

Bree Complex Discharge from Hospitals Workgroup Evidence Review Prioritization

May 18th, 2023

Initial Evidence Review on Discharge Interventions:

- AHRQ Effective Health Care Program:
 - [Interventions to Decrease Hospital Length of Stay](#)
- Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews
 - [Discharge Planning from Hospitals](#)
- Others:
 - Reports and Resources
 - [2017 Legislative Report: Skilled Nursing Facility/Acute Care Hospital Work Group](#)
 - [AHRQ: IDEAL Discharge Planning Toolkit](#) for engaging patients and families
 - Articles
 - [Health Systems: Improving Patient Discharge Process](#)
 - [JBI Evidence Synthesis: Hospital Discharge Planning](#)
 - [Internal Medicine Journal: Improving Discharge Planning Communication](#)
 - [Orthopedic Nursing: Discharge Process – What Evidence Tells Us is Most Effective](#)
 - [Professional Case Management: Improving Early Discharge Using a Team-Based Structure](#)
 - [Aging Clinical and Experimental Research: management of care transitions and hospital discharge](#)

Further Areas for Impact:

- Standard best practices for discharge planning.
- Promising practices and partnerships to increase access to post-acute care
- Recommend further collaboration and investigation on complex discharge