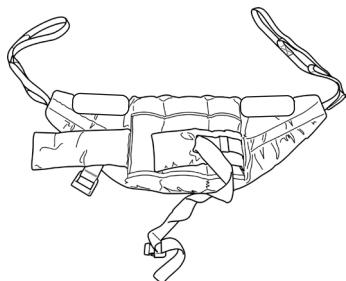


User Instruction Manual

Oxford® Deluxe Standing Disposable Sling

To avoid injury, read user manual prior to use. For alternative languages, contact your authorised service provider. Always refer to www.oxfordhealthcare.co.uk for latest revision.



Introduction

The Oxford® Deluxe Standing Disposable sling is an easy fit sling suitable for standing and supporting. It is not a general purpose sling and clients should be assessed as to their suitability. It will not suit double amputees or lifting from a horizontal position. In the interests of avoiding cross-infection, this sling is specifically designed for single patient use only.

NOTE: DO NOT WASH DISPOSABLE SLINGS

Statement of Intended Use

A sling is an item of moving and handling equipment that is used with a mechanical lift in order to facilitate the transfer of a patient. It comprises a specially designed and constructed piece of fabric that is placed under and/or around a patient before being attached to the spreader bar/cradle of a lift to raise, transfer and lower the patient. When selected and used correctly, a sling and lift combination will achieve a safer transfer and reduce the risks associated with manual handling.

It is the responsibility of a competent person to conduct a thorough risk assessment prior to using any sling, to ensure that the sling choice, method of positioning in the sling and procedure for transfer has been correctly determined for the patient. For further guidance, please contact your authorised Oxford Service Provider or Oxford directly.

FOR USE WITH ACTIVE LIFTS ONLY.

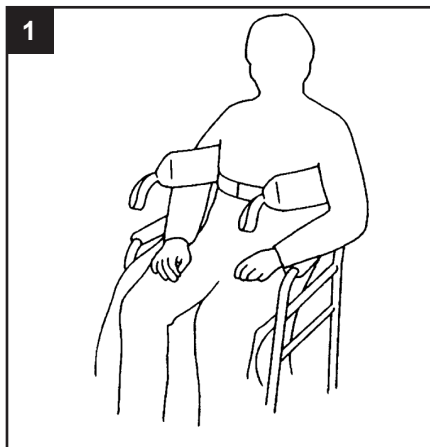
Serious Incident Reporting

In the event of a serious incident taking place during use of this product, affecting the patient and/or care-giver, it must be reported to the product manufacturer or authorised distributor. Should the incident take place within the European Union (EU), it must also be reported to the local competent authority within the member state.

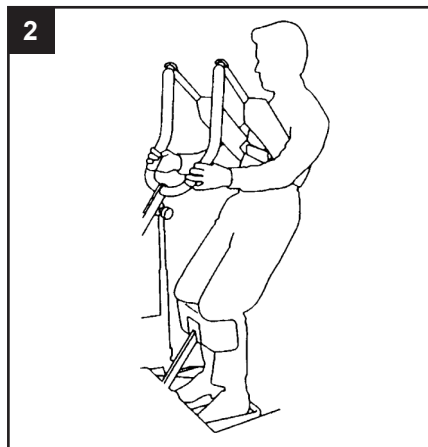
WARNING

- **OXFORD RECOMMENDS THE USE OF GENUINE OXFORD PARTS.** Oxford sling and lift products are designed to be compatible with one another. For country specific guidance on sling use and compatibility, please refer to the sling label or contact your local market distributor or Oxford.
- **For the safety of the patient and carer; before using a sling a full risk assessment must be conducted to ensure that the correct sling choice, method of positioning in the sling and procedure for transfer has been determined for the patient.**
- **CHECK** sling and stitching before each use. Using bleached, torn, cut, frayed or broken slings is unsafe and could result in serious injury or death to the patient.
- **DO NOT** alter slings. Destroy and discard worn slings.
- **NEVER** leave a patient unattended.
- **DO NOT** exceed the rated capacity of the sling or lift.
- **DO NOT** attempt to re-position a patient by pulling on the sling loops.

Fitting the Deluxe Standing Disposable Sling



Place sling down behind client's back between base of shoulder blades and bottom of rib cage. Attach strap around the front of the client. This strap need not be tight. It is there to hold the sling in position whilst attaching the sling to the stand aid. Ensure that the client's arms are outside the sling.



Position standaid so that the client's feet fit in the foot trays and knees rest against the knee pad. Initially attach the longer loops of the sling to the white hooks at the end of the hand grips. The client's hands should be placed on the black hand grips or support handles. (Once the client is used to the lift, the shorter loops may be used to achieve a more upright position). Then push the up button on hand control to raise the client to the standing position.

NOTE: THIS SLING IS NOT A GENERAL-PURPOSE SLING AND WILL NOT BE SUITABLE FOR ALL CLIENTS.

TIPS FOR USE:

CLIENT SHOULD BE ASKED TO LEAN BACK INTO THE SLING FOR THE DURATION OF THE LIFT.

TALLER CLIENTS MAY NEED TO USE SHORTER LOOPS ON THE SLING FROM THE START.

SHOULD THE CLIENT START TO LOSE TRUNK CONTROL YOU WILL FIND THAT THE SLING WILL SLIP UP BENEATH THE ARMPITS MAKING THE LIFT UNSAFE. IN THIS SITUATION THE TRANSPORT SLING CAN BE USED PROVIDING A RISK ASSESSMENT IS COMPLETED.

Technical Specifications

STANDARD	BS EN ISO 10535
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Sizing & Safe Working Load

SIZE	SWL
SMALL (RED)	200kg / 31st
MEDIUM (YELLOW)	200kg / 31st
LARGE (GREEN)	200kg / 31st

For more information on sling dimensions, please contact us. For guidance on sling application, visit www.oxfordslingsselector.co.uk.

Key Symbols

The following symbols are used for the Oxford Deluxe Standing Disposable Slings.



This product is a Medical Device in accordance with EU Medical Device Regulation 2017/745.



ATTENTION, consult accompanying documents.



Refer to the user instructions before use (Blue background).



Certification mark indicating conformity with the applicable requirements for products sold within Great Britain.



A point of contact between the non-European medical device manufacturer, the national Competent Authorities (Ministry of Health) and Notified Bodies.



A unique device identification intended to provide single, globally harmonised positive identification of medical devices through distribution and use.



Indicates the entity importing the medical device into the locale.



CE marking demonstrating compliance with the medical device regulations. The CE marking indicates that the legal manufacturer has assessed the device and that it meets the General Safety and Performance Requirements under the MDR 2017/745.

Washing Instructions & Safety Checks



DO NOT wash



DO NOT dry clean



DO NOT tumble dry



No smoking



DO NOT iron



⚠ WARNING

Disposable slings are patient specific and are designed not to be washed. Washing will compromise the integrity of the sling and therefore make it unsafe for use. Scan QR code or [click here](#) for important sling safety checks and information.

PLEASE NOTE: Additional slings are available to meet individual patient needs. We advise that you always seek the advice of a trained clinician, authorised Oxford distributor or Oxford prior to purchase or use.

End of Life Disposal

Slings and associated material accessories should be sorted as combustible waste in accordance with local or national regulations.

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