

CEILING LIFTS

Patient transfer system for a variety of care settings

Promotes a safe care environment



Mobilise the patient early

- Impaired mobility is a strong risk factor for developing pressure injuries.¹
- Patient mobility is an important clinical issue, and safe patient handling and mobility technology can be used to promote mobilisation to improve patient independence and quality of life.²







A relationship between ceiling lift and patient care quality

- Use of safe patient handling mobility technology positively influences the quality of patient or resident care, mobilisation, rehabilitation and daily life.³
- All patients felt safe during ceiling lift transfers, and felt ceiling lifts to be safer and less strenuous for staff.⁴
- Patient overall satisfaction with ceiling lift transfer scored an average of 8.5 (score from 1–10).⁴



96% of the staff reported that the introduction of ceiling lifts had made their job easier to perform.²

Reduce caregiver workload

- Ceiling lift use is associated with lower caregiver fatigue, pain and frustration.⁵
- Caregivers have reported that the introduction of ceiling lifts made it easier to lift residents.⁶
- Transferring a patient using a ceiling lift was perceived by staff to be less difficult, more efficient, easier-access and lower injury risk, compared with floor lifts (p<0.001).⁷

Investment in ceiling lifts saves costs and time

- Investment in ceiling lifts can be recouped within 2-6 years.⁷
- Economic benefits due to reduced compensation costs can be generated within 3 years;⁸ Arjo ceiling lifts have a working life of 10 years.
- Ceiling lifts enable a single caregiver to transfer patients or residents smoothly without any manual lifting. They are installed, stored and operated so they are always in place, but never in the way.



Maxi Sky[®] 2 and Maxi Sky[®] 2 Plus

Versatile ceiling lifts.

Maxi Sky 2 and Maxi Sky 2 Plus are specifically designed for flexibility and ease of use, delivering a tailored solution for the special needs and requirements of your care environment. The Maxi Sky 2 Infection Control features minimise the risk of cross infection.

Designed for comfortable and dignified transfers

Planning and designing care facilities

Addressing the need for ceiling lifts early in the facility planning is crucial to accommodate the installation requirements of such equipment. Space aspects related to the provision of safe patient handling equipment can also be addressed with ceiling lifts.

- Planning a care facility is about planning for the future, and will impact both the efficiency and quality of care and the work environment for the caregivers.
- It is essential to design for sufficient space early in the planning of a new facility.
- With the online resource Arjo Guide for Architects and Planners, we provide support during the whole process.



Ceiling lifts – a solution for transferring dependent patients



Maxi Sky® 2

- Safe working load up to 272 kg, 600 lb
- Quick Connect[™] no tools required to change spreader bars



Maxi Sky[®] 2 Infection Control

- Designed to minimise healthcareassociated infections
- Non-porous material that does not absorb dirt and contaminants



Maxi Sky[®] 440

- Safe working load 200 kg, 440 lb
- Portable ceiling lift solution



Maxi Sky[®] 2 Plus

- Safe working load 454 kg, 1000 lb (dual mode)
- Safe working load 272 kg, 600 lb (single mode)



Maxi Sky[®] 2 Plus Infection Control

- Designed to minimise healthcareassociated infections
- Non-porous material that does not absorb dirt and contaminants



Maxi Sky® 1000

- Safe working load 454 kg, 1000 lb
- Designed for plus-size patients and residents

Arjo patient handling product areas

Floor lifts





Ceiling lifts



Lateral transfer and repositioning



Slings



Our approach is simple: The right solutions, in the right place, at the right time.

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