Hill-Rom® Safe Transfers and Movement™ Program
Solutions for a Sustainable Safe Patient Handling Program
Your Program to Implement

The Safe Transfers and Movement™ Program is a multifaceted, programmatic approach with flexible options to support implementing your Safe Patient Handling and Mobility (SPHM) practices. The goals of SPHM are to reduce caregiver injuries and improve patient care.

The Safe Transfers and Movement™ Program includes online resources, education workshops, and consultative services – offering you:

- A detailed, organized framework
- Ready-made, customizable tools
- Adoptable templates
- Idea-generating content

Steps of a successful Safe Patient Handling Program:

1. **UNDERSTAND THE CHALLENGE**
   - Build awareness with education
   - Measure the baseline

2. **GAIN ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT**
   - Develop a business case
   - Gain leadership alignment

3. **DESIGN YOUR PROGRAM**
   - Conduct a facility and risk assessment
   - Build policies, procedures, and protocols

4. **CHOOSE AND USE EQUIPMENT**
   - Select products to support procedures
   - Learn how to use them

5. **IMPLEMENT THE PROGRAM**
   - Train your team on your new protocol
   - Lead culture change

6. **MEASURE IMPROVEMENT**
   - Calculate clinical outcomes
   - Measure financial success
The Safe Transfers and Movement™ Program has been developed and is supported by clinical subject matter experts.
Our team of Safe Patient Handling Clinical Consultants and Mobility Specialists is at your disposal.
SPHM practices align with your patient care initiatives to prevent injuries and reduce costs. Implementing a program formalizes the initiative within your organization, sets expectations and measures performance. A successful program includes the following factors:

- **A TOP-DOWN COMMITMENT** – investment in people, process and technology
- **APPROPRIATE STRUCTURAL CHANGE** – including a SPH committee and coordinator as well as champions throughout the organization
- **ADVOCACY FROM THE ORGANIZATION** – instituting policies, procedures and required education
- **EQUIPMENT SELECTION AND PROCUREMENT** – the right equipment, in the right quantities, in the right locations based on your risk and needs as identified during a facility assessment
- **EVIDENCE OF CHANGE** – proof positive the initiative is making an impact

To support your SPHM program, Hill-Rom has designed tools and resources to ensure you have the framework necessary for your success. Each step is designed to facilitate the progress of your organization through program design, implementation and measurement.

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**Factors for Your Success**

**It’s Your Program – We’re Here to Support You**

**The Hill-Rom® Difference**

The Safe Transfers and Movement™ Program is available across the United States and Canada, in close partnership with our customers. This allows us to continuously enhance the program with new knowledge, tools and education to meet your emerging needs as your safe patient handling program advances and matures.

This program has been developed and is supported by Hill-Rom’s Safe Patient Handling Directors. These clinical experts are certified safe patient handling professionals and hold several years of experience with site implementation of Safe Patient Handling and Movement programs. They also partner with key industry organizations and are well-recognized in the Safe Patient Handling industry for speaking engagements and publications.

Hill-Rom offers you an online toolkit, educational courses and consultative services – the resources you need to build a customized program aligned with your goals.
Your Options, Your Resources

Online Toolkit

This toolkit is designed to be a self-guided, one-stop resource for all of your program needs offering a step-by-step approach with tools, industry research and information, and customizable templates to support your program development and implementation.

Visit www.hill-rom.com/STAMP for more information.

Education

In conjunction with our program tools we offer many opportunities for additional education.

- Continuing education
  - Safe Patient Handling and Mobility 101†
  - Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy
  - The Bariatric Patient: Promoting Safe Transfers and Movement
  - Safe Patient Handling and Mobility Clinical Solutions Course
  - Safe Patient Handling and Mobility Coordinator Training
- Online learning for your products at www.hill-rom.com/education
  - Liko® Lift demonstration videos
  - Bed features, alarms and positioning
  - Designing patient room environments
  - IT technical training

CE courses are available in person or online via HealthStream™.
† Also available online.

Continuing education courses offer one CE hour under the California Board of Nursing license # CEP8052.

Liko® Clinical Solutions Course

Designed for caregivers wanting to learn more about the SPH Industry and the Liko® patient handling solutions, this 1-day (3 CE offering) course provides thorough education on patient handling situations and demonstrating hands-on application of various solutions and techniques for transferring and moving patients.

Additional courses available for caregivers wanting more in-depth education on a variety of Safe Patient Handling topics.
Safe Patient Handling Coordinator Training

The SPHM Coordinator class provides guidance for the designated person(s) in your facility who will manage your SPH Program. Areas of discussion include the SPHM industry, program management, and techniques for gaining program support and driving culture change. This 1-day course provides education and resources to support your coordinator in implementing your SPHM program.

Advancing Mobility Practices Consulting Service*

A full-day workshop at your facility for your key stakeholders to define and create your SPH Program plan. Led by one of Hill-Rom’s Safe Patient Handling Clinical Consultants, your team will be guided through our implementation process to design your program and establish an action plan for implementation.

This program also includes 2 days of Advanced Mobility Champion Training designed to “train your trainer” unit-champions to support intrinsic knowledge, program ownership and culture change. Advanced Mobility Champion training utilizes the mobility assessment tool and the policy and procedures specifically created with your team and customized for your facility.

Consultative Services*

Hill-Rom offers consultative services to support program success. Certain situations call for added support for challenges that may include: existing programs not meeting expected goals, units lacking compliance to policy, or clinical situations and patient populations requiring expert consultation. Our Clinical Consultants are all certified safe patient handling professionals and can offer a program assessment and consult on initiatives to get you back on track to achieve your goals.

* These solutions are fee-based. For more information on these services and others listed here, contact your local Hill-Rom representative.
Hill-Rom is a leading global medical technology company whose products, services and more than 10,000 employees worldwide help people get better care inside and outside the hospital. Our innovations in five core areas – Advancing Mobility, Wound Care and Prevention, Patient Monitoring and Diagnostics, Surgical Safety and Efficiency, and Respiratory Health – improve clinical and economic outcomes and ensure caregivers in more than 100 countries have the products they need to protect their patients, speed up recoveries and manage conditions. Every day, around the world, we enhance outcomes for patients and their caregivers. Learn more at hill-rom.com.