



Preventing Pressure Ulcers - SKIN Bundle

4 Components of Care

1. SURFACE

The support surface used should comply with Trust therapy bed/mattress flow chart.

- Mattress type
- Cushion type
- ♣ Is the equipment fit for purpose
- Reassess risk assessment weekly applied and documented.

2. KEEP MOVING

- Reposition patient and/or mobilise (as per regime)
- Inspect skin
- Report changes

3. INCONTINENCE

- ♣ Toileting assistance if appropriate.
- Continence products (pads, creams, cleansers etc.) if appropriate.
- Keep clean and dry.

4. NUTRITION

- Nutrition Risk Tool (MUST) applied and documented.
- Fluid Balance if appropriate
- ♣ Food Chart if appropriate
- 4 Assistance if required