

# User Instructions M46419 - Children's Commode

### **General Safety Warning**

Please ensure these instructions are fully read and understood before use. Retain in a safe place for future reference.

Before using the commode, check the product for any visible defects. If you see any damage or suspect a fault, please contact your supplier for further instructions.

#### **Intended Purpose**

The Children's Commode is designed to assist children who have difficulty in accessing or using a standard toilet. It has a backrest, armrests and also a Lap Belt to give additional support if required.

#### Instructions for Use:

Adjust the height of the commode, to suit the child, as follows:

- 1 Remove each e-clip in turn. Slide each leg to the required height.
- 2 Align the holes and replace e-clip.
- 3 Ensure that all legs are secured at the same position in order to prevent rocking. Never extend legs in a manner so that the commode is slanting. This will compromise the safety of the user.
- 4 Adjust the Lap Belt to suit the child, if required.
- 5 To remove the Potty, unclip and raise seat at the front
- 6 For cleaning instructions see reverse.

#### **Spare Commode Potty and Lid**

The potty and lid are available as a spare. To order please contact customer services. Code No M11193

#### **Please Note**

Under no circumstances should the commode be moved whilst occupied. It is advised that you check the frame frequently, at least every month, for signs of wear and tear, dimpled or flaking paint or cracks in the frame. Should there be any such evidence, please refrain from using the commode.







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### Cleaning

These instructions are intended to provide guidance on the methods and products available for the effective cleaning of the commode when used in the home, to help reduce the risk of infections as well as keeping the commode clean and odour free.

It is recommended that you have the following items available (these are widely available but can also be purchased from NRS – see opposite column).

- i) Vinyl or latex disposable gloves
- ii) Sanitising spray
- iii) Sanitising wipes

# A) - Cleaning the Commode Potty

- 1. Put on the disposable gloves.
- 2. Place the lid on the potty and carry with both hands to the bathroom or toilet.

(It is wise practice to support the potty with one hand in case the handle detaches). Lift up the toilet seat and pour the contents into the toilet.

- 3. Rinse the potty with warm water and pour down the toilet; this helps to clean some of the residue left in the potty.
- 4. Wipe the inside of the potty with sanitising wipes and dispose of in a separate container.
- 5. Rinse the potty with warm water and wipe dry with toilet paper.
- 6. Spray the potty with the sanitising spray and return under the commode seat ensuring it is secure.
- 7. Remove and dispose of gloves.

## B) - Cleaning the Commode

It is recommended that the seat and arms are wiped with sanitising wipes after each use/day, and the whole commode is wiped down once a week.

### C) - Cleaning the Lap Strap

The lap strap may be machine washed at temperatures up to 80°C.

Remove the straps from the commode frame, clip together, and ideally place in a net wash bag. For effective decontamination wash at a minimum of 70°C for 10 minutes.

The following products are available from NRS Healthcare to assist in the safe and effective cleaning of your commode. These can be purchased by phone (Tel 0845 121 8111) or on-line at www.nrs-uk.co.uk

# 1. Supernova<sup>®</sup> Infection Control

Independently tested to kill bacteria, spores, viruses and moulds including C-difficile, MRSA and Norovirus. Alcohol free formulation means it won't dry or crack hands. Available as sanitising wipes and sanitising spray.

Supernova<sup>®</sup> Large Surface Wipes Code: M46365 Supernova<sup>®</sup> Sanitising Spray 1Ltr Code: M46377





# **2. Latex or Vinyl Powdered gloves** Supplied in packs of 100, available in three sizes.

Codes
Small
Medium
Large



Vinyl	Latex
M11508	M11533
M16580	M16646
M16592	M16658



# 3. Bio Care Bags - Pack of 20 Code: L99351

The Bio-degradable Care Bag is a commode potty liner containing a special sheet that absorbs and gels waste. After using, the liner is simply removed, sealed with the drawstring and disposed of, either by incineration or, as the Care Bag is biodegradable, into normal household waste, a simple, hygienic and convenient solution for emptying potties.

