

# Direct Supply® STOW-AND-GO LEGREST CARRIERS

#### Owner's Manual

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Thank you for purchasing Direct Supply<sup>®</sup> Stow-and-Go Legrest Carriers. Please read this entire guide carefully and keep it for future reference. This guide will provide you with instructions, warnings, warranty information and other important information about your Direct Supply Legrest Carriers. Share this information with your housekeeping, nursing and maintenance staff to help ensure the legrest carriers are cared for properly.

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# Warnings

**WARNING:** These legrest carriers are intended only for use with standard folding wheelchairs. Use with reclining wheelchairs, powered wheelchairs, wheelchairs with drop arms or tilt-back arms, etc. may result in user injury or damage to the device.

▲ WARNING: Use only for the storage and transport of wheelchair leg riggings (footplates and elevating legrests) ▲ WARNING: This product is designed to be compatible with many standard folding wheelchairs but may not be usable in every application. It is the responsibility of the user to ensure final fit, function and compatibility for each unique application before putting device into use.

**WARNING:** Routinely inspect legrest carriers for proper installation and function. Discontinue use if product is damaged.

#### Installation Instructions

TIP: It may be easier to install legrest carriers if the wheelchair is tipped onto its front or armrests during installation







- 1. Position carriers on one or both rear support tubes (located on back of chair) – *see figure 1.*
- 2. Select strap locations by aligning points 1, 2 and 3 with the corresponding webbing slots on the back of each legrest carrier *see figure 2.*
- 3.Route the straps through the selected webbing slots located on the back of each legrest carrier.

**TIP:** Position the straps so the excess strap material will face AWAY from the nearest wheelchair wheel (this will prevent the straps from rubbing on the wheel or becoming dislodged).

4. Position the carriers on the rear support tubes and secure each strap onto a tube – *see figure 3.* 

**TIP:** Be sure to cinch each strap tightly.

5. Set the wheelchair in its upright position and check to ensure each carrier is well-secured and not affecting the usability of the wheelchair or creating friction during movement.

**NOTE:** If the provided straps are not ideal for a given installation, other fasteners may be substituted at the user's discretion (alternative webbing material, etc.).

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## Usage Instructions

- Legrests must be completely folded before being stowed in the legrest carriers *see figure 4.*
- Insert one legrest into each legrest carrier *see figure 5.*

**NOTE:** Footplate must be inserted first (footplate will be facing down when stowed).

**NOTE:** The legrest's mounting hardware should be next to the back of the wheelchair when stowed.

• Stow legrests in the carrier when not in use on the wheelchair – see figure 6.

**NOTE:** Wheelchair may be folded while legrest carriers are installed/in use.





## Care & Maintenance

- Routinely inspect legrest carriers for proper installation and function. Discontinue use if product is damaged.
- Installation straps may be replaced if they become worn over time.
- Carriers may be wiped clean using mild detergent or quaternary disinfectant.
- If laundering is needed, machine wash in cold water in gentle cycle in a front-load washer. Do not launder with other laundry. Air-dry or tumble dry with no heat only. Do not launder installation straps.
- If legrest carriers become wet, air-dry at room temperature or tumble dry with no heat before resuming use.

## **Customer Service**

Our promise to you is that you will have a convenient and easy ordering experience, receive quality Direct Supply Legrest Carriers and enjoy outstanding customer service. If you have any questions about the legrest carriers you have purchased or would like to request warranty service, please contact the distributor from whom you purchased the legrest carriers.

# Limited Warranty

We offer to you, as the original purchaser, a warranty for the Direct Supply Legrest Carriers. Our warranty applies for the limited warranty period stated below. If any device or device part listed below is defective in material or workmanship during the applicable limited warranty period, we will repair or replace it at our cost. Please note that the decision to repair or replace a device or device part will be at our discretion. Our warranty applies only if the device is properly maintained by the original purchaser for normal, indoor use and does not cover normal wear and tear, modification of the device, or damage caused by abuse, improper use, failure to maintain, use which exceeds the published device limitations, or the combination of any device with another product. In addition, our warranty does not cover fading, colorfastness, stains, spills or exposure to chemicals, odors, heat or light. In certain cases, we may provide you repair or adjustment instructions and/or replacement parts and ask you to perform a repair or adjustment or replace a defective part.

Our warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights, which vary from state to state. Please note that our limited warranty period begins when we ship the device to you. The limited warranty period and our obligations under the warranty end once you transfer the device to someone else or at the end of the applicable limited warranty period identified below, whichever is earlier.

	Warranty Period (parts)	Anticipated Usable Device Life
Direct Supply Legrest Carriers (materials and against manufacturing defects)	1 year	5 years

Anticipated Usable Device Life is based on normal use with proper maintenance, cleaning and storage. You should still inspect, monitor and care for the device as described in this guide, as the device may need to be replaced sooner than anticipated in particular situations.

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