RS2 Patient Transfer Belt & RS1 Ladder Belt User Manual





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General

Thank you for choosing an product.

To avoid accidents and injury when moving and handling the products, please read the manual carefully.

The person described as "the client" in this user manual is the person who is prescribed to wear the product. The carer or carers are the people who manoeuvre the product.



This symbol appears alongside the text in the manual. It draws the reader's attention to points at which there may be a risk to the health and safety of the client or carer.

The products comply with the standards applicable for Class I products in the European Council Directive MDD 93/42/EEC on medical devices.

At we strive to improve our products all the time and therefore we reserve the right to make changes to products without prior warning. All measurements given on illustrations and similar material are for guidance only and cannot be held liable for errors and defects. The information given in this manual, including recommendations and sizing, does not apply to special orders and modifications. If the customer makes adjustments or repairs not predetermined by Integrity, the Integrity CE certification and warranty will be voided. If in doubt, please contact

Warranty: Two-year warranty on material and manufacturing defects, provided that the product is used correctly.

For further information on the transfer range, see

The product can be scrapped in accordance with national regulations.



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The RS2 Patient Transfer Belt can be used in any situationwhere the carer needs a firm grip in order to assist/ support the client. Such situations may include helping a client to move from sitting to standing, and vice versa, and manual handling, standing and seated to/from bed, wheelchair, vehicle, commode, toilet, etc.

Finally, the RS2 Patient Transfer Belt can be used to support the client during walking training. The RS2 Patient Transfer Belt has a broad contact surface and ergonomic handles, which provide a secure grip from all angles.

Easy to use from all sides. Easy to buckle and tighten.

The Ladder Belt is an additional belt available for use with the Integrity RS series Patient Transfer devices. The strap helps one or two carers, when correctly attached to the Transfer device, to lift a person who requires extra assistance during the sit to stand transfer. Specifically designed to have well-positioned handles on either side of the transfer platform that can be used by one or two carers. The unique sliding sleeve remains firmly in position around the client, enabling a seamless lift whilst also providing comfort.

This product is ideal for use in a single-handed care package when used in tandem with the RS series Transfer devices.

Positioning

Integrity RS2 Patient Transfer Belt



Fit the Support Belt around the client's waist or hips. Make sure that the velcro provides a firm support around the user's waist. Push the black buckle parts together until they are locked. (You will hear an audible "Click".) Place the webbing loop with the black buckle over the post in the centre of the RS2 Patient Transfer Device Handle. To tighten the Support Belt: Grasp the end of the strap with the D-Ring attached and the functional handles on the Support Belt itself – pull on the strap while holding the handle on the Support Belt.

The Support Belt tightens up around the client. The carer should make sure that the Support Belt is secure but that it is not uncomfortable for the client.

The Support Belt should be retightened once the client has completed the move from seated to standing position. This can be achieved by locking the grey buckle in the same way as the black buckle. Release the velcro straps & retighten around the patient's waist or hips, locking the velcro pads when it is in a secure & comfortable position.

Integrity RS1 Ladder Belt



Fit the Ladder Belt around the client's waist or hips. To connect the Ladder Belt: Grasp one end of the strap with the webbing loop attached and the functional handles on the Ladder Belt itself – pull on the strap while holding back on the Ladder Belt. Place one end of the strap with square holes over the ladder belt anchor on the front edge of the Transfer unit handle. Pull the other end of the strap (using webbing loop) until the belt is tight around the patient & lock the second section onto the second ladder belt anchor, so that the patient is comfortably supported. Use

The carer now has a firm grip on the client and can assist/ support the client's movements (see Illustration 1). The carer can now pull the client up by the loops on the belt to aid the patient into a standing position. (see illustration 2)

Special features

Always check the product before use and after washing.

Never use a defective product. If the product shows signs of wear-and-tear, it must be scrapped.

Read these instructions carefully.

It is important that carers receive instruction in manual handling.

Always use the correct manual handling techniques.

Remember to use the client's own resources.

The carer must not wear the Support Belt – if the client loses balance, the carer risks falling with the client and sustaining a work-related injury.

Before using the Support Belt for manual handling to the standing position or for walking training, the carer should make sure that the client is capable of standing.

Never leave the Support Belt on the floor.



To ensure that the client feels safe and that every manual handling is smooth, always plan the manual handling in advance.

If in any doubt - please contact

Materials

Outer material: Polyurethane-coated nylon, water-resistant. The inner surface is non-slip. Fill: Polyethylene padding. Handles: Polyester tapes with polypropylene padding. Buckles: Safety nylon.

Cleaning

The product should be checked regularly, preferably each time it is used, and especially after washing.

Check that there is no damage to seams or fabric and that the buckle is intact.

Washing instructions: Can also be disinfected using LT-CIN (Isopropyl Alcohol 72%). Do not use fabric softener.



Never try to repair a product yourself. Never use a defective product.



Sizes

Part No.	Description	Size (cm)	Max. User Weight
90333L	Support Belt, large	W13 x L150	160Kg
90333M	Support Belt, medium	W13 x L130	160Kg
903335	Support Belt, small	W9 x L105	160Kg

90334	RS1 Ladder Belt	W10 x L200	160Kg