



Re-Order #	Description	Cover	Unit
306125	EZ View Padded Mitts	Polyester	Pair

### Purpose

This mitt is to be used for residents who are at risk of disrupting life-saving treatments such as pulling of IV tubes. The product also prevents excessive picking, pulling or scratching of the skin where it could result in self injury. The mitt can also be used for agitated residents who are prone to biting.

### Warning

Do not use this product on a resident who is highly aggressive or suicidal. Also, do not use on residents where a wound site could be compromised.

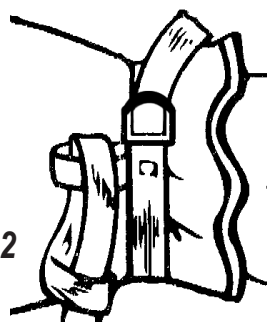
### Application

1. All mitts fit both left & right hands. The hand should be inserted in the mitt with the back of the hand visible when the flap is open.
2. The hand mitt webbing is pre-threaded with an end stop to prevent the webbing from pulling out as shown in figure 1. Place the residents hand in the mitt and tighten the strap. The strap should be tight enough not to allow the user to slide the mitt off but not too tight to compromise circulation.
3. To view the hand, the Velcro® attachment on the flaps should be opened and the flap pulled back. When closing, ensure that the flap is tucked back under the material and the Velcro® closure is fastened.
4. If the patients arm and hand movement need to be restricted use the set of looped straps supplied with the mitts. Thread the non-looped end of the strap through the loop next to the rings and loop the non-looped end through the looped end of the strap as shown in figure 2. The tie straps can now be used to secure the arms to the bed.

**Fig. 1**



**Fig. 2**



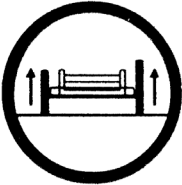
## Application (cont.)

5. Tie strap to wheelchair, bed, or geri-chair.



Always secure the tie strap to the part of the bed that moves when the patient is raised or lowered. Never attach straps to bed rails or any part of the bed that doesn't move when raised or lowered.

6. Raise and lock bed rails before leaving patient.



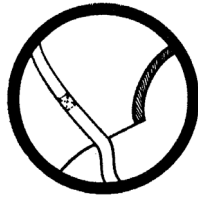
Always raise and lock bed rails when patient is wearing padded mitts that have been secured to the bed frame. Never leave bed rails in lowered position when patient is unattended.

## Easy Care

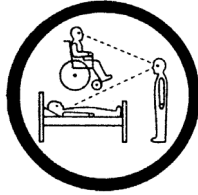
The mitt may be laundered and dried at temperatures up to 180°F (82°C). Do not use bleach. *See important warnings and cautions below.*

### Always....

Always inspect condition of device.



Always monitor patients in restrictive devices. Make certain to follow your facility's procedures for periodic release, toileting and exercise.



### Never....

Never use a device that has worn or frayed fabric or webbing. Discard damaged units immediately. Do not alter products.



Never place a patient wearing a restrictive device in a place where he/she is not easily monitored.

