

Title (en)

Braking apparatus for a patient support

Title (de)

Bremsvorrichtung für eine Patientenstütze

Title (fr)

Appareil de freinage pour dispositif de support de patient

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO03057126A1] A patient support including a propulsion system for providing enhanced mobility. The patient support includes a bedframe supporting a mattress defining a patient rest surface. A plurality of swivel-mounted casters, including rotatably supported wheels, provide mobility to the bedframe. The casters are capable of operating in several modes, including: brake, neutral, and steer. The propulsion system includes a propulsion device operably connected to an input system. The input system controls the speed and direction of the propulsion device such that a caregiver can direct the patient support to a proper position within a care facility.

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