

# USER INSTRUCTIONS

## NRS BED LADDER

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### ⚠ General Safety Warning ⚠

Please make sure that you read and follow these instructions carefully. Keep these instructions in a safe place for future reference.

### Maximum User Weight



## 1. INTENDED USE

For use by those who have difficulty rising to a seated position in bed. It enables the user to pull themselves upright to a sitting position by pulling on successive handles. This product can be fitted to most bed types and sizes from single to king size.

## 2. SAFETY

**Warning:** The maximum user weight must not be more than 140 kg (22 st).

Always fit the bed ladder on top of the bed and bedding; do not fit between sheets.

Make sure the ladder is securely attached to the foot of the bed prior to use.

Make sure any excess or loose strapping is tucked or tied out of the way at all times.

Keep the product away from fire.

Not suitable for use by children.

## 3. UNPACKING

Remove the packaging and check all parts carefully. Contact your supplier immediately if parts are missing or damaged and do not try and assemble.

### 3.1 Contents:

1. Bed Ladder x 1
2. Bed Straps with plastic buckle x 2

## 4. FITTING



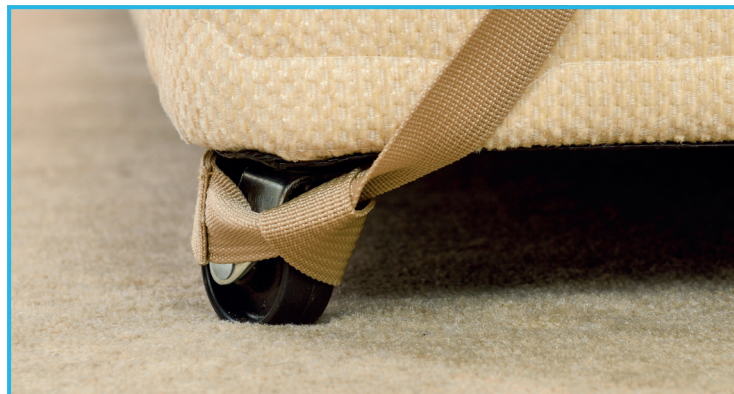
1. Place the Bed Ladder on the bed in the required position for the user, handles facing upwards.

**Note:** The bed ladder can be positioned centrally on a single bed, or offset to one side on a double bed. The top handle should be within easy reach of the user when lying down in the bed.



2. Use the bedding clips at the top of the ladder to secure it to the bed linen.

**Note:** If the bed linen material is thin, it may be necessary to fold twice for the bedding clips to grip securely.



3. Loop a bed strap around one of the bed legs or castors at the foot of the bed.
4. Thread the buckle through the loop in the strap and pull tight.
5. Repeat steps 3 & 4 for the second strap on the opposite bed leg/castor.



6. Fasten the bed straps to the ladder using the buckle clips, ensuring the straps are not twisted.
7. Pull the straps tight adjusting the length as required. Tuck any excess strap under the mattress.
8. The bed ladder is now fully fitted and is ready for use.

## 5. USE



To use the bed ladder, the user should grasp the first handle and then reach for successive handles to pull themselves from a lying to an upright position.

## 6. MAINTENANCE

Check the stitching along the seams and fixing points for the ladder handles.

Check the fabric for tears, holes or loose threads.

Check the buckles are correctly fastened and the straps are secure around the bed feet or castors.

Periodically inspect for signs of general wear. Any suspected faults or damage should immediately be reported to the supplier and the product taken out of use.

The recommended life of the product is 5 years from the date of purchase and 8 years from the date of manufacture. Do not use the product beyond these dates.

## 7. CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS

Spot clean using a general purpose, neutral detergent and warm water.

Hand wash using a neutral detergent at a low temperature, maximum 30°C.

To disinfect, wash using a mild disinfectant and rinse thoroughly with fresh water. Please check the suitability of the cleaning product before use. Do not use bleach.

Allow the product to dry thoroughly prior to use/ storage. Do not tumble dry or iron.

## 8. PRODUCT DISPOSAL

This product must be thoroughly cleaned prior to disposal.

This product is manufactured from textiles and can be disposed of through Local Authority Household Waste and Recycling Centres or through Local Trade Waste Collectors.

## 9. PRODUCT GUARANTEE

NRS Healthcare guarantee this product for a period of 24 months, from the date of purchase, against faulty materials and workmanship.

This guarantee does not cover abuse, interference or tampering with any part of the products. Issues arising from fair wear & tear and customer misuse are not covered.

This guarantee covers domestic use only. If the product is used in commercial or semi-commercial settings such as care homes, schools, rental or communal accommodation etc, the guarantee is valid for one year only. Consumable parts are also guaranteed for one year only.

Any guarantee issued by NRS Healthcare does not affect your statutory rights.

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