



## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR INSTALLING SIDE RAILS**

These instructions should be read and followed closely to ensure proper attachment to the Flex-A-Bed Base. If installed correctly, the rails will be very secure. If installed incorrectly, damage to the product or bodily injury could occur.

### **Tools You Will Need:**

- 7/16 Socket Driver
- Drill
- 1/8" drill bit

- 1) Place the mattress in the floor and turn the bed upside down on the mattress.
- 2) Position the rail on the bed with the **pointed end of the rail towards the foot.**
- 3) Both mounting brackets **must be on the head platform board** (See bottom photo on next page for measurements). Do not attach one bracket on the head section and the other on the seat section. When the bed is raised, both brackets must be on the head section or you will do damage to both the bed and the rails.
- 4) 8 lag screws per side are provided for attachment. Be sure to **use 4 lag screws in each bracket and 8 lag screws per side.** The lag screws will be penetrating a solid wood Advantech material which is 1/2" thick and has characteristics much like plywood. You can use a cordless drill/driver to run the screws in to the wood. **Be careful not to strip out the wood by over-tightening the lag screws.** The screws must be tight but do not over-tighten to the point where the screw spins freely. If you will be using a socket wrench rather than a drill/driver, you should first drill a pilot hole **no larger than 1/8" in diameter.**

**IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL (800)648-1256 MONDAY  
THROUGH FRIDAY FROM 7:00 AM TO 5:00 PM EASTERN TIME**

**\*\* SEE PHOTOS ON OPPOSITE PAGE \*\***



- **FOR 80" BEDS MEASURE DOWN FROM HEAD 10"**
- **FOR 74" BEDS MEASURE DOWN FROM HEAD 4"**
- **FOR 84" BEDS MEASURE DOWN FROM HEAD 12"**