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## Guldmann Basic High Sling – Quiz Questions

**1. There are no risks to the patient in using the wrong size of Basic High sling.**

- A. True
- B. False

**Answer B**

**2. When is using a Basic High sling appropriate?**

- A. Lifting and transferring from all furniture surfaces
- B. Recover patient from floor when circumstances are appropriate
- C. Sitting balance, mobilization and hygiene positioning
- D. All of the above

**Answer D**

**3. Is Basic High sling appropriate for use with someone with no head control?**

- A. Yes, Basic High sling is for persons who require assistance with head control
- B. No, Basic High sling is only used by users who can sit on their own
- C. Yes, Basic High provides full back height to person's head for support
- D. A and C

**Answer D**

**4. What patient care tasks can you perform with use of the Basic High sling?**

- A. Lift and hold limbs and pelvis in lithotomy position for: perineal access – catheter placement, hygiene, wound care, or labor
- B. Toileting patient without lower body garments
- C. Tub or shower when using Basic High 'Net' sling
- D. All of the above

**Answer D**

**5. How do you know when a Basic High sling should be taken out of service?**

- A. One or more of the loops are knotted together
- B. The threads on a seam of the Basic High sling are frayed
- C. The fabric is ripped or has a puncture hole
- D. All of the above

**Answer D**

**6. What should you do with a soiled Basic High sling?**

- A. Reusable slings are discarded if they are very soiled
- B. When sling appears clean after one patient use, it can put back on the shelf for use
- C. Follow procedure provided by organization for soiled sling laundering
- D. All of the above

**Answer: C**



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- 7. When do you explain to patient why and how you will use the Basic High sling?**
- A. Only when you have time to give an explanation
  - B. Only when there are family members in the room
  - C. Only for patients that may complain about the use of slings
  - D. Always explain the use of the equipment and sling every time you are using with the patient, and which task will be accomplished at the time of use

**Answer: D**

- 8. You need to use the Basic High sling for a seated transfer but unsure how to select size and how to properly apply to patient.**
- A. Ask your strongest co-worker to help manually transfer the patient or resident
  - B. Ask your unit peer leader or a trained co-worker to assist you in using the Basic High sling. Setup 'just in time' training with UPL or SPHM Coordinator to further review application and use of the Basic High sling
  - C. Apply it like a similar seated transfer sling from a different manufacturer, they have all the same instructions
  - D. All of the above

**Answer: B**

- 9. You need a sling size that's not available in your unit's storage, how do you proceed?**
- A. Take a Basic High sling from another patient and use it for your patient
  - B. Ask a co-worker to assist with a manual transfer
  - C. Obtain a clean Basic High sling in the size you need with approval of a nearby unit, or from where overstock clean slings are stored; then follow facility procedure to document insufficient access to needed supplies for patient(s) on your unit
  - D. Wait until the size sling is available on the unit

**Answer: C**

- 10. Clean slings are already inspected for wear and damage, so no extra steps are needed before patient application.**
- A. True, caregiver can trust that the sling meets manufactures recommendations after in-house or out sourced laundry has cleaned the sling
  - B. False, a clean sling may not pass safety checklist, slings should be checked for overt damage with each patient application

**Answer: B**