

Worksheet B: EDGE Worksheet for Describing Disruptive Behavior

(Fill out a worksheet for each disruptive behavior that the resident displays.)

Resident Name: Unit:	Name of person filling out worksheet: Title:	
Type of Behavior: (Check all that apply and describe behavior in few words under each type of behavior checked: e. g. under VDB: intermittent screaming; under PAB: bites staff during bath; under Other: sexually aggressive - continuously tries to sit in lap of a male resident during music group despite his protest)	Verbally Disruptive Behavior (VDB):	
	Physically Aggressive Behavior (PAB):	
	Other:	

Date:	Time:	Location:
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(Describe what you saw): **Situation before Disruptive Behavior (Resident was**

(Describe what you saw): **Describe Disruptive Behavior (Resident**

Intensity: How upset was the resident? How did (s)he show this? Check level of intensity and describe (compared to usual behavior when not upset): Mild _____ Moderate _____ Severe _____	Duration: (How long did it last?) (Check one that applies)	
	1. <i>Less than 1 min.</i>	
	2. 1-3 min.	
	3. 3-10 min.	
	4. ____min	
	5. ____ times in ____ hour(s)	

Staff/other reaction after Disruptive Behavior (What did staff/others do or say)

Resident reaction after Disruptive Behavior (*What did resident do or say*)

Possible triggers: (*What do you think caused the resident to react with disruptive behavior?*)

Possible unmet resident need:

What seems to increase this behavior:

What seems to decrease this behavior:

Suggested approaches for care:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Reviewed by:

Signature:

Date:

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