

Broda Case Evaluation






Date: August 31, 2009
Facility: Imperial Healthcare
City: Naples
State/Province: FL

Resident Age: 76
Sex: Female

Resident's Specific Seating Condition and Issue(s):

Patient very rigid in hips, knees and torso, resulting in patient sliding out of standard reclining back wheelchair on at least one occasion.

Broda Model: 785 Tilt Recliner

	Fall Issues		Positioning/Comfort				Behaviors/Outlook (overall change)				
	Number of Falls	Frequency of Falls (daily, weekly, etc)	Poor	Average	Above Average	Very Good	 aggressive/unhappy	 agitated	 neutral	 happy	 sunny
Pre Broda Trial	1	Single Occurance	✓						✓		
During Broda Trial											
Immediate (if applicable)	0	-		✓					✓	✓	
Week 1 (Date: 2/2/2009)	0	-		✓					✓	✓	
Week 2 (Date: 2/09/2009)	0	-			✓				✓	✓	
Week 3 (Date: 2/16/2009)	0	-				✓			✓	✓	
Week 4 (Date: 2/23/2009)	0	-				✓			✓	✓	
Post Broda Trial (in the 2 weeks following the trial)	0	-				✓			✓	✓	

Observations and Comments

Prior to Broda Trial - Solutions and Outcomes (list), observed benefits, and length of time solution was tried		
Solution	Outcome	Timeframe
1) Standard wheelchair with reclining back 2) 3)	Patient sliding forward out of wheelchair, 2° rigidity in hips	1 month
Initial Assessment of Broda Chair Impact (observed benefits and/or detriments) related to resident's overall specific seating concerns and issues:		
Upon placing resident in Broda wheelchair, she required no positioning equipment and sat upright in wheelchair.		
Final Assessment of Broda Chair Impact - Comparison to Previous Solutions and Outcomes (Observed benefits and/or detriments of Broda vs other products used):		
Patient's family ended up purchasing Broda wheelchair after patient using wheelchair for 1 month.		