Restrictive practices



- Observe a client who has had their freedom of movement or rights restricted.
- For example:
 - A client is unable to leave a room or an area within a room
 - A client is unable to move their body, or a part of their body, due to some type of restraint
 - A client has been given medication outside of their prescribed treatment
- These are all restrictive practices and must be reported as an incident



STEP 3 • Complete an incident report form on Skedulo



Restrictive practices should only be used to protect a person or others from harm. They would only be used as a last resort and for the shortest time possible.

Further information is available in the **Code of Practice for the Elimination of Restrictive Practices** available through Skedulo.

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