



TITLE: Chronic pain management in elderly: Do we need to new legislation?

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ABSTRACT (upto 300 words)

One of the fundamental human rights is chronic pain management. Due to the limitations created in old age, including biological, physical, cognitive, sensory-behavioral, also the absence of specific diseases symptoms, Re -defining the chronic pain management in the elderly as a legal and ethical phenomenon must be considered. In this regard, creating new legislation in many fields as insurance company's obligations and health care system for mandatory of chronic pain management in old age is essential. Developing new road map and implementing specific action plan as forming high risk watch teams for that will be helpful.

BIOGRAPHY (upto 200 words)

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