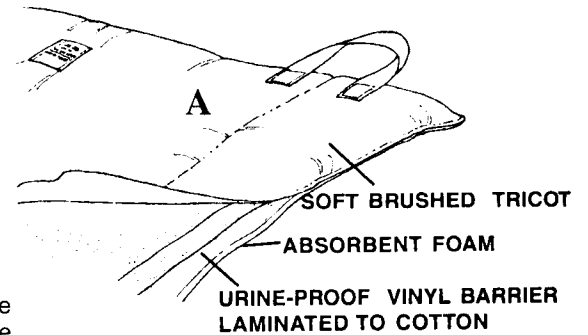
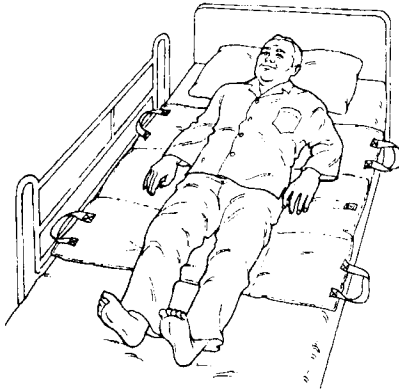


TLC Pad

Reorder #	Description	Size	Unit
555015	TLC Pad	40" X 48"	Each



Purpose

Skil-Care's TLC Pad is both an incontinence bed protection pad and an effective device for turning and positioning patients. This launderable, three layer pad (See illustration A.) absorbs and wicks away moisture caused by incontinence, perspiration, or wound drainage. The moisture-proof barrier protects linens and mattress. Side handles allow caregivers to turn and position patients.

Instructions

1. Place TLC Pad on bed with handles to the left and right sides. Make certain that the label reading "Absorbent Side-Place Face Up on Bed" is facing up. (See illustration B.)
2. When turning a patient, make certain that the bed rail on the side toward which he is being turned is raised as a precaution against the resident rolling off the bed. Stand on the side of the bed toward which the patient is to be turned - Grasp both handles using an overhand grip and roll the patient toward you. (See illustration C.)
3. **Important safety notice.** Back injury may result if one caregiver attempts to turn a heavy patient. Two caregivers may be required. Each caregiver must have a two-handed, overhand grip on one handle. (See illustration D.)
4. A positioning wedge should be placed behind the patient to keep him supported on his side. (See illustration E.) Note: Skil-Care's In-Bed Positioning System, Model # 555036, includes two non-slip positioning bolsters and an incontinent-proof pad. (See illustration F.)

