



## EXTENSION STRAPS (WIPECLEAN / DELUXE / ECONOMY)

This guide covers products LS0575W, PTLW01, LS0575, ES40, ES60 and ES100.

Our range of **Extension Straps** are used to reduce the risk of over-stretching and reaching in frequent supine transfers. We offer two types – those with buckles (Wipeclean and Deluxe) and those with loops (Economy).

### USER INSTRUCTIONS



# 1

#### EXTENSION STRAPS WITH BUCKLES

Unclip the buckle and thread the open loop through the handle of the **Slide Sheet** or patient handling device.

Clip the buckle back into place. The **Extension Strap** is now securely in place.

# 2



# 3

Take a secure hold on the strap, adopt a safe and stable posture and work in a co-ordinated manner with a colleague for a safe transfer.

Transfer the patient in a safe manner in accordance with your organisational policies or procedures.

# 4



# 5

Once the patient has been securely transferred, unclip the strap from the device, clean and store.

#### EXTENSION STRAPS WITH LOOPS

For **Economy Extension Straps** without a buckle (ES40, ES60, ES100), there are two loops. Simply pass one of the loops through the handle of a product which is used to perform the transfer (**Flat Sheet with Handles / Transfer Board** etc) and then pass it through the other strap loop and pull through. The strap will now be securely looped around the transfer device handle.

# 6



**EXTENSION STRAPS  
WIPECLEAN (BUCKLE)**

**SWL  
190KG**



Wipeclean with natural water and detergent or wipes that don't contain alcohol, solvents, bleaching or abrasive agents.



**EXTENSION STRAPS  
DELUXE (BUCKLE)**

**SWL  
400KG**



Wash at 30-74°C. Tumble dry on low heat. Do not iron. Do not use bleach. Do not use fabric conditioner



**EXTENSION STRAPS  
ECONOMY (LOOPS)**

**SWL  
400KG**



Wash at 30-74°C. Tumble dry on low heat. Do not iron. Do not use bleach. Do not use fabric conditioner



## MATERIAL CONTENT

Polypropylene

## STORAGE AND HANDLING

- Store in a clean dry environment that is not subject to excessive heat.
- Keep away from sunlight.
- Store flat and avoid placing heavy objects on top of the product.

## WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

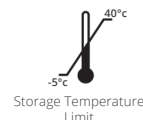
- Do not leave or drop on the floor; it is a slip hazard.
- Test all slide sheets for slippiness before use. If over-laundried and they don't slide please discard and replace.
- Inspect all products, including handles, before use for signs of damage or tears.

## CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS

- Wash as per laundry instructions (above).
- Can be wiped clean, between use with the same patient, with natural water and detergent or wipes that don't contain alcohol, solvents, bleaching or abrasive agents.
- Cleaning materials used should be patient safe and biodegradable.

## DISPOSAL INSTRUCTIONS

- Non-recyclable.
- Dispose of as clinical waste if it has been used by an infectious person.
- Otherwise dispose of through normal waste management.



## MANUFACTURER

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## HOSPITAL DIRECT (HD) ADDITIONAL SYMBOLS

At HD we understand that not everyone is familiar with all equipment, so to help therapists and healthcare professionals in assessing a product's suitability for a client, we have included two assessment tools, Functional Independence Measure (FIM) and Easy Guide Symbols. These will enable the healthcare professional to assess their client and decide whether or not a product will help the person based on their level of dependence and functional ability.

### FUNCTIONAL INDEPENDENCE MEASURE (FIM) ASSESSMENT

Our FIM assessment guide for each product will help you decide the suitability of this product for the person's ability and need. Based on the standard criteria from Level 6 where the person can use the product unaided and unsupervised to Level 1 where all the assistance is provided by the carer and the client can do nothing, this guide is easy, quick and simple to use to check suitability against ability and circumstance.

#### FIM LEVELS QUICK GUIDE. SUBJECT VS CARER HELP



### EASY GUIDE SYMBOLS

We use four symbols to indicate where a product is suitable and safe for the person to use unassisted, with a single carer or with multiple carers. These symbols indicate the minimum recommendation.



HD has a policy of continuous development and, as such, reserves the right to alter specifications (including measurements, materials and colours) without prior notice. If any serious incident has occurred in relation to the device it should be reported to the manufacturer and the competent authority in which the user and/or patient is established.