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WHEN DO YOU NEED AN ADJUSTABLE FLOOR?

An adjustable floor in a therapy pool is required for the following patients:

- For patients with a very frail balance.
- For using weight-bearing programs, e.g. post-operative hip, etc.
- For using the pool for people with a wide range of heights, like children and adults.
- When no hoists are going to be used.
- When therapists use more than one method or technique, e.g. Halliwick, Bad Ragaz, Watsu, etc.
- When the adjustable also has a function to save energy and safety (no possibility to fall into the water).
- When the design of the pool allows a depth of minimum 1,35 m, floor not included.

An adjustable floor in a therapy pool is strongly recommended for a hospital which has at least 2 of the hereunder mentioned departments / therapies:

- Orthopaedics
- Rheumatology
- (Sports) rehabilitation
- Neurology
- Paediatrics
- Cardiac- / pulmonary-rehabilitation

The required space per person in a pool for some methods is:

- 12,0 m² for Bad Ragaz Ring method
- 9,0 m² for Watsu
- 6,0 m² for Halliwick
- 7,5 m² for gait training (5 x 1,5 m)
- 6,0 m² for conventional exercises