LBD Tools

Emergency Room Kit

Take these documents and supplies on all medical errands. Ask that they be placed in the Lewy partner's medical file. Update it regularly to keep the information current. Print a copy to keep in your Kit use it to check to see if you have everything you need before you leave for a doctor's or hospital visit.

Last Update	Item	Comments
	LBDA Medical Alert Wallet	Make several copies and carry them
	Card	with you everywhere.
	Treating Psychosis in LBD.	Download and keep to give to ER
		staff or other non-Lewy-savvy
		medical personnel.
	Hospital Form.	Fill out and keep current. Ask that it
		be copied and inserted into the chart.
	Medical Health Care Directive.	Each state is different. Check with
		your attorney, or an organization such
		as Agency on Ageing.
	Mental Health Care Directive	You may need this too. Check as
		above.
	Power of Attorney	This is also specific to state.
	Guardianship papers	If appropriate
	Physicians' letters of	Ask the doctor to write out the
	explanation	PwLB's specific needs.
	Daily Journal.	Mark appropriate entries.
	Stress reducers	Finger food, MP3 player and ear
		buds, etc., to keep PwLB busy,
		content.