Folding Walker Rollator

User Manual
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READ THIS MANUAL CAREFULLY BEFORE USE AND KEEP FOR FUTURE REFERENCE – FAILURE TO DO SO MAY RESULT IN INJURY, PROPERTY DAMAGE AND MAY VOID WARRANTY. • Products covered by this manual may vary in appearance, assembly, inclusions, specifications, description and packaging.
Safety

Safety messages are designed to alert you to possible dangers or hazards that could cause death, injury or equipment or property damage if not understood or followed. Safety messages have the following symbols:

⚠️ You WILL BE KILLED or SERIOUSLY INJURED if you do not follow instructions.
⚠️ You CAN be KILLED or SERIOUSLY INJURED if you do not follow instructions.
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It is important that you read and understand the instruction manual before use and keep the manual in a safe place for future reference. Safety information presented here is generic in nature – some advice may not be applicable to every piece of equipment.

All safety precautions must be observed to reduce the risk of personal injury when operating the equipment.

The term "equipment" refers to your product, be it electrical mains, battery or petrol engine powered.

IMPORTANT – Handle the equipment safely and carefully.

BEFORE USE - If you are not familiar with the safe operation/handling of this equipment, or are in any way unsure of any aspect of suitability or correct use it for your application, you should complete training conducted by a person or organization qualified in safe use and operation of this equipment, including fuel/electrical handling and safety.

WARNINGS

• Read all safety warnings and all instructions. Failure to follow warnings and instructions may result in electric shock, fire and/or serious injury.
• Never run a combustion engine in confined areas.
• Do not operate the equipment in flammable or explosive environments, such as in the presence of flammable liquids, gases or dust. Engine and equipment may create sparks or heat that may ignite vapours, dust etc.
• Keep clear of moving parts.
• This equipment may be a potential source of electric shock if misused.
• Do not operate the equipment if it is damaged, malfunctioning or is in an excessively worn state.
• Do not allow others to use the equipment unless they have read this manual and are adequately trained.
• When using the equipment, basic safety precautions detailed here must always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, personal injury and material damage.
• When wiring electrically powered equipment, follow all electrical and safety codes.
• Ensure all power sources conform to equipment voltage requirements and are disconnected before connecting equipment.

General Work Area Safety

Work areas should be clean and well it. Do not operate the equipment if bystanders, animals etc are within operating range of the equipment or the general work area.

Personal Safety

Keep packaging away from children - risk of suffocation! Operators must use the equipment correctly. When using the equipment, consider conditions and pay due care to persons and property.

Prevent unintentional starting of the equipment - ensure equipment and power source switches are in the OFF position before connecting or moving the equipment. Do not carry equipment with hands/fingers touching any controls. Remove any tools or other items that are not a part of the equipment from it before starting or switching on.

Stay alert and use common sense when operating equipment. Do not overreach.

Keep proper footing and balance at all times. Do not use equipment when tired or under the influence of drugs, alcohol or medication. This equipment is not intended for use by persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities.

General Equipment Use and Care

Do not force the equipment. Use the correct equipment for your application. The correct equipment will perform better and be safer within its design parameters. Do not use the equipment if the ON/OFF switch malfunctions – any equipment that cannot be controlled with the ON/OFF switch is dangerous and must be repaired.

Use the equipment and accessories etc. in accordance with these instructions, taking into account working conditions and the work to be performed. Using the equipment for operations different from those intended could result in hazardous situations.

Before use, inspect the equipment for misalignment or binding of moving parts, loose components, damage or any other condition that may affect its operation. If damaged, have the equipment repaired by an authorized service centre or technician before use.

Always keep the equipment and accessories (cutting tools, nozzles, bits etc) properly maintained. Keep the equipment, controls and handles dry and free from dirt, oil and grease.

Store the equipment out of reach of children or untrained persons. To avoid burns or fire hazards, let the equipment cool completely before transporting or storing. Never place the equipment in places where there are flammable materials, combustible gases or combustible liquids etc.

The equipment is not weatherproof, and should not be stored in direct sunlight, at high ambient temperatures or locations that are damp or very humid.

Product Use and Care

WARNING!

Do not use this product for any other purpose than as a walking aid. It is not to be used as a wheelchair of any kind.

