MEDLINE

COMFORT GLIDE DECISION TREE
For Safe Patient Handling and Repositioning

IS THE PATIENT AMBULATORY?

NO ————————————————— YES

DOES THE PATIENT HAVE ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING?

- Educate the patient on positioning and offloading
- Not a candidate for Comfort Glide

STOP

- Continue to monitor and evaluate the patient for risks
- Perform a skin assessment based on facility protocol
- Use a pressure redistribution mattress/surface
- Reposition the patient based on facility protocol

STOP

YES   NO ————————→

USE THE COMFORT GLIDE REPOSITIONING SYSTEM