educators seeking to maximize the care and living experience of residents in post-acute and long-term care settings.