

TLR Sit/Stand Lift

A sit/stand lift should be considered for a client who is not able to:

- achieve standing and/or
- stand steady for 20 seconds with or without stabilizing

A sit/stand lift is used by a minimum of two workers.

The sit/stand lift is appropriate for the client who:

- can achieve and maintain a sitting position either independently or with guiding/stabilizing; AND
- at the time of the move, and for the duration of the move:
 - is cooperative, understands and responds appropriately to simple instructions
 - has limited weight bearing ability
 - has ability to grasp a handle w/at least one hand
 - may need to remain in a sitting position
 - may have inability to take steps
 - may be disproportionate in size and/or weight to the worker's size and/or weight
 - prefers to be moved by a sit/stand lift

Ensure the client's legs remain parallel and hips neutral unless otherwise specified by a doctor's order.

Workers always consider the risk of abusive/violent behaviour, be trained to recognize potentially violent situations, as well as how to respond to and report violent incidents.



Refer to the TLR User Manual for additional information