

**Safe Patient Handling Equipment:**  
**HoverMatt® PROS™ Air**  
**SKILL CHECKLIST FOR BOOSTING/REPOSITIONING**

Equipment: HoverMatt PROS Air	<b>Name (print):</b>
Validator (print):	<b>Date:</b>
	<b>Patient Care Unit/Dept.:</b>

	<i>Performance Criteria</i>	<i>Validator Initials</i>
	Ensures patient is centered on the PROS Air.	
	If using a single caregiver, raises the side rails.	
	To ease boosting efforts, places bed in Trendelenburg prior to safely boosting.	
	Places the air supply at a convenient location.	
	Inserts the hose nozzle into either of two hose entries at foot end of PROS Air and snap into place.	
	When the matt is fully inflated, uses the handles under the edge of the matt to boost/center patient into proper placement on the bed.	
	Uses the adjustable setting on the air supply to straighten the matt to remove any wrinkles.	
	Presses the standby button to stop airflow.	
	Brings patient and bed back to a flat position.	
	Removes hose. Attaches Velcro connecting straps to bedframe to keep matt in place and reduce migration.	
	Follows facility's protocol regarding raising the head of the bed and side rails.	

The above skills have been successfully demonstrated:	I agree with the Validator that I feel competent performing the above skills:
	<b>X</b>