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| Address:  Telephone: | Diagnosis and relevant medical information: | PMH: | Assessor Name:  Designation:  Signature:  Telephone:  Date:  Review Date |
| Falls History: | Height:  Weight: | GP and Surgery: |
| Equipment in situ at patient/service user’s home (Including make and size): | Carer Contact Details:  NOK Contact Details: | Manual Handling equipment to be used by:   * Care Agency/Care Home Carers   Date risk assessment sent to agency/care home:   * Family members   Demonstration date:  Demonstration completed by: | |

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| Date | Summary of transfer assessments carried out on the ward/community e.g. method of transfer and equipment used | Conclusion |
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| **Task:** |  | **Comments:** |
| Strenuous pushing or pulling? |  |  |
| Twisting/Stooping/Reaching? |  |  |
| Sudden or unpredictable movement? |  |  |
| Insufficient rest or recovery? |  |  |
| **Individual:** |  |  |
| Skill Level? |  |  |
| Specific health considerations inclusive of physical and/or cognitive capabilities? |  |  |
| Family and/or carer preferences? |  |  |
| **Load:** |  |  |
| Weight? |  |  |
| Sitting balance? |  |  |
| Involuntary/unpredictable movement of patient? |  |  |
| History of falls? |  |  |
| Pain/Stiffness? |  |  |
| Communication? |  |  |
| Understanding? |  |  |
| Agitated/Challenging Behaviour? |  |  |
| Pressure care needs? |  |  |
| Continence (frequency, pads, catheter) |  |  |
| **Environment:** |  |  |
| Environmental Considerations? |  |  |
| Inadequate lighting? |  |  |
| Space/access difficulties? |  |  |
| Inappropriate flooring? |  |  |
| Tripping/slipping hazards? |  |  |
| **Any other considerations:** | |  |
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**Action to be taken to reduce any identified risks**

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| **Task** |  |
| **Individual** |  |
| **Load** |  |
| **Environment** |  |

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| General Safety Guidelines: |

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|  | Transfer: | Equipment for  transfer: | No. of carers | Techniques recommended: |
| R11. |  |  | 1 or 2 |  |