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3. Pathways clear of trip hazards.	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
4. Minimum of 3-4 staff for CLOF 1, 2, or 3, repositioning and/or lateral transfers.	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
5. Proper lift equipment or HoverMatt used.	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
6. Working in the "strike zone."	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
7. Rails dropped when tending to patient.	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
8. Encourage patient participation.	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

## DISCUSSION AND TIME

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