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HANDLING AND SAFETY TIPS

Warning: Wheelchairs are heavy items – ensure proper lifting techniques to avoid injury. Ask for assistance whenever possible.

Be sure your weight is within the load capacity of the unit and the wheelchair is suitable for your needs and abilities. Seek the advice of a suitably trained therapist or carer if uncertain.

Before using the wheelchair, always check to ensure product is in good working condition.

Check brakes are in working order.

Ensure both brakes are applied before getting in or out of the wheelchair.

DO NOT stand on the footplates when getting in or out of the wheelchair

DO NOT overload the wheelchair.

DO NOT use the wheelchair with the back folded or hang objects on the backrest – this can alter the centre of gravity and could cause the chair to tip backwards.

Stability

The wheelchair is designed to be safe and stable if the centre of gravity is maintained while going about normal activities. Care must be taken while performing activities that shift the centre of gravity in the chair. Never reach so far that require you to shift in the seat or bend over out of the chair.

Ramps and Inclines

Be sure of your own capabilities, limitations and strength before attempting to go up a ramp. Correct techniques on ramp negotiation should be demonstrated to you by a qualified professional. Avoid changing direction when going down an incline as this could result in instability or tipping over. Seek assistance where possible.

Caregivers should navigate downward slopes with the wheelchair turned to face up slope and back the chair downwards gradually.

FEATURES

- Powder coated steel wheelchair
- · Double cross bar
- · Plastic handgrips with attendant handbrakes
- Flip up armrests with PU arm pads
- · Swing away detachable footrest
- · Height adjustable footplates
- Nylon upholstery
- PVC front castors
- Rear spoke wheel with solid PU tyre
- Anti-tippers
- Conditional warranty applies

SPECIFICATIONS

Seat Width: 45cm Seat Height: 52cm Seat Depth: 41cm **Backrest Height:** 43cm Armrest Height: 21cm Overall Width: 61cm Folded Width: 28cm Overall Length: 106cm Overall Height: 96cm

Front Castor

Rear Wheel Size:

Weight Capacity:

Net Weight:

Colours Available:

20cm x 2.5cm

60cm x 3cm

140kg

18.5kg

Italian Blue

CARE AND MAINTENANCE

- Check condition regularly for wear and tear.
- Do not use if product shows signs of damage or corrosion.
- Always check bolts and nuts are securely fastened.
- Clean using a slightly damp cloth and wipe dry.
- Lubricate moving parts. We recommend a silicone based lubricant which will also assist in water / moisture displacement and can help reduce rust / corrosion.
- It is recommended that the wheelchair be serviced at least once a year by a mobility aid specialist.

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- Attendant handles
- Attendant brakes
- a. Flip-up armrests b. Release latch
- Swing away leg rests

UNFOLDING the Wheelchair (Figure A)

Push down on the sides of the seat (10)

FOLDING the Wheelchair (Figure A) Step 1: Turn up both footplates (7a). (Remove footrests to pack smaller) Step 2: Grab the front and rear centre

of seat (10), pull up and fold closed.

until frame is fully extended.

Hand brake

locks into place.

- 24" Rear wheel
- a. Height adjustable footplate b. Height adjustment bolt
- Anti-tippers
- 8" Front castor

If backrest is down, fold up until latch (3) to open

Figure A. Unfolding & Folding

FLIP UP ARMRESTS (Figure C)

a Depress release lever (3b). Rotate arm to the back of wheelchair.

b To return armrest to down position, push armpad down until release latch (3b) firmly locks into place (3c).

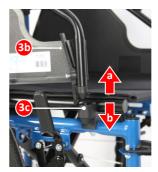


Figure C. Flip Up Armrests



Figure D. Hand Brake

Loosen the locking bolt on the stem (7b) with the hex key provided, slide footplate tubing and adjust to a suitable height.

Tighten bolts to fix in place.

FOOTRESTS (Figure F)

Installation

- a. Place swing-away pivot pin into the locating hole on top of the hanger mount with the footrest facing outward from frame (4a).
- b. Rotate the footrest inward until latch plate locks (4b) into place on locking bolt.

Removal

- a. To remove footrest, pull quick-release lever (4b).
- b. Rotate footrest outward and lift out.



Adjusting the Footplate height (Figure G)

Figure G. Footrest height adjustment

BRAKE SYSTEM (Figure D)

Important: Ensure both brakes are applied before getting in or out of the wheelchair.

User Hand brake (Figure D): Push forward (away from rear wheel) brake handle (5) to engage park brake.

Pull back (5) to release.

Important: When not in use, DO NOT leave hand brake (5) engaged as this may cause permanent indents on the tyre.



Slot anti-tippers into frame tubes next to rear wheels and lock in place with C-Clip (8a).

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