

NYOrtho Gap Shields, availble in half-length and full-length, easily fit around the perimeter of the mattress to help eliminate gaps between the mattress and the bed headboard/footboard/side-rails to prevent potential entrapment involving zones 3 and 7. Wedge shape foam deisgn fills gaps up to 3 inches wide and maybe attached to side rails with hook and loop closure. Works when rails are raised or lowered. Water resistant nylon cover wipes clean. Meets CA #117-2013.

9567-35 Gap Shield - 35" L x 9"H x 3"W - Pair □ 9567-70 Gap Shield - 70" L x 9"H x 3"W - Pair

# APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS: **USED IN CONJUNCTION WITH SIDE-RAILS**

- 1. Position the full-length Gap Shield between the mattress and the side rails, narrow end facing down.
- 2. Attach the Gap Shield to the side rail bars with easy to apply hook and loop straps.
- 3. Whether the bed-side rails are in the raised or lowered position, the top of the Gap Shield should not fall below the top surface of the mattress. The top of the Gap Shield may, however, slightly protrude above the mattress in either position.

## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS: **USED AS A FILLER ONLY**

- 1. Position the full-length Gap Shield between the mattress and the side rails, narrow end facing down.
- 2. Position the half-length Gap Shield between the mattress and headboard/footboard, narrow end facing down.
- 3. The top of the Gap Filler should not fall below the top surface of the mattress.
- 4. Gap Fillers should have a snug fit and should not be able to slide out of place.

# **Gap Shield**

## **BED SAFETY**

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### **CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS**

- · Wipe Clean with mild detergent. OSHA approved intermediate level disinfectants can be used in accordance with manufacturer instructions. DO NOT use quaternary/isopropyl based disinfectants on vinyls.
- After cleaning, products MUST be rinsed with water to remove any residual chemicals and dried before use.

#### **MONITORING & INSPECTION**

Be sure to follow your facility's policies and state guidelines for frequency of patient monitoring. Inspect product before each use to insure to insure product continues to perform as designed. Check for broken stitches or parts; torn, cut or frayed material; or buckles that do not hold securely. DO NOT use soiled products.