

PATIENT-HANDLING SAFETY OBSERVATION CHECKLIST

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1. Performed egress test prior to mobilizing patient.	[]	[]	[]
2. Check to see what equipment the label (if any) specifies.	[]	[]	[]
3. Pathways clear of trip hazards.	[]	[]	[]
4. Minimum of 3-4 staff for CLOF 1, 2, or 3, repositioning and/or lateral transfers.	[]	[]	[]
5. Proper lift equipment or HoverMatt used.	[]	[]	[]
6. Working in the "strike zone."	[]	[]	[]
7. Rails dropped when tending to patient.	[]	[]	[]
8. Encourage patient participation.	[]	[]	[]

DISCUSSION AND TIME

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Patient's CLOF:

Print name:

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