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LONDON, GREATER LONDON, UNITED KINGDOM, August 11, 2026 /EINPresswire.com/ -- "The hospital stretchers market has experienced significant expansion recently, reflecting the increasing importance of patient transport solutions in healthcare settings. This growth is driven by various factors, including rising emergency admissions and advancements in medical infrastructure. Let’s examine the current market size, key growth drivers, regional dynamics, and future prospects in detail.

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Hospital Stretchers Market Size and Growth Trajectory
The market for hospital stretchers has shown strong performance, growing from $2.98 billion in 2025 to an anticipated $3.19 billion in 2026, representing a compound annual growth rate (CAGR) of 7.1%. This upward trend during the historical period is attributed to factors such as increasing emergency room visits, expansion of hospital facilities, a higher incidence of trauma and accidents, and the modernization of patient transport equipment to improve mobility and safety.

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Looking further ahead, the hospital stretchers market is forecast to continue its robust growth and reach $4.29 billion by 2030, with a CAGR of 7.7%. Key contributors to this expansion include rising investments in emergency medical services, a growing focus on reducing staff injuries, enlarged ambulance fleets, and the increasing adoption of powered mobility stretchers. Trends shaping the market in the forecast period involve greater use of motorized stretchers, demand for bariatric patient transport solutions, ergonomic and lightweight designs, enhanced trauma care stretchers, and improved safety locking features.

Defining Hospital Stretchers and Their Role
Hospital stretchers are specialized medical equipment used to transport patients safely within healthcare facilities, such as hospitals and ambulances. These devices are essential for moving patients who cannot walk or move themselves due to injury, illness, or surgical procedures, ensuring secure and comfortable handling throughout their care journey.

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Factors Stimulating Growth in the Hospital Stretchers Market
One of the primary drivers bolstering the hospital stretchers market is the rise in surgical procedures. Surgical interventions, performed by qualified professionals, require efficient patient transfers before, during, and after surgery to ensure smooth hospital operations. For example, in December 2023, the UK Health Security agency reported a notable 10.2% increase in mandatory orthopedic procedure submissions, totaling 102,025 for the 2022-2023 financial year, alongside an 8.4% rise in overall surgeries compared to the previous year. This surge in surgeries highlights the growing demand for hospital stretchers to support patient handling during these medical processes.

Geographical Market Leadership and Growth Outlook
In 2025, North America held the largest share of the hospital stretchers market, reflecting its well-established healthcare infrastructure and high adoption of advanced medical equipment. Meanwhile, the Asia-Pacific region is anticipated to be the fastest-growing market over the forecast period, driven by expanding healthcare facilities and increased investments. The market analysis encompasses key regions including Asia-Pacific, South East Asia, Western Europe, Eastern Europe, North America, South America, the Middle East, and Africa, providing a comprehensive view of global market trends.

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