

Injuries Resulting from Falls at a major Long-Term Care facility in Montreal, Canada from 2005 - 2010

Purchase of ComfiHips® began in July 2009

Previous hip protector products in use were several of the leading brands of both hard and soft shell hip protectors.

YEAR	NUMBER OF FALLS	SEVERE INJURIES	HIP FRACTURES
2009-2010	818	5	** 2
2008-2009	852	22	14
2007-2008	899	14	9
2006-2007	864	18	3
2005-2006	901	35	16

How to read: You have the total number of falls that occurred that year and the number of these falls that led to severe or serious injuries. **The number in the Hip Fracture column represents how many of the Severe Injuries actually resulted in fractures of the hip.**

“We purchase and provide ComfiHips® on a regular basis to a majority of our residents who are at risk of falls. Our statistics indicate that we have a low percentage of our residents that suffer significant injury, such as hip fractures, since we started using ComfiHips®

**** These two residents were not wearing a hip protector at the time of their fall**