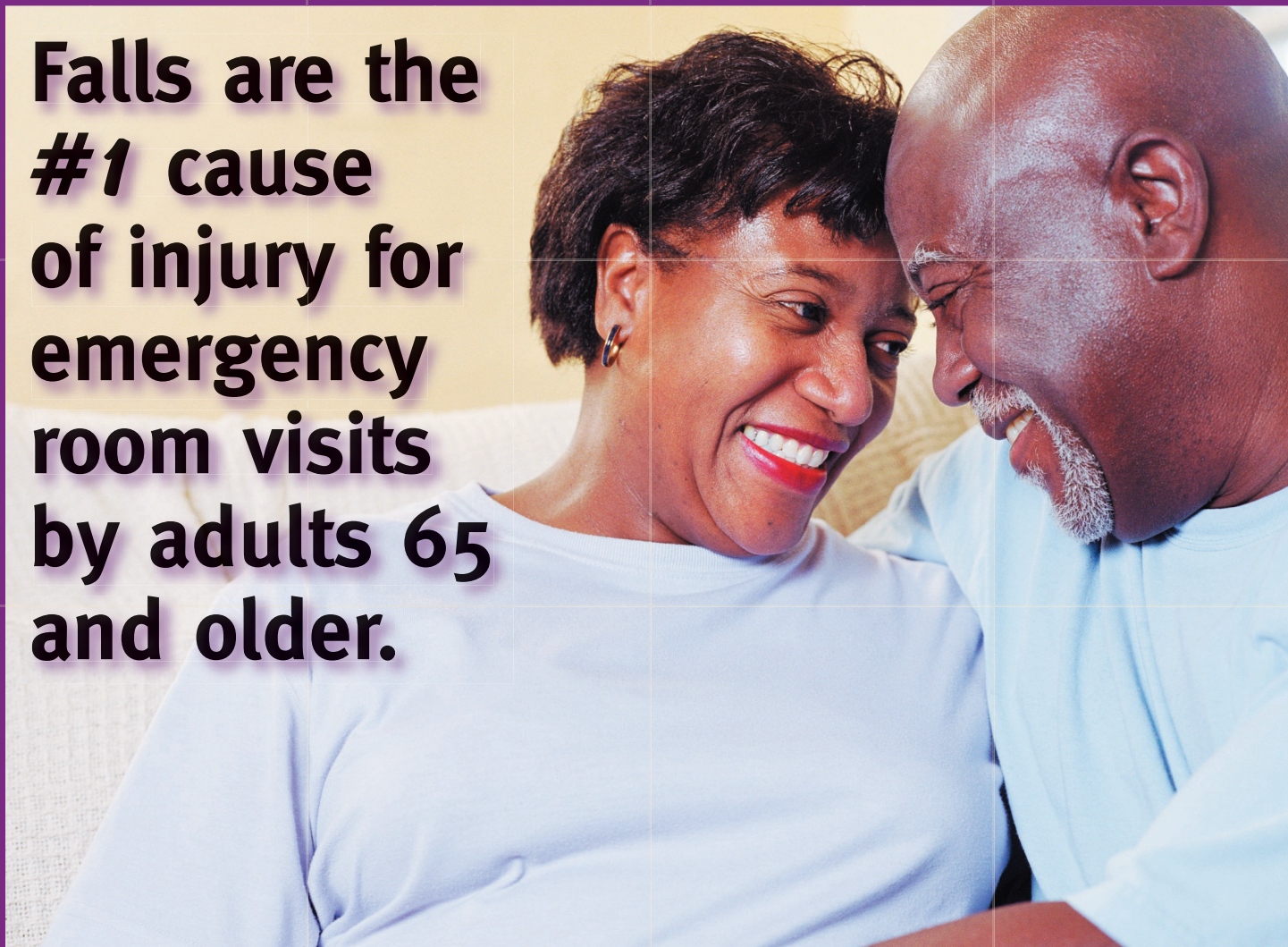


**Falls are the  
#1 cause  
of injury for  
emergency  
room visits  
by adults 65  
and older.**



**To make your home safer from slips, trips, and falls:**

- **Clear your floors of loose carpets, cords and other items you could trip over.**
- **When using stairs, always grip the handrails.**
- **Install grab bars and slip-resistant surfaces in your bathroom.**



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