

# How to Use and Care for Your Hospital Bed

## Operation

If a button on the pendant does not release or sticks, the bed spring will not stop moving.

**WARNING:** Do not place pendant under or between objects. This may unintentionally press the buttons and may cause injury or damage.

## Raising and Lowering Head and Foot Sections *(full and semi-electric)*

1. To raise the head of the bed, press the **Head Up** button.
2. To lower the head of the bed, press the **Head Down** button.
3. To raise the foot of the bed, press the **Foot Up** button.
4. To lower the foot of the bed, press the **Foot Down** button.

## Raising and Lowering the Semi-Electric Bed

Use hand crank at foot end to raise and lower the entire bed.

## Raising and Lowering the Full Electric Bed

1. To raise the entire bed, press the **Bed Up** button.
2. To lower entire bed, press the **Bed Down** button.

## Raising and Lowering the Bed Rail

1. Hold bed rail while pulling the plunger pin.
2. Lower/raise bed rail.
3. Release plunger pin and lower/raise the bed rail until plunger pin clicks into position unless bed rail is at lowest position. **NOTE:** The lowest position for the bed rail is when the bed rail rests against the bed rail stop. Spring loaded pins *do not* have an adjustment hole to engage into when the bed rail in the lowest position.
4. Repeat steps 1–3 for opposite end of bed rail. **NOTE:** Ensure head end and foot end of bed rails are adjusted to the same height.

## Using the Emergency Crank

If the full electric or semi-electric bed needs to be adjusted manually due to a power outage or an electronic malfunction, use the emergency crank to make the adjustments. You should find the emergency crank stored in the link fabric of the spring deck.

1. Remove the emergency crank from the spring deck of the bed under the mattress.
2. Locate the exposed shaft end according to the function you want to perform.
3. Attach the emergency crank to the associated drive motor under the foot end of the bed. Push in the emergency crank while turning it the desired direction. **NOTE:** To move the entire bed on full electric models, open drive shaft cover on the foot end of the gear box.