

Foundations of Practice and Beyond

Monday

Stream B

Session 2 14.45

Prism Medical UK

Producing Evidence Based Research Empowering Healthcare Professional to make informed decisions when prescribing slings for hoists.

Abstract

This session will take the delegates through the process of gathering evidence in order to produce a research paper informing them of the theory behind Prism Medical UK's advice to them when advising clients on sling choice.

Prism Medical UK along side the University of Salford has been undertaking a piece of research to in order to assist Healthcare Professionals when deciding on a sling prescription for an individual client.

This session will inform delegates on the methodology and research principles involved in this study.

It will demonstrate the equipment used in this research and invite Healthcare Professionals to advise on how the furthering of this research project will improve equipment provision to enhance their end users quality of life as well as perhaps decrease the monies that the NHS has to provide.