

SUCCESS STORY

Ecumen Reduces Severe Fall Injuries to Zero with Viconic

Lakeview Commons

Results

Over the first eighteen months, fall-related injuries were dramatically reduced:

- 0% severe injuries
- 0% ER visits
- 70% fewer injuries overall



"We've seen a dramatic difference. In rooms with Viconic, we had zero severe injuries and zero ER visits."

Anne Stepnick, Clinical Director Ecumen Lakeview Commons At Ecumen Lakeview Commons in Maplewood, Minnesota, resident safety is paramount-especially in memory care, where falls can be both frequent and potentially life-altering. To address the risk, Ecumen equipped a portion of its memory care apartments with Viconic® Fall Defense™ and tracked outcomes over time, comparing results against rooms with standard flooring.

The findings were clear: rooms with Viconic had significantly fewer fall-related injuries and no severe injuries at all.

0% Severe Injuries. 0% ER Visits.

Over an 18-month period, Lakeview Commons saw stark differences in fall outcomes:

- Rooms with standard flooring had a 15.9% injury rate and a 5.5% severe injury rate.
- Rooms equipped with Viconic had just a 5.0% injury rate—and 0% severe injuries or emergency room visits.

This dramatic improvement reinforced Viconic's value as a passive, always-on solution for reducing risk without compromising the look or feel of the home environment.

Smarter Safety. Less Stress.

The impact of a fall goes well beyond the fall incident. "It affects a resident's wellbeing, staff time, family involvement, even end-of-life decisions," observes Anne Stepenick, Clinical Director. "Anything we can do to reduce injury helps everyone."

A Strategic Fit for Safer, Smarter Senior Care.

Ecumen's mission is rooted in empowering older adults to navigate aging with dignity, support, and purpose-and purposeful innovation plays a central role in that strategy. Viconic Fall Defense™ aligns seamlessly with that vision, offering both measurable results and meaningful reassurance.

For senior living communities focused on improving outcomes, building family trust, and delivering safer environments, Viconic offers a passive safety solution with proven results.



