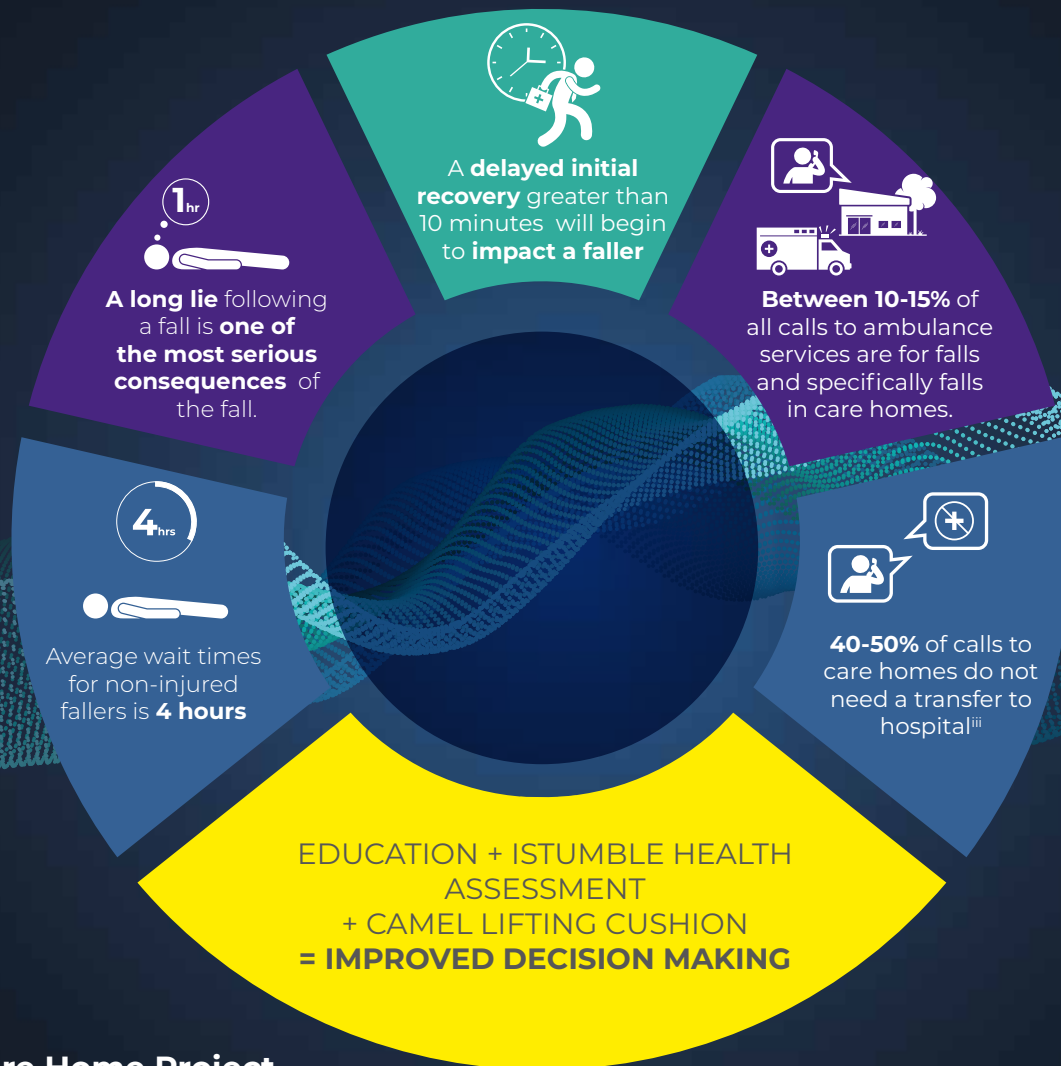


Supporting the Ambulance Service to prioritise calls

Care Homes routinely call an ambulance to lift fallen residents. Older people who have fallen are the most common reason for a 999 call in the UKⁱ



Wales Care Home Project

A Welsh Government and Welsh Ambulance Service Trust (WAST) collaboration

600
care homes in Wales received
ISTUMBLE training and
Camel lifting cushions

Evaluation on 300 homes after 10 weeks
recorded a saving of
1,000 LESS
ambulance hours over the same
period the previous year

This equates to
£2 million
SAVING
to WAST over annually

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