

**Statement of Need
West Palm Beach VA Medical Center**

BACKGROUND

The West Palm Beach VA Medical Center seeks to purchase 7 Shower Chairs. 6 will be for the replacement of those in the Community Living Center- 3 for CLC-S and 3 for CLC-N; and 1 will be used for training. The Shower Chair must be height-adjustable multipurpose hygiene chairs that are highly versatile and can support better routines for hair washing, pedicure, toileting, dressing undressing, and changing of incontinence pads.

SALIENT CHARACTERISTICS

- Care raiser function allowing undressing/dressing, improving accessibility, changing of incontinence pads, etc.
- Electrically height adjustable to enable the right working height for good ergonomics
- Reclined position to position the resident/patient in a stretched position when showering
- Two sets of driving and manoeuvre handles
- Neck pillow for resident/patient comfort
- Full length backrest with recess in the lower part of the backrest
- Integrated net pocket for storage of personal belongings, such as shampoo, soap, etc.
- Handheld control unit for all functions with easy-to-understand symbols
- Low battery buzzer
- 2 sets of 24 V batteries with NiMH technology (nickel-metal hydride), chargeable at any level
- Emergency lowering
- Emergency stop
- Safety strap
- Lifting capacity 300 lbs. (136 kg)
- Bedpan holder
- Bedpan, plastic
- Toilet adaptor
- MUST INCLUDE OPERATOR, SERVICE AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS

MEASUREMENTS AND WEIGHTS

- Safe working load 300lbs (136 kg)
- Weight 141 lbs. (64 kg)
- Lifting stroke (seat) 21 5/8" (550 mm)
- Seat height, lowest position 20 1/8" (510 mm)
- Maximum overall length 59 7/8" (1520 mm)
- Maximum overall width 25 5/8" (650 mm)
- Total height, upright position 48 3/8" (1230 mm)
- Total length, upright position 37" (940 mm)
- Chassis, Max width 25 1/5" (640 mm)
- Chassis, width between legs 20" (508 mm)

DELIVERY LOCATION

WPB VA Medical Center Warehouse
7305 N. Military Trail
West Palm Beach, FL 33410
7:00am-4:30pm

DELIVERY SCHEDULE

30 Days ARO