

Manual Handling Risk Assessment

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		DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE
		Score	Score	Score	Score	Score	Score
Weight Bearing							
Can weight bear unaided	0						
Weight bear with 1 person or utilises aid	1						
Weight bear with 2 person assist.	3						
Unable to weight bear.	7						
Use Of Limbs							
Can use all limbs unaided	0						
Unable / restricted use of 1 leg.	3						
Unable / restricted use of both leg.	6						
Unable / restricted use of 1 arm.	2						
Unable / restricted use of both arms.	5						
Mental State							
Anxious	1						
Confused / Disorientated	2						
Communication difficulty	4						
Uncooperative.	5						
Skin Condition							
Bruising / Discolouration	1						
Oedematous	2						
Dry / Cracked / Thin	2						
Wounds / Emaciated / Poor circulation.	2-4						
Pain							
Mild generalised pain.	1						
Mild pain on movement.	1						
Severe pain on movement.	2						
Severe generalised pain.	3						
Requires analgesia before movement.	3						
Contenance							
Incontinent of Urine	1						
Incontinent of faeces	1						
Weight							
<55 kg	0						
55 to 70 kg	2						
70 to 90 kg.	3						
> 90 kg.	4						
Special Risks							
Neurological Deficit / Giddiness	1-4						
Cast / Brace / Traction	1-3						
Spinal Injury	1-3						
Medical Devices Score 1 for each device							
Catheter, I.V.I., Drain, TCOM, Monitor, pumps	0-6						
Total Score							
Low Risk	0-10						
Medium Risk	11-19						
High Risk	> 20						