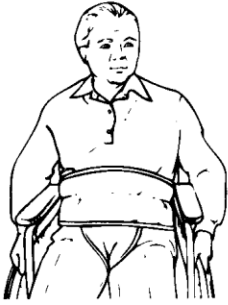


CUSHION SLIDER BELT



Caution: Federal law restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a physician or licensed health care professional.

Indications - The Skil-Care Cushion Slider Belt is recommended for use with a patient who:

- Slides down in the wheelchair
- Requires a safety belt while seated in the wheelchair
- Requires a reminder not to leave the wheelchair without assistance

Contraindications for Use - Do not use this device for a patient who:

- Requires posture support
- Has a history of easily removing belt-style, vest-style, and poncho-style restraints
- Is in a geri-chair, lounge chair, or bed. This device is intended for wheelchair use only

Wheelchair Application

1. Before seating patient in wheelchair, make certain that both brakes are locked and both footrests are positioned to the sides of the chair. Seat patient as far back in the wheelchair as possible. Position footrests to the front of the chair and place patient's feet on them.
2. Place the Cushion Belt at the patient's waist, strap loops facing away from the patient.
3. Criss-cross the straps behind the patient. Thread the strap from patient's right side through the loop on his/her left side. Thread the strap from the patient's left side through the loop on his/her right side.
4. Pull both straps through both loops until Cushion Belt fits snugly. Note: Straps should not be so snug as to interfere with patient's breathing. You should be able to slide your open hand between the device and the patient.
5. Wrap the strap at the patient's right side once around the metal bar just behind the right armrest pad. Repeat on left side. See illustration A.
6. Behind the wheelchair, pass both waist straps through the space between the wheelchair backrest and seat.
7. Cross the straps, wrapping one around the other as shown in illustration B.
8. Position left strap at right kick-spur and right strap at left kick-spur as shown in illustration C.
9. Wrap the strap several times around the kick-spur as shown in illustration D. Leave some excess so that you can proceed to next step.
10. Wrap the strap around the vertical over the kick spur. Note that the strap is also wrapped around itself. See illustration E.
11. Tuck the loose end under the last wrap and pull down to secure. See illustration F. This creates a knot-free closure.

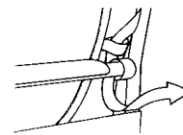


Illustration A



Illustration B

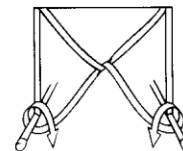


Illustration C

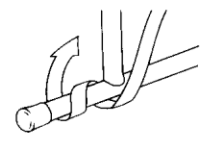


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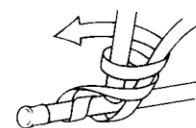


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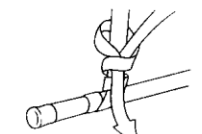


Illustration F

See **important warnings and cautions** on reverse side.

To secure the slide-control crotch pad, select option I or option II and then proceed.

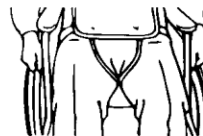
I. Place crotch pad strap directly under patient and pass strap through the space between the wheelchair seat and backrest. This will position the crotch pad between the patient's legs as shown in illustration for option I.

II. Place crotch pad strap beneath the wheelchair seat. Using this option, the crotch pad overlaps the wheelchair seat as shown in illustration for option II. This option is recommended for patients with urinary catheters.

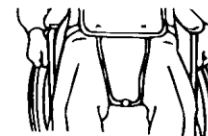
12. Wrap the crotch pad around the cross-brace beneath the wheelchair seat. See illustration G.

13. The strap should be wrapped around the cross-brace as many times as necessary to take up excess webbing. See illustration H.

14. Tuck the loose end through the last wrap and pull to secure. This creates a knot-free closure. See illustration I.



Option I



Option II

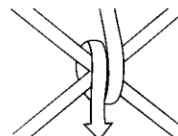


Illustration G

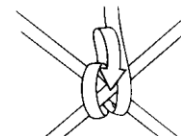


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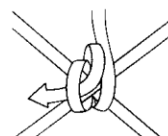


Illustration I

Laundering

This device should not be laundered or dried at temperatures that exceed 180° F (82° C).

Do not use bleach.

See **important warnings and cautions** below.

Always...

Always inspect condition of device.



Always read package insert to determine if device is intended for wheelchair and/or bed use.



Always monitor patients in restrictive devices. Make certain to follow your facility's procedures for periodic release, toileting, and exercise.



Never...

Never use a device that has worn or frayed fabric or webbing. Discard damaged units immediately. Do not alter products.



Never use a Skil-Care device as a restraint in a motor vehicle.



Never place a patient wearing a restrictive device in a place where he/she is not easily monitored.

