



Panacea®

SIDERAIL MATTRESS RETAINER

Owner's Manual

NOTE: WARNINGS/CAUTION NOTICES in the manual apply to hazards or unsafe practices which could result in personal injury and/or property damage.

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⚠ WARNING: Check all parts for shipping damage before using. DO NOT USE IF DAMAGED, and contact Direct Supply Equipment & Furnishings. ONLY USE AUTHENTIC PANACEA REPLACEMENT PARTS.

Warnings

⚠ WARNING: DO NOT OPERATE THIS EQUIPMENT WITHOUT FIRST READING AND UNDERSTANDING THIS MANUAL and the MANUAL(S) for the accompanying bed and accessories (if applicable). IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO UNDERSTAND THE WARNINGS, CAUTIONS OR INSTRUCTIONS, CONTACT A HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONAL OR A QUALIFIED TECHNICIAN BEFORE USING THIS EQUIPMENT. OTHERWISE INJURY OR DAMAGE MAY RESULT.

⚠ WARNING: Close supervision by a caregiver is necessary when this product is used near CHILDREN OR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES.

⚠ WARNING: When operating or moving the bed, always ensure the individual using the bed is positioned properly within the confines of the bed. **DO NOT** let any extremities protrude over the side or between the rails when performing these functions.

⚠ WARNING: After installation and before use, make sure all attaching hardware is secure.

⚠ WARNING: The mattress should be a healthcare-type mattress to allow proper bed articulation. The mattress must be properly sized to meet entrapment zone dimensional guidelines published by the FDA.

⚠ WARNING: Body weight should be evenly distributed over the surface of the bed. The bed weight capacity is 500 lbs. This is the total weight of the resident, mattress, bedding, head and foot boards, siderails and any other accessories.

⚠ WARNING: Unplug the power cord when performing any maintenance on the bed.

⚠ WARNING: Risk of serious injury or death. These products are intended only for use with the Panacea 3500 Bed. Never use these products on any other bed; the use of this product with any other bed could result in an unproven or unsafe configuration, potentially resulting in serious injury or death.

⚠ WARNING: An optimal bed system assessment should be conducted on each resident by a qualified clinician or medical provider to ensure maximum safety of the resident. The assessment should be conducted within the context of, and in compliance with, the state and federal guidelines related to the use of restraints and bed system entrapment guidance, including the Clinical Guidance for the Assessment and Implementation of Side Rails published by the Hospital Bed Safety Workgroup of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration. Further information can be obtained at the following web address: <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/ProductsandMedicalProcedures/GeneralHospitalDevicesandSupplies/HospitalBeds/default.htm>

⚠ WARNING: A licensed healthcare provider should investigate the potential risk of entrapment on an individual basis. When assessing the risk of entrapment, consider your bed, mattress, head/foot panels, assist devices and other accessories as a system. It also is extremely important to review the resident's physical and mental condition and initiate an appropriate individual care plan to address entrapment risk. *This product is only one part of your healthcare bed system. Proper combinations of mattress, head/foot panels and assist devices are needed to minimize the risk of entrapment.*

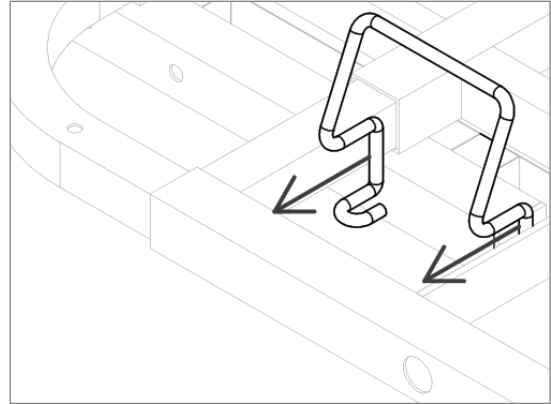
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Installation

