

RESIDENT-RELEASE NYLON BELTS

Reorder #	Product Description	Closure	Size
☐701010	RESIDENT-RELEASE BELT	SIDE-RELEASE BUCKLE	42"L x 2"W
☐701011	RESIDENT-RELEASE BELT	SIDE-RELEASE BUCKLE	54"L x 2"W
☐701015	RESIDENT-RELEASE BELT	RESIDENT-FRIENDLY BUCKLE	42"L x 2"W
☐701030	RESIDENT-RELEASE BELT	VELCRO	37"L x 2"W
☐701031	RESIDENT-RELEASE BELT	VELCRO	60"L x 2"W
☐701035	RESIDENT-RELEASE BELT	VELCRO W/RED LOOP	37"L x 2"W

PURPOSE

Resident-Release Nylon Belts are designed to be released easily by most residents. These belts are not considered to be restraints when used by residents who have the ability to open them at will or upon request. However, they become physical restraints when used by residents who are unable to release them. The determination of the appropriateness of any of these belts for a specific resident is the responsibility of the professional and medical staff. These belts are intended for wheelchair use only.

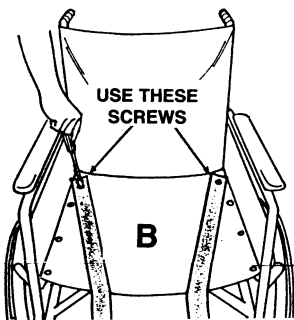
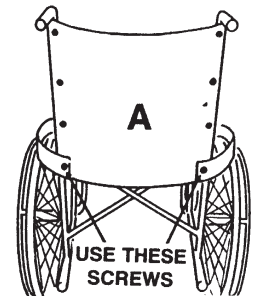
INSTALLATION TO WHEELCHAIR

Each belt listed above may be attached to a wheelchair using either of the methods described below.

METHOD A.

1. Remove the bottom screws from the left and right sides of the wheelchair backrest. (See Illustration A.) Keep the grommets.

2. Place the grommets on the screws. Insert the screws through the holes in the metal tabs on the ends of the belt sections. Reinsert the screws into the screw holes and secure them to the backrest frame.



METHOD B.

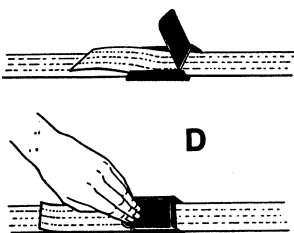
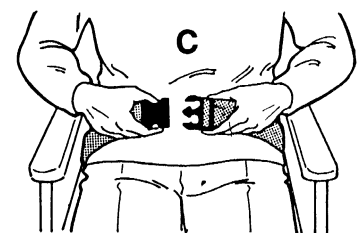
1. Remove the rear screws from the left and right sides of the wheelchair seat. (See Illustration B.) Keep the grommets.

2. Place the grommets on the screws. Insert the screws through the holes in the metal tabs on the ends of the belt sections. Reinsert the screws into the screw holes and screw holes and secure them to the seat frame.

APPLICATION

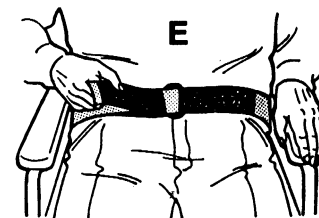
Before seating the resident, lock both wheelchair brakes and adjust the footrests to the out-of-way position. Seat the resident as far back on the wheelchair seat as possible. Position the footrests to the front of the wheelchair and place the resident's feet on them.

Side-Release Buckle (See Illustration C) Insert the male end of the buckle into the female end. A "click" indicates that the buckle is secure. To release, simultaneously press the tabs on the top and bottom of the buckle.



Resident-Friendly Buckle (See