

USER INSTRUCTIONS

ATLAS ADVANCE SAFETY BELT

P11449	Small: Hip Size 90 - 105cm (35 - 41")	P11450	Medium: Hip Size 100 - 120cm (39 - 47")
P11462	Large: Hip Size 115 - 140cm (45 - 55")		

⚠ General Safety Warning ⚠

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

1. INTENDED USE

The transfer aid safety belt is designed to provide support to the user of the Atlas Advance Transfer Aid over short distance transfers. It may also be used to assist the user rising from or lowering into a seated position, provided a suitable risk assessment is completed.



Atlas Advance Safety Belt

2. SAFETY

Warning: The maximum user weight must not be more than 155Kg (24st).

NRS recommend the user wears the safety belt at all times during transfers.

Always perform a risk assessment prior to use, particularly when using the safety belt to assist the user when rising or lowering.

The user must be able to support their own weight and maintain balance for prolonged periods of time.

Do not leave the user unattended when using the product.

Maximum User Weight



3. USING THE SAFETY BELT

3.1 Fitting the Safety Belt:



1. Pass the belt loosely around the user.
2. Position the belt (1) under the users bottom so the elasticated section (2) is positioned on the lower back.



3. Fasten the Velcro section (3) to secure the safety belt.

3.2 Raising the user (one person lift):

Note: This method can be used to assist the user to stand or sit, where they need a little extra guidance. It should only be done after carrying out a suitable risk assessment.



1. Position the transfer aid in front of the seated user and apply the brakes.



2. Make sure the safety belt is fully secure before you attempt to lift the user (refer to Section 3.1).



3. Loop one side of the safety belt strap to the button fastener on the handle frame.

Note: Make sure the safety belt has fully engaged the button fastener.

Note: There are two button fastener heights. Choose the height which gives the most comfortable belt location for the user. The belt must be secured to the button fasteners at the same height on each side.



4. Place one foot on the transfer aid to counterbalance the user and hold the handle nearest the fixed end of the safety belt.
5. Using the other (free) hand, hold the free end of the safety belt strap and guide the user to a standing position.



6. Pull the other belt strap taut and secure it by looping over the corresponding button on the handle frame.

Note: Make sure the safety belt has fully engaged the button fastener.



- The transfer aid can now be used to transfer the user over short distances (Refer to the transfer aid user instruction section 5.3).

3.3 Lowering the User (one person lift):

- Position the transfer aid in front of the seat and apply the brakes.
- Reverse the steps in Section 3.2.

3.4 Raising the user (two person lift):

Note: This method can be used to assist the user to stand or sit, where they need a little more guidance than can be provided by a single person lift described in section 3.2. It should only be done after carrying out a suitable risk assessment.



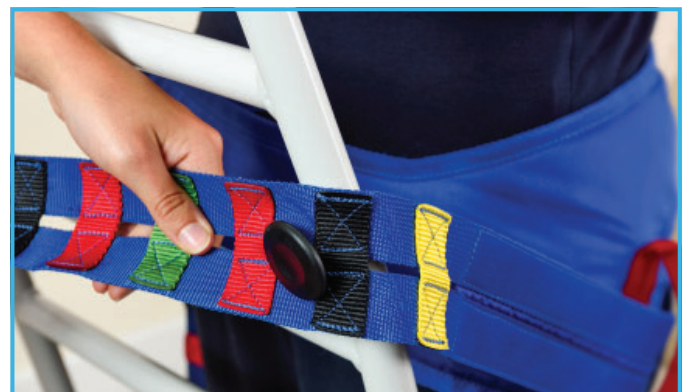
- Both carers must place one foot on the transfer aid and hold the handle to counterbalance the user.
- Guide the user to a standing position using the handles (4) on both sides of the safety belt.



- Position the transfer aid in front of the seated user and apply the brakes.



- Make sure the safety belt is fully secure before you attempt to lift the user (refer to Section 3.1).



- Loop one side of the safety belt strap to the button fastener on the handle frame.

Note: Make sure the safety belt has fully engaged the button fastener.



6. Pull the other belt strap taught and secure it by looping over the corresponding button on the handle frame.

Note: Make sure the safety belt has fully engaged the button fastener.

7. The transfer aid can now be used to transfer the user over short distances (Refer to the transfer aid user instruction section 5.3).

3.5 Lowering the User (two person lift):

1. Position the transfer aid in front of the seat and apply the brakes.
2. Reverse the steps in Section 3.4.

4. CLEANING

Refer to the label on the product for reference.

Machine wash up to 60°C using a mild detergent. Do not steam clean.

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

Allow the product to fully dry prior to use/storage.

5. MAINTENANCE

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

6. PRODUCT DISPOSAL

This product should be thoroughly cleaned prior to disposal.

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

7. PRODUCT GUARANTEE

NRS Healthcare guarantee this product for a period of 12 months, from the date of purchase, against faulty materials and workmanship.

This guarantee does not cover; abuse, misuse, interference or tampering with any part of the product.

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



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