

# Potentially Harmful Drug-Disease Interactions in the Elderly

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## **NSHA**

**9000001**

**Elderly patients who had an accidental fall or hip fracture who took tricyclic antidepressant antipsychotic or sleep agent after the incident (HEDIS criteria).**

## **NSHA**

**9000002**

**Elderly patients with dementia who took a tricyclic antidepressant or anticholinergic agent after the earliest record of dementia (HEDIS criteria).**