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Foreword

This translation has been made based on the original Japanese Industrial Standard established by the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry through deliberations at the Japanese Industrial Standards Committee according to the proposal of establishing a Japanese Industrial Standard submitted by Japan Assistive Products Association (JASPA)/Japanese Standards Association (JSA) with a draft being attached, based on the provision of Article 12 Clause 1 of the Industrial Standardization Law.

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Transfer boards and bathtub shelves

1 Scope

This Japanese Industrial Standard specifies the transfer boards and bathtub shelves among assistive products, which make it easier for a person to get in and out of the bathtub by hanging a part or parts of them on the edge of the bathtub. Those with the lifting function are excluded.

2 Normative reference

The following standard contains provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this Standard. The most recent edition of the standard (including amendments) indicated below shall be applied.

JIS K 6253 *Rubber, vulcanized or thermoplastic—Determination of hardness*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this Standard, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1 seat

component to support the human body, which is the plane sustaining the force vertically acting on it

3.2 handle

component prepared for holding on to for support when a person is sitting on or standing up from the transfer board, or when a person sitting on the bath board transfers

3.3 stopper

component to fix the transfer board or the bathtub shelf to the edge of the bathtub

3.4 mounting face

face of the edge of the bathtub or the floor of bathroom with which the bottom face or the legs of transfer board or bathtub shelf contacts

3.5 frame

component to sustain the seat

4 Classification

The transfer boards and bathtub shelves shall be classified in accordance with table 1 (see figure 1).