



The Positioning Slide is cushioned for comfort, with handles strategically placed for use by the carer in a variety of circumstances, in both personal and institutional settings. It is used for transfers from one surface to another in conjunction with a suitable transfer board or for correct positioning into the back of a chair.



The Positioning Slide enables carers to easily position someone in the back of a chair with an open back using the strength of their legs not arms. It is used when the person is not at risk of sliding forward and doesn't need continuous repositioning. (Otherwise use our One Way Slide).

It is particularly useful for correctly positioning people on pressure cushions; seating the elderly at dining tables; or repositioning people with a disability on their wheelchairs in a day care centre after toileting.

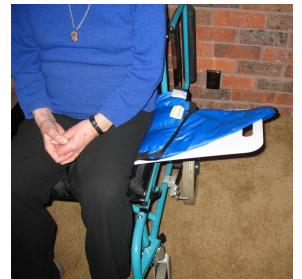


Fold the Positioning Slide with the majority out the back. Seat patient on it leaning slightly forward, their feet on the ground or on footplates. If they have challenging behaviour a second carer will support them from the front. With carer's foot in the handle press down. The patient will slide to the rear of the chair, until their back comes in contact. Continue pushing down with the leg, then pull lower layer to remove.

The Positioning Slide enables carers to move someone from one surface to another with the aid of a transfer board, for example from bed to chair, wheelchair to car seat etc. The extended handles facilitate reach and side handles for close sliding and turning.



Fold the Positioning Slide with the majority underneath, sandwich a transfer board between the layers, tilt the patient away from direction of travel and ease the positioning slide underneath them. (See left). Remove the board, place it under the lower layer. (See right).



Align the two surfaces preferably either level or slightly downward in the direction of travel (See left). Lean the patient toward the direction of travel. The carer pulls on the long handle to slide the patient across and uses the side handles to turn the patient. (See right).



Pull on lower layer to remove Positioning Slide.

The Positioning Slide is made of specially treated nylon slide sheet material.

Wash at a maximum of 60°C

Do not use fabric softener or chlorine.

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