

EASY MOVER

INSTALLATION/ OPERATION MANUAL

056-352



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This manual covers installation and operation procedures for the following Easy Mover products:

#056-352 Easy Mover, Standard

INTRODUCTION

The Easy Mover is a high-density polyethylene patient transport board that offers high-impact strength, excellent abrasion resistance, tensile strength and resistance to stress cracks.

Semi-rigid and radiolucent, the Easy Mover allows the patient to remain on the board during imaging procedures. Often only one person is required to complete a move. Four strong straps, two on each side, are positioned for gripping and sliding the mover while the patient is on it. The straps are easily replaced for sanitation.

The Easy Mover is durable, light-weight and can be stored away when not in use.

INSTRUCTIONS

Transferring The Patient From One Support To Another

1. Move the transport device next to the patient's bed. If necessary, anchor both transport device and bed.
2. Position the Easy Mover beneath the patient by performing either of the following operations, depending on the patient's condition:
 - Using the log roll method, gently roll the patient so that he is on his side, place the Easy Mover beneath him, and then gently lay him back down.
 - Grabbing a hold of the sheet beneath the patient to raise him slightly, place the Easy Mover beneath him, and then gently lower him.
3. Grip the two straps on either side and slide the Easy Mover and patient onto the transport device. If the latter is at a different level, grip the lower straps and move the feet first, so that the patient stretches diagonally across both the table and the transport device. Complete the move by gripping the upper straps to slide the head completely onto the transport device.

Extricating The Patient From An Emergency Situation

1. Take a moment to assess the patient's condition and position to come up with a procedure corresponding to the situation. The flexibility of the Easy Mover will allow you to adapt it for most emergencies.
2. Taking a firm hold of the patient's clothing towards the head or feet, *carefully* lift the patient just enough to slide the Easy Mover beneath him. Depending on the situation, you may have to use a variation of the log roll method as well, or even slowly slide the Easy Mover beneath the patient without lifting him.
3. Grip the straps required to remove the patient from the emergency situation. Then two attendants, by gripping the two straps on the both sides of the Easy Mover, can carry the patient to the ambulance.

Taking A Patient Off The Easy Mover

Simply reverse which one of the two procedures you used to position the Easy Mover beneath the patient, as described above.

Replacing The Hand Straps

Separate the Velcro® hook from its loop on the strap and pull apart. Slide the strap out of the hole on the Easy Mover.

Put a new strap through the hole on the mover, take the end through the strap loop and press the Velcro® hook firmly onto the loop. Pull on the strap to ensure that it is firmly attached.



MAINTENANCE

We recommend the surface be sprayed with a static inhibitor, once sprayed, it will remain effective for several cleanings. Use a soft soap and water or a pure detergent. If you wax your Easy Mover to make it easier to slide, bear in mind that you increase the static potential. If the straps become soiled, they may be replaced.

SPECIFICATIONS

056-352 Easy Mover

Dimensions: 23" w x 73" l x .19" thick (58 x 183 x .48 cm)

Weight: 2 lb (1 kg)

REPLACEMENT

056-350 Straps, Handle, 4/set

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