HOSPITAL LOGO

PATIENT POSITIONING CHART

(Affix patient identification label in this box)

U.R. No. _____

Surname _____

Given Names _____

D.O.B. _____ Sex _____

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INSTRUCTIONS:
Timing of the change of position is dependent upon the overall condition of the patient, pressure equipment resources in use and is determined by checking the status of the skin at each position change. In the presence of **persistent redness,** decrease the time intervals between position changes and/or reevaluate pressure equipment in use.

At each change, describe the status of skin over bony prominences that were lying on the bed and note any action taken to reduce the likelihood of pressure ulcer development.

Date/ Time	Position (see legend)	COMMENT	SIGNATURE

Position Legend:
(M) Patient mobilising
(L) Left lateral **(R)** Right lateral
(P) Prone **(B)** Back
(C) Sitting in chair
(T) Therapy (Physio, OT etc)
(I) Investigation (EG, Xray)

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