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Instructions for Use Reprocessed Gait or Transfer Belts

Reprocessed Device for Single Use

Symbol Legend:



Date of Reprocessing



Do Not Reuse



Consult instructions for use



Do not use if package is damaged



Non-Sterile – High Level
Disinfection



Caution See Instructions for use



ReNu Medical Catalog#



Customer ID#, if none specified;
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Reprocessor/Manufacturer



Not made with natural rubber Latex



Fragile, handle with care



Keep dry



Caution: Federal (USA) law restricts
this device to sale by or on the order
of a physician.



Original Equipment Manufacturer
Catalog#



ReNu Medical Sales Order



Qty of Devices included in Pkg/Cs



Reprocessed Gait or Transfer Belts

Indications for Use

Patients/Residents requiring ambulation and/or transfer assistance.

Note: This product is not intended for use as a restraint. Remove after each use. When not in use, the caregiver can wear the belt for immediate access as needed.

Warnings

- Never apply a Gait or Transfer Belt if there is any compromise of safety or indication of inappropriateness to the patient or caregiver. Patients using a Gait or Transfer Belt that have the following conditions should always be evaluated: ostomy, colostomy, G-tubes, hernias, severe Cardio Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD), as well as those with post-surgery incisions, or those fitted with monitoring equipment, tubes, or lines that might be compromised by the pressure or the rubbing against a Gait or Transfer Belt. Do not use a Gait or Transfer Belt if the risk is outweighed by the benefit.
- **MONITORING:** ALWAYS check for skin integrity, proper circulation and range of motion when the belt is in use. Ensure that the belt is secure and does not compromise the patient's medical condition and does not interfere with tubes, lines or other equipment.
- **INSPECTION:** ALWAYS inspect before each use: check for broken stitches or parts; torn, cut or frayed material; or buckles that are cracked or broken and do not hold securely. NEVER use soiled or damaged products.
- NEVER use a Gait or Transfer Belt as a seat belt or to position a person in a chair or vehicle. Gait and Transfer Belts are not designed for seat positioning or to withstand the force of a crash.

Cautions

Do not over-rely on a Gait or Transfer Belt. These are not a substitute for good body mechanics when assisting patients. Get assistance when needed, and always follow the facility's written procedures for approved assisted walking, lifting and/or transfer procedures.

STORAGE AND HANDLING: Gait and Transfer Belts are designed for use in normal indoor environments. Store in ambient warehouse temperatures at normal humidity levels. Avoid excess moisture or high humidity that may damage the product.

Directions for Use

Metal Belt

1. With the label facing outside, wrap the belt around the patient's waist, pass the metal tip of the belt through the buckle and over the teeth of the buckle.
2. Bring the tip of the belt across the front of the buckle and slip it through the other side. Adjust it so it is snug, but not uncomfortable for the patient. You should be able to slip your open hand (flat) between the belt and the patient.
3. The strap should lay flat across the buckle. Tuck excess under the belt. Always verify proper closure before use.
4. Always grasp the transfer belt from underneath. Assist patient using your facility's approved procedures.

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Reprocessed Gait or Transfer Belts

E-Zee closure

1. With the label facing away from the patient, wrap the belt around the patient's waist and pass the end through the first metal ring on the belt.
2. For waists up to 42" (107 cm), pass the tip through the second metal ring also. For waists 43" to 54" (109 cm to 137 cm), use only the first metal ring.
3. After passing the belt through the appropriate metal ring(s), fold it over itself and back in the opposite direction.
4. Secure the hook and loop closure by pressing both sides together firmly.
5. Always verify proper closure before use. Adjust the belt so it is snug, but not uncomfortable for the patient. You should be able to slide your open hand (flat) between the belt and the patient.

Quick-Release Buckle

Warning: The quick release buckle should be positioned to the patients back so that the patient cannot release the buckle during transfer. Release of the buckle during transfer may result in injury. Always verify the buckle is not broken or cracked and holds securely before transferring the patient.

1. Release the quick-release buckle by pushing inward on the quick-release buttons.
2. Fit the belt to the patient's waist size.
3. Once adjusted, wrap the belt around the patient and snap the buckle shut.
4. Make sure you can slide your open hand (flat) between the belt and the patient.
5. Turn the buckle around to the patient's back (tuck excess strap under belt).
6. Always grasp the transfer belt from underneath. Assist patient using your facility's approved procedures.

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