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TO INFINITY... AND BEYOND!

There can be little argument from anyone that 2020 has been a challenging year for the safe patient handling and mobility (SPHM) industry. Not only have we had the ongoing and uphill climb of convincing C-suite executives of the need to invest in SPHM technology, but we have also had the added disruption caused by the COVID-19 pandemic which has displaced SPHM once again from healthcare organizations' list of priorities. Staff struggle just to get through the day, and when their shift is over, they have little time for anything else.

There is, however, one very important factor to consider. We know when staff become stressed they are more susceptible to injury. It will be interesting to see whether the pandemic and its associated work/life stressors have indeed increased the number of musculoskeletal injuries to healthcare professionals.

There is one thing this pandemic has shown all who are involved with the SPHM industry and that is that the "new normal" will not be the same normal we had before the pandemic hit our shores in March 2020. Many adaptions have already been made. Training and educating staff on technologies has become a more explicit hybrid model of in-person and online training, with smaller groups of people being taught together, and a socially distant learning environment. Vendors have also found new ways to reach out to their existing and new clients that have involved less travel and more focused discussion through virtual technologies. Some vendors have even added to their portfolio during this time, diversifying into new product areas that meet the present needs of health care.

While none of us know what the end of 2021 will look like, there is one thing I know with 100% certainty. We need to embrace the changes we have made, learn from them, keep what is good, lose what hasn't worked, and be totally open to new ways of working. Only then can we embrace 2021 with a positivity that seeks to grasp the opportunities around us and allow them to take SPHM to the next level, *to infinity and beyond*.

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Welcome to the 2021 edition of the SPHM Vendor Directory & Resource Guide! The purpose of the directory is to provide a quick reference guide of key vendors in the industry who have been working tirelessly throughout the pandemic to support healthcare workers with the products and services needed in a timely manner.

We are also excited to announce that we have a "virtual" edition of the directory with a search function and product videos.

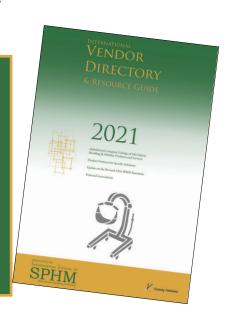
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Share a link to the 2021 Vendor Directory and Resource Guide with colleagues via email or social media. Anyone can download the PDF for free from the website at https://sphmjournal.com/vendor-directory/.

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We would like to thank all our vendors for choosing to be part of this directory.

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FLOOR LIFTS





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SLINGS & BELTS

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PRODUCT FEATURES

This section of the vendor directory is designed to help you find specific types of equipment, services, or resources based on type. Our current categories include the following:

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Are there products you would like to see featured?

Do you have products to feature?

Email (info@sphmjournal.com) to be included next year!

BATHING/SHOWERING/TOILETING



Product Name: Carendo®

Product Information: The *Carendo* multipurpose hygiene chair facilitates an efficient hygiene and showering routine within a single transfer. The Care Raiser function enables you to gently lift your patient or resident's lower body with the touch of a button, allowing access for performing discreet hygiene tasks while maintaining the patient or resident's dignity.

See company listing on page 8 (Arjo Inc).

BARIATRIC SOLUTIONS



Product Name: Hercules Patient Repositioner™

Product Information: Using the Hercules Patient Repositioner[™], one caregiver can safely boost a patient in seconds. The patient lies on a soft sheet pulled by an easy-to-use drive, moving the patient up in bed with the simple push of a button. This process preserves the patient's dignity --and protects the caregiver's back.

See company listing on page 12 (Sizewise).



Product Name: Z-Slider™ XL Patient Transfer Sheet

Product Information: The Z-Slider™ XL patient transfer sheet helps prevent healthcare worker back injuries during patient handling. Longer and wider than the standard Z-Slider™ sheet, the Z-Slider™ XL patient transfer sheet is designed to move bariatric and taller patients. The Z-Slider™ XL sheet is offered in a convenient single-pack.

See company listing on page 6 (Ansell Healthcare).



