

# BASIC-CHECK® IN-SERVICE REVIEW

## for BED

### PROPER INSTALLATION OF THE BED-CHECK® BASIC-CHECK SYSTEM ON A BED

For more information, consult Basic-Check System User Guide



**A.** Remove Sensormat from plastic bag. Attach a rubber band and clip to each end of the Sensormat. This important step will keep the Sensormat positioned correctly on the mattress to ensure reliability. The Sensormat will work with either side facing up.

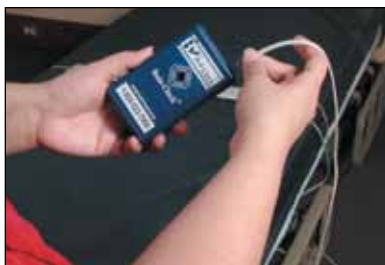


**B.** Make sure all sheets and covers are pulled down to the foot of the bed. Place Sensormat 3 to 5 inches below the bend in the mattress.



**C.** Attach the alligator clips to the fabric of the mattress, mattress piping or bed springs on both sides. You may now reposition sheets and covers.

Record date Sensormat put in use on cord tag.



**D.** Plug the Sensormat's phone-style jack into the Basic-Check control unit.

**IMPORTANT:** Use only Bed-Check Sensormats with the Basic-Check to avoid known reliability problems associated with inferior mats sold as "equivalent".



**E.** To secure the unit out of reach of the patient/resident, attach the Basic-Check control unit to the bed frame\* or the headboard, using the wire hanger or the Velcro® backing.

\*Not directly under the mattress fold, to avoid urine damage.



**F.** Help the patient/resident into bed. The control unit will arm itself automatically. It will beep one time to indicate monitoring. On newer units an LED indicator light on the front will also blink to indicate monitoring mode.



**G.** When the patient/resident attempts to exit the bed, an alarm will sound in the room. Press **Reset** once to cancel alarm. Unit will monitor again automatically if patient returns to bed.



**H.** To remove the patient from the bed, first assist him/her up, briefly allowing the Basic-Check to alarm. Press **Reset** once to silence the alarm, putting Basic-Check into standby mode. Monitoring will automatically resume when the patient's weight returns to the Sensormat.

### IMPORTANT:

Check for System Effectiveness Daily and/or at shift change.

Always check correct positioning of Sensormat after any alarm.

Use Bed-Check products only to maintain Bed-Check warranty and to ensure system compatibility.

The physical characteristics, habits and factors that make each patient at risk for falls are different and may change daily. Please reassess as necessary.

The Basic-Check provides an audible alarm only. For use with nurse call system, consult Bed-Check for other systems.

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# BASIC-CHECK® IN-SERVICE REVIEW

## for CHAIR

### PROPER INSTALLATION OF THE BED-CHECK® BASIC-CHECK SYSTEM ON A CHAIR

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**A.** Remove Sensormat from plastic container. Use the adhesive strips on the back of Sensormat to keep it properly positioned and to ensure reliability. Usually the Sensormat should be placed in the seat about 4" from the back of the chair, across the width of the seat.



**B.** Plug the Chair Sensormat's telephone-style jack into the Basic-Check control unit.

**IMPORTANT:** Use only Sensormats manufactured by Bed-Check with the Basic-Check control unit.



**C.** To secure the unit out of reach of the patient/resident, attach the Basic-Check control unit to the back of the chair using either the standard metal hanger or the Velcro® on the back. Record date Sensormat put in use on cord tag.



**D.** Seat the patient in the chair. The Basic-Check will arm itself and begin monitoring automatically. It will beep one time to indicate monitoring is beginning.



**E.** When the patient attempts to exit the chair or leans too far forward, the alarm will sound immediately. Alarm requires immediate intervention, but will silence and restart monitoring if the patient sits back down.



**F.** When an alarm sounds, first assist the patient. The alarm may be silenced by seating the patient on the Sensormat, automatically putting Basic-Check into monitor mode. Otherwise, silence the alarm by pushing **Reset**, putting Basic-Check into stand-by mode.



**G.** To remove the patient/resident from the chair, first assist him/her up, briefly allowing the Basic-Check to alarm. Press **Reset** to silence the alarm, putting the Basic-Check into stand-by mode.



#### Seat Belt Installation:

1. Lay Belt across seat.
2. Unscrew the two screws holding the back edge of the wheelchair seat in place.
3. Replace the screws, placing each screw through the metal eyelet at the end of the Belt.
4. Clip a monitor to the back of the wheelchair. With the Seat Belt buckle latched, connect the Seat Belt cable into the jack on the monitor. The monitor should emit a confirmation tone.



### IMPORTANT:

Check for System Effectiveness Daily and/or at shift change.

Always check correct positioning of Sensormat after any alarm.

Use Bed-Check products to maintain Bed-Check warranty and to ensure system compatibility.

The physical characteristics, habits and factors that make each patient at risk for falls are different and may change daily. Please reassess as necessary.



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