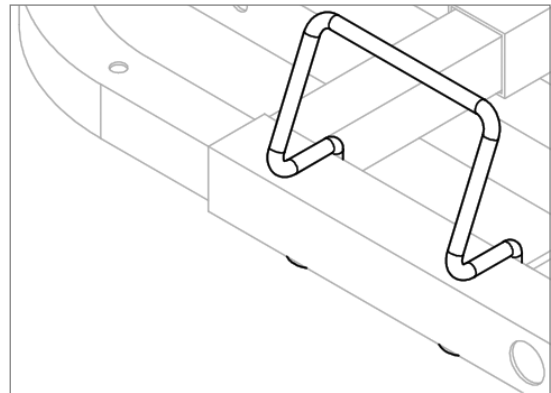
Required Tools: None

Mattress retainers (3040077BEI) should be installed at each side as close to the corner of the bed to assist in maintaining proper alignment of the mattress during bed use. In order for the retainers to be effective, the mattress should allow bed articulation and be 6" thick by 36" wide with a length conforming to the sleep deck length (76", 80" or 84"). Mattress retainers should be installed prior to installation of any deck-mounted siderails or assist bars.

1. Place the mattress retainer (3040077BEI) at an opening on the inside of each side of the head and foot deck.



2. Push the mattress retainer onto the deck.



Ensure the retainers hold the mattress securely to prevent mattress slippage during head and foot deck articulation.

Reducing the Risk of Entrapment

The Hospital Bed Safety Workgroup (HBSW) in partnership with the FDA has recognized potential entrapment zones in hospital bed systems and has developed dimensional guidance to reduce the risk of entrapment. The FDA considers the term "hospital bed system" to encompass the bed frame and its components, including the mattress, bed siderails, head and foot boards, and any accessories to the bed.

The entrapment zones involve the relationship of components controlled by the healthcare community or individual user. Compliance to the dimensional guidelines for reducing the risk of entrapment is primarily the responsibility of the healthcare community or the individual user.

Anyone having any involvement with hospital bed systems should review and understand the FDA guidelines. These guidelines, titled "Hospital Bed System Dimensional and Assessment Guidance to Reduce Entrapment - Guidance for Industry and FDA Staff," are available at the FDA website.

Maintenance

Routine Inspection

Review “**REDUCING THE RISK OF ENTRAPMENT**” listed in this manual.
Review and inspect for compliance the “**WARNINGS**” listed in this manual.
Inspect all components for damage or excessive wear.

Cleaning

Clean with a mild solution of antiseptic cleaner and warm water. Read and follow all label instructions on the cleaning products. DO NOT STEAM OR PRESSURE WASH.

Limited Warranty

We offer to you, as the original purchaser, a warranty for the Panacea® Siderail Mattress Retainer. Our warranty applies for the limited warranty period stated below. If any device or device part listed below is defective in material or workmanship during the applicable limited warranty period, we will repair or replace it at our cost. Please note that the decision to repair or replace a device or device part will be at our discretion. Our warranty applies only if the device is properly maintained by the original purchaser for normal, indoor use and does not cover normal wear and tear, modification of the device or damage caused by abuse, improper use, failure to maintain, use which exceeds the published device limitations or the combination of any device with another product. In addition, our warranty does not cover fading, colorfastness, stains, spills or exposure to chemicals, odors, heat or light. In certain cases, we may provide you repair or adjustment instructions and/or replacement parts, and ask you to perform a repair or adjustment or replace a defective part.

Our warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights, which vary from state to state. Please note that our limited warranty period begins when we ship the device to you. The limited warranty period and our obligations under the warranty end once you transfer the device to someone else or at the end of the applicable limited warranty period identified below, whichever is earlier.

	Warranty Period (Parts Only)	Anticipated Usable Device Life
Panacea® Side Rail Mattress Retainer	3 years	3 years

Anticipated Usable Device Life is based on normal use with proper maintenance, cleaning and storage. You should still inspect, monitor and care for the device as described in this guide, as the device may need to be replaced sooner than anticipated in particular situations.

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Customer Service

Our promise to you is that you will have a convenient and easy ordering experience, receive a quality Panacea Siderail Mattress Retainer and enjoy outrageous customer service. If you have any questions about the retainer you have purchased or would like to request warranty service, please contact: **Direct Supply Equipment & Furnishings** at 1-800-634-7328, 6767 N. Industrial Road, Milwaukee, WI 53223, or at SalesSupport@DirectSupply.com.



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