Product Name: HoverMatt[™] and HoverMatt[™] Single-Patient Use

Product Information: Move patients of all sizes in a safe and dignified manner with the HoverMatt * Air Transfer System. Full-sized HoverMatts have a weight limit of 1200lbs, are radiolucent and MRI compatible, and reduce the force required to move patients by 80-90%.

See company listing on page 9 (HoverTech International).



Product Name: Tenor®

Product Information: The *Tenor* mobile floor lift is specifically designed for lifting and transferring bariatric patients or residents. The lightweight aluminium structure provides a safe working load of 704 lb and the design enables 360-degree movement of the patient during transfer and positioning.

See company listing on page 8 (Arjo Inc).



Product Name: HoverJack® Air Patient Lift

Product Information: The HoverJack* Air Patient Lift has a 1000 lb weight limit and allows caregivers to safely lift individuals who have fallen without gathering a lift team.

See company listing on page 9 (HoverTech International).

CAR TRANSFER



Product Name: Maxi Twin® Compact

Product Information: The *Maxi Twin Compact* is designed for tight spaces and efficient and safe transfers. By utilizing the easy positioning and smooth maneuvering, caregivers are able to transfer patients with a comfortable working posture and less physical exertion.

See company listing on page 8 (Arjo Inc).

CEILING LIFTS



Product Name: GH3

Product Information: It is designed for use in almost all professional care settings, and with a lifting capacity of up to 400 kg on a single strap, it is ideal for use in bariatric care. The GH3+ ceiling hoist can be fitted with one or more modules from the Guldmann Care Lift Management (CLM) system, which streamlines everyday use of the ceiling hoist system and helps make it more efficient.

See company listing on page 9 (Guldmann).



Product Name: Tollos Ceiling Lifts

Product Information: At Tollos, we design our ceiling lifts ergonomically; mindful of both patient comfort and clinician safety. Our lifts offer a secure ride, durability, and are easy to maintain & operate.

See company listing on page 13 (Tollos).



Product Name: Maxi Sky® 2

Product Information: The *Maxi Sky 2* ceiling lift series delivers a complete and intuitive patient handling solution that assists you in safeguarding the well-being of everyone during the transfer process. The ceiling lifts are designed to accommodate a single caregiver transfer without any manual lifting. Available in an Infection Control version with features to help minimize the risks of cross infection in ceiling lift transfers.

See company listing on page 8 (Arjo Inc).

CONSULTANTS

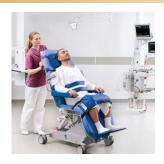


Product Name: Diligent® Consulting

Product Information: *Diligent Consulting* is Arjo's three-year clinical solutions partnership program that supports health care facilities by promoting early, safe mobility through guaranteed improved outcomes. For the past 20 years, *Diligent Consulting* has delivered an average 84% reduction in the number of patient handling related injuries across more than 800 facilities. New program components include Falls Prevention and ICU Recovery.

See company listing on page 8 (Arjo Inc).

EARLY MOBILITY



Product Name: Sara® Combilizer

Product Information: With a focus on ICU recovery, *Sara Combilizer* enables unconscious, sedated or mechanically ventilated patients to be mobilized in different standing or sitting positions for several hours per day.

See company listing on page 8 (Arjo Inc).



Product Name: GH3+ Trainer Module

Product Information: With the Trainer Module, it is possible to start rehabilitation with dynamic weight relief already in the patient's room. Typical rehabilitation exercises with dynamic weight relief in the Trainer Module could be: Gait training, balance, sit-to-stand, squat exercises, steps on/over obstacles etc.

See company listing on page 7 (Guldmann)

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Product Name: Total Lift® Bed

Product Information: The *Total Lift Bed* is an advanced, upright positioning bed that can progressively move patients to a full standing and weight-bearing position in order to aid rehabilitation early in the acute phase of critical illness. Without leaving the bed, patients who need a graded transition from bed rest to supporting their full body weight can be progressively moved to the standing position as early and frequently as tolerated.

See company listing on page 8 (Arjo Inc).

FRICTION-REDUCING DEVICES



Product Name: HoverMatt™ and HoverMatt™ Single-Patient Use

Product Information: The HoverMatt* Air Transfer System reduces the force required to move patients by 80-90%.

See company listing on page 9 (HoverTech International).



Product Name: Z-Slider[™] Patient Transfer Sheet

Product Information: The Z-Slider[™] patient transfer sheet helps prevent healthcare worker back injuries during patient handling. Disposable to help prevent cross contamination, the Z-Slider[™] sheet is offered in a variety of point-of-care dispensers to promote staff compliance.

See company listing on page 6 (Ansell Healthcare).



Product Name: AirPal* Air-assisted Technology

Product Information: The *AirPal* system creates easier, safer transfers that prevents pain and skin breakdown for patients/residents. Without tugging or pulling, *AirPal* uses a cushion of air to safely transfer and reduce the risk of caregiver injury.

See company listing on page 8 (Arjo Inc).

FOCUS ON FALLS



Product Name: HoverJack* Air Patient Lift

Product Information: The HoverJack* Air Patient Lift allows caregivers to safely lift individuals who have fallen without gathering a lift team.

See company listing on page 10 (Hovertech International).



Product Name: Sara® Stedy

Product Information: The *Sara Stedy* enables a single caregiver to assist patients or residents throughout the day. *Sara Stedy* is non-powered and easy to operate.

See company listing on page 8 (Arjo Inc).

MOBILE LIFTS



Product Name: Vancare Mobile Lifts

Product Information: VANCARE offers a wide array of full body, sit-to-stand, and bariatric mobile floor lifts to safely transfer people while significantly reducing the risk of injuries among caregivers. Our assortment includes models that accommodate people weighing up to 1000 lbs.

See company listing on page 13 (Vancare, Inc).



Product Name: Tollos Mobile Lifts

Product Information: At Tollos, we design our mobile lifts ergonomically; keeping both patient comfort and clinician safety in mind. Our lifts are perfect for patient mobility, repositioning, gait training, and rehabilitation activities.

See company listing on page 13 (Tollos).

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Product Name: Maxi Move*

Product Information: The *Maxi Move* is designed to enable a single caregiver to manage demanding everyday patient transfer and repositioning tasks. With its Dynamic Positioning System (DPS), *Maxi Move* helps prevent the sling from swinging during transfers and provides excellent stability.

See company listing on page 8 (Arjo Inc).

PATIENT TRANSPORT



Product Name: Sage AirTAP LC

Lift Compatible Patient Repositioning System

Product Information: We understand the importance of early mobility. To achieve your mobility protocols and comply with guidelines, you need a readily available solution that stays under your patients and fits seamlessly into your workflow. That's why we combined our innovative air assist technology with lift compatibility to promote safety and mobility.

See company listing on page 13 (Stryker).

SEATING SOLUTIONS



Product Name: Sorrento®

Product Information: Designed to improve and maximize comfort as well as provide postural support and pressure management, the Sorrento offers clinical, therapeutic seating in a simple to operate, adjustable chair. A bariatric version is also available.

See company listing on page 8 (Arjo Inc).

SLINGS



Product Name: Tollos Slings

Product Information: Put your faith in Tollos quality. Did you know reusable and disposable slings are a Class I Medical Device? At Tollos, we take compliance with federal regulations seriously. Don't compromise.

See company listing on page 13 (Tollos).



Product Name: HoverSling® Repositioning Sheet

Product Information: The HoverSling® Repositioning Sheet functions as both a HoverMatt® Single-Patient Use Air Transfer Mattress and sling to streamline patient handling tasks and decrease the amount of time and money spent using multiple products.

See company listing on page 10 (Hovertech International).

TASK SPECIFIC SOLUTIONS



Product Name: RotoProne® Therapy System

Product Information: The *RotoProne Therapy System* is a comprehensive system that provides an efficient and effective way to provide automated prone therapy at the touch of a button.

See company listing on page 8 (Arjo Inc).



Product Name: ColoWrap Colonoscopy Anti-Looping Compression Device

Product Information: ColoWrap is an easy-to-use lower abdominal compression device used to mitigate looping during colonoscopy. ColoWrap enhances the safety of colonoscopy by minimizing the need for staff applied manual pressure and patient repositioning.

See company listing on page 8 (ColoWrap).



301-628-5090 https://www.nursingworld.org/

The American Nurses Association (ANA) is the premier organization representing the interests of the nation's 4.2 million registered nurses. ANA is committed to driving initiatives that prevent unnecessary injury and keep both healthcare consumers and nurses safe.

Injuries and musculoskeletal disorders (MSD) are often caused by manually lifting patients, and all professionals are at high risk every day. The consequences can be devastating for health care professionals, MSDs are responsible for more lost work time, more long-term medical care needs, and more permanent disabilities than any other work-related injury. Through Safe Patient Handling and Mobility (SPHM) programs and advocacy, ANA is working to establish a safe environment for nurses and all health care professionals, with the complete elimination of manual patient handling as our goal. The use of technology, especially lifting devices, is critical to the success of these programs.

Coming in Late Spring 2021!

Safe Patient Handling and Mobility Interprofessional National Standards Across the Care Continuum, 2nd Edition.

These Standards have updated language with references, evidence-based resources, and a robust introduction including use of technology, the value of data, trends and issues related to SPHM, and a history of SPHM!

https://www.nursingworld.org/practice-policy/work-environment/health-safety/handle-with-care/

FEATURED ASSOCIATIONS

The Association of Safe Patient Handling Professionals www.asphp.org



Our mission is to improve the safety of caregivers and their patients by advancing the science and practices of Safe Patient Handling and Mobility (SPHM). To support this mission, we established standards for SPHM professionals to improve the quality of the patient-handling process across the continuum of care. These standards are promoted through a three-tiered certification program and educational opportunities, including webinars and national and regional events where you can collaborate with others in your field. Certified SPHM professionals add value to a health care organization by reducing workers' compensation claims costs and ultimately improving patient outcomes. Membership offers free and reduced-priced benefits.

Australian Association for the Manual Handling of People (AAMHP) www.aamph.org.au



The Australian Association for the Manual Handling of People is a voluntary group of likeminded people all striving for a common goal, "Injury prevention for both worker and client in the workplace". Established 21 years ago, we support national forums that aim to build strategies and resolve the constant issue of muscular skeletal disorders within the industries providing care to others. Ultimately, over the years we have found that we are achieving much more than this, wellbeing and resilience are words that resonate with the members, demonstrated through the accumulative works presented at our biannual international conferences.

Manual Handling Association of New Zealand

www.mhanz.org.nz



The primary aim of MHANZ is to share moving and handling knowledge in New Zealand through promotion, innovation and education. New Zealand is one of the few, if not the only western country that does not have legislative, Ministry of Health Directives or professional body/union/employer requirements in this area. In view of this, improving the credibility of MHANZ through professional development has been crucial to its progress. To date MHANZ has hosted multiple updating and networking events and is an established conduit for government and educational organisations to talk to the industry. MHANZ was integral to the introduction of the post graduate qualification in moving and handling (based on the curriculum in Loughborough University, UK). MHANZ has regional groups across the country and meetings are held 3-4 times a year.

National Back Exchange (NBE)

www.nationalbackexchange.org

NBE is a UK multi-disciplinary membership association with almost 1000 members. The primary aim of the association is to promote standards and excellence for the moving and handling of people and loads across all sectors in line with evolving research evidence. NBE members are drawn from a wide variety of clinical and healthcare settings and range from members primarily involved with training to those who are involved at a strategic level both regionally and nationally.

The association has a resource packed website, produces a range of publications, and a quarterly digital magazine nbecolumn.co.uk/ as well as providing virtual networking events and the premiere residential manual handling conference in the UK.



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