



Re-Order #	Description	Size	Unit
701055	Resident-Release Econo Seat Belt	50"L x 2"W	Ea.

Purpose

This Resident-Release Econo Seat Belt is designed to provide a economic alternative to high price belts. The belt is easy to release and is not considered to be a restraint when used by residents who have the ability to open them at will or upon request. However, they become physical restraints when used by residents who are unable to release them. The determination of the appropriateness of this belt for a specific resident is the responsibility of the professional and medical staff. The Resident-Release Econo Seat Belt is intended for wheelchair use only.

Installation to Wheelchair

- 1. Remove the rearmost screws from the left and right sides of the wheelchair seat. (Illustration A)
- 2. Remove the grommets from the screws, place screws through the grommets at the ends of both belt sections, and refasten the screws to the wheelchair seat. (Illustration B)
- 3. Select either hole in belt depending upon desired length, closer holes will yield a shorter length, holes closet to the end will yield a longer length.

Note, that for removable arm wheelchairs it may be easier to install the belt after the arm is removed.

Application

Before seating the resident, lock both wheelchair brakes and adjust the footrests to the out-of-way position. Seat the resident as far back on the wheelchair seat as possible. Position the footrests to the front of the wheelchair and place the resident's feet on them. Insert the male end of the buckle into the female end. A "click" indicates that the buckle is secure. The belt is released by pressing the "Press" button. (Illustration C)

Caution

Periodically check belt to make certain that the closure is properly secured. It is especially important to inspect the closure when your resident has secured the belt himself/herself.

Easy Care

This nylon belt may be cleaned with a spray-type cleaner and a damp cloth or sponge. Laundering is not recommended.





