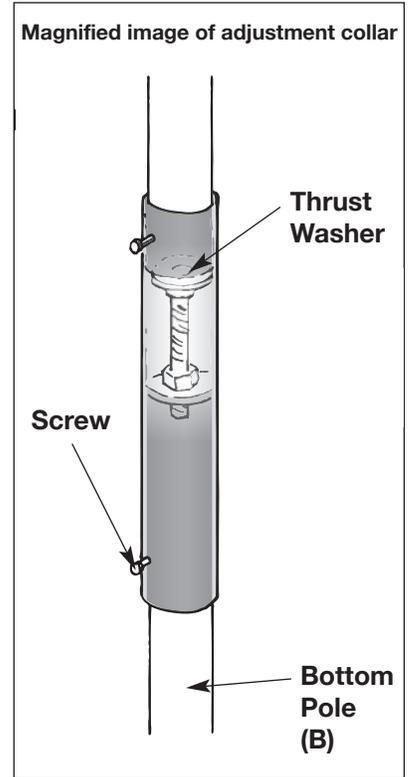
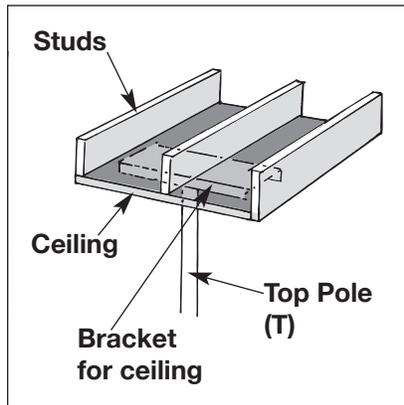
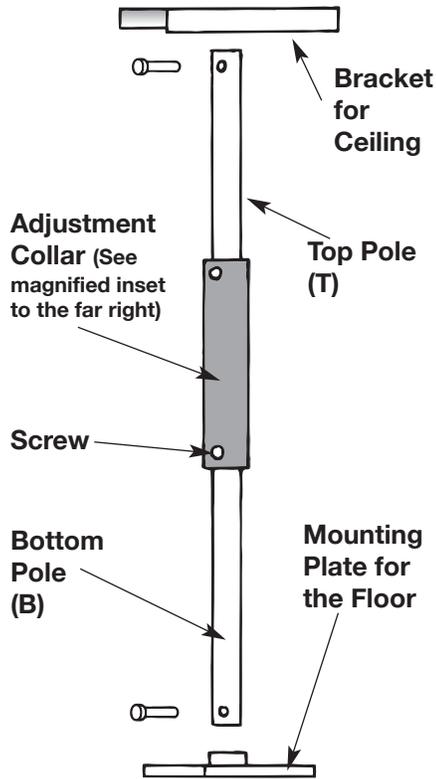


# THE SAMMONS PRESTON TRANSFER SUPPORT POLE

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## The Transfer Support Pole for 8' Ceiling Height

Simplifies standing pivot transfers, and makes transfers more comfortable and safe. The pole provides essential support needed for transfers made from the bed, chair, wheelchair or commode. The transfer support includes two poles and the components that make for easy, tool-free installation. Rubber pad protects ceiling. Heavy gauge, epoxy-coated steel accommodates up to 200 lbs. (40 kg). The height adjusts 92" – 100" (234 – 254 cm). Though heavy-duty and durable the pole weighs only 11 lbs. (4 kg)

### Before Installation

Carefully measure ceiling height to ensure it's not lower than 8' (2.438 m). Forcing the pole to fit on lower ceilings simply won't work. Pushing the pole below minimum height could jam the thread, put too little pressure on the pole and result in insufficient support.

If the optional Transfer Support Arm is going to be used with the pole, assemble it first.

### Instructions for Assembly and Installation

Determine the area where the pole is going to be placed, and position the Floor Mounting Plate on the floor. Set the Bottom Pole onto the connector of the Floor Mounting Plate, and tighten the screw at the bottom of the pole.

**NOTE:** If the optional Transfer Support Arm is going to be used, then slide the Transfer Support Arm onto the Bottom Pole. Make several turns clockwise to lower the Adjustment Collar; tighten the screws on the Support Arm.

Hold the Adjustment Collar so the threaded side is down and the nut is facing up. Slide the Collar over the Bottom Pole. Make several turns clockwise to lower the Adjustment Collar; tighten the screws on the Adjustment Collar just enough to hold it in place.

Next, slide the Top Pole onto the connector of the Ceiling Bracket and tighten the screw on the Top Pole. Slide the Top Pole with Ceiling Bracket into the Adjustment Collar. Loosen the screws and start turning the Collar counterclockwise while holding the Top Pole, until the Ceiling Bracket contacts the ceiling

squarely across two joists and is secure. Tighten the two screws on the Adjustment Collar; then test the Transfer Pole by firmly holding onto the pole at mid-height and vigorously attempting to force the pole from side to side. Use substantial body weight and thrust to conduct an aggressive test. If either the Floor Mounting Plate or Ceiling Bracket appear to slide or shift, tighten the Adjustment Collar by turning it counterclockwise one more turn; repeat the test until the pole will not move.

### Precautions

To avoid slippage, do not position the floor mounting plate on loose rugs. Make sure the pole is not too tight by mounting the pole top plate at right angles to ceiling studs. Over-tightening could cause damage to the floor and ceiling.

After the pole is installed, check to make sure the pole has stayed tight. If not, tighten immediately. Special care should be used when installing and removing the pole. Injury and/or damage could result if the top plate falls from top section.



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