

# USER INSTRUCTIONS

## DOVEDALE HEIGHT ADJUSTABLE COMMUNE RANGE

F18864 Commode with Fixed Arms

F19455 Commode with Removable Arms

### ⚠ 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

The Dovedale commode range has been designed to assist those who have difficulty in accessing or using a standard toilet. All Dovedale commodes have a hinged plastic toilet seat, commode pan with lid and vinyl lift off vanity cover.



**F18864**  
**Adjustable Height**  
**Fixed Arms**



**F19455**  
**Adjustable Height**  
**Detachable Arms**

## 2. SAFETY



**Warning:** Do not exceed the maximum user weight of 180 kg (28 st).

**YOU MUST** inspect the commode frame and fixings at regular intervals for wear and damage. If damage is found, stop using the commode and contact your supplier immediately for advice.

**DO NOT** use the vinyl vanity cover as a seat, it should only be used as a cover.

**DO NOT** lean backward, this can cause the commode to tip over.

**MAKE SURE** all legs are all at the same height.

## 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.

## 4. IN USE

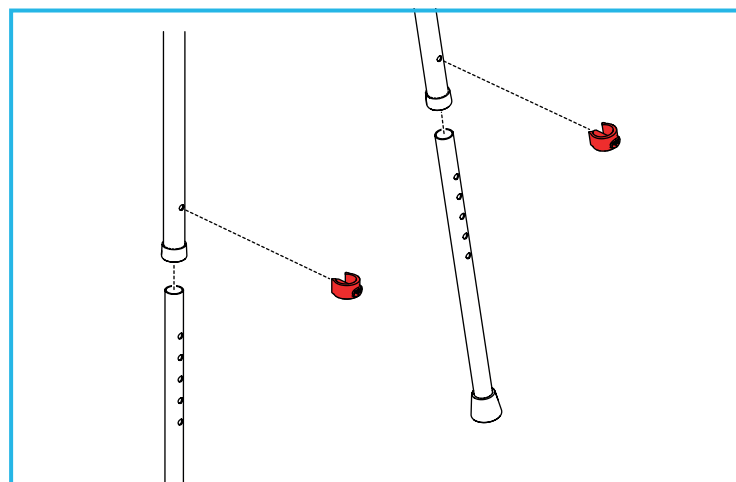
**Note:** Check that the commode pan is fully secure before use.

Remove the vanity cover to use commode.

Remove, clean and dry the commode pan after use in accordance with section 4.4.

Replace the vanity cover onto the toilet seat to conceal the commode pan.

### 4.1 Adjusting the Height



**Note:** You should remove the vanity cover and commode pan before adjusting the height.

To adjust the commode height, remove the E-clips, then slide each leg to the required height.

Align the adjustment holes and replace the E-clips.

**Note:** Make sure that all legs have been adjusted to the same height before use.

### 4.2 Detach the Arms for Transfer (F19455)

Use both hands to press in the spring buttons on each end of the arm.

Remove the arm by lifting it from the two frame fixing sockets.

### 4.3 Refitting the Arms

Slot the arms into the frame, press in the spring buttons and push the arm down until the spring buttons click into place.

### 4.4 Removing the Commode Pan

Lift the toilet seat and fit the provided lid to the commode pan to avoid splashing, then carefully raise the commode pan using the handle.

Dispose of the contents into a proper sluice or WC.



**Warning:** Never use an open drain, sink or basin. This could cause a serious health risk.

Clean out any residue with a suitable disinfectant.

Dry the commode pan fully before re-fitting to the commode.

## 5. MAINTENANCE

Check the toilet seat, legs, ferrules and frame for damage at regular intervals.



**Warning:** Do not use the product if the seat, legs, ferrules or frame are damaged in any way.

Please contact your supplier if you require assistance with the maintenance of the commode. Incorrect adjustments can result in serious injury.

## 6. CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS

Please check the suitability of the cleaning products before use. Do not use abrasive cleaners or cloths as these could permanently damage the surface and invalidate any warranty.

Clean regularly using a general purpose, neutral detergent and warm water.

To disinfect, wipe with a dilute bleach solution, and rinse thoroughly with fresh water.

This product is suitable for thermal decontamination and can be steam cleaned or autoclaved on cleaning cycles up to 80°C.

Allow product to fully dry prior to use/storage.

## 7. ACCESSORIES & SPARE PARTS

**P57887:** Spares Kit (4 x E-clip & 4 x Ferrule).

**M11193:** Spare Commode Pan and Lid.

**P42639:** Abena Abri-Bag Commode Liner.

## 8. PRODUCT DISPOSAL

This product should be thoroughly cleaned prior to disposal.

This product is manufactured from metal, PVC and plastic 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.

## 10. GLOSSARY

	Manufacturer		Batch Reference Code		Consult the instructions for use
	Important Note		Authorised representative in the European Community		Medical Device
	Item/Catalogue number		European Conformity / Conformité Européene		UK conformity assessed marking
	Maximum User Weight		Warning		



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