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Bed safety video for providers and caregivers

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In April 1999, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) in partnership with representatives from the hospital bed industry, national healthcare organizations, patient* advocacy groups and other federal agencies formed the Hospital Bed Safety Workgroup (HBSW). The workgroup's goal is to improve the safety of hospital beds for patients in all health care settings who are most vulnerable to the risk of entrapment.

This video, produced by AARP, is a product of the HBSW's efforts to provide the viewer with real-life situations in both acute and long term care environments and offers insights by patients*, their families, physicians, nurses and other caregivers about bed environments.

* The term *patient* refers to patients in hospitals, residents in long term care facilities, and clients in home care settings.

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