This product may feature one or more or a combination of; nuts, bolts, screws, clips, fasteners and/or locking, fixing or safety mechanisms. These items/mechanisms require checking/inspection to ensure they are tight or correctly secured and are operating correctly. Failure to adequately check this product before each use may result in serious injury due to fall, loss of control, loss of balance, loss of footing, tripping, crushing and/or impact. Additionally, regular inspection/servicing should be performed by a person who is qualified and competent in servicing this product - intervals will vary depending on product usage. Consult a qualified person to determine inspection/service intervals after communicating details of your usage to them. Only use the seat once the parking brake has been applied.
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Parts Identification

1. 1 x EquipMed Walker
2. 2 x Handlebars
3. 2 x Height adjustment knobs
4. 2 x Bolts
5. 1 x Back rest
6. 1 x Basket
Assembly

1. Open the EquipMed Walker by pushing down on the black bar under the seat. Make sure the folding hinges are locked into place to secure the unit correctly. See Fig 1.
2. Place the handlebar into its receptacle and adjust to the desired height. See Fig 2.
3. Place the back rest into its receptacle and ensure it clicks into place.
4. Secure the handlebars with the height adjustment knobs and bolts into position, making sure the knobs are facing outwards. See Fig. 2.
5. Hook the basket onto the front of your Walker. See Fig 3.
6. Test the brake tension to ensure safe and proper braking before use.

Operation

Please read all caution and warning labels on your EquipMed Walker before use. The EquipMed Walker is designed as a mobility aid; it allows the user to distribute his/her weight evenly between the handlebars to allow easier movement over long distances. The EquipMed Walker can be folded to allow easy storage and transport; simply lift up the seat and black bar until the walker has folded. Take care not to catch your fingers in the hinges.

- Only use the seat once the parking break has been applied.
- The brakes have 2 functions: normal braking and parking brake.
- Normal braking is activated by pulling the brake handle up; once the handle is released the brakes are released too.
- The parking break is activated by pushing the brake handle down; you will hear a click, to know that the brake is locked in place. To release the parking brake, pull the handle back upwards to its normal position.
Maintenance

• Keep the brake handles clean to allow smooth operation.
• If the brakes feel loose or do not stop properly the cable needs tightening. To adjust the cable, tighten the screw where the cable connects to the handle to the desired tension.
• Regularly check if all the bolts and screws are properly tightened.
• Keep the wheels clean.
• Replace the wheels if worn or damaged.
• When cleaning the EquipMed Walker use soapy water and a soft cloth, abrasive cleanser and cloths can scratch the surfaces.
## Specifications

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Some experts believe that the incorrect or prolonged use of almost any product may cause serious injury or death. To help reduce your risk of serious injury or death, refer to the information below. For more information, see www.datastreamserver.com/safety

- Consult all documentation, packaging and product labelling before use. Note that some products feature documentation available online. It is recommended to print and retain the documentation.
- Before each use, check the product for loose/broken/damaged/missing parts, wear or leaks (if applicable). Never use a product with loose/broken/damaged/missing parts, wear or leaks.
- Products must be inspected and serviced (if applicable) by a qualified technician every 6 months. This is based on average residential use by persons of average size and strength, and on a property of average metropolitan size. Use beyond these recommendations may require more frequent inspections/servicing.
- Ensure that all users of the product have completed a suitable industry recognised training course before being allowed access to the product.
- The product has been supplied by a general merchandise retailer that may not be familiar with your specific application or description of application. Be sure to attain third-party approval from a qualified specialist for your application before use, regardless of any assurances from the retailer or its representatives.
- This product is not intended for use where fail-safe operation is required. As with any product (for example, automobile, computer, toaster), there is the possibility of technical issues that may require the repair or replacement of parts, or the product itself. If the possibility of such failure and the associated time it may take to rectify could in any way inconvenience the user, business or employee, or financially affect the user, business or employee, then the product is not suitable for your requirements. This product is not intended for use where incorrect operation or a failure of any kind, including but not limited to, a condition requiring product return, replacement, parts replacement or service by a technician may cause financial loss, loss of employee time or an inconvenience requiring compensation.
- If this product has been purchased in error when considering the information presented here, contact the retailer directly for details of their returns policy, if required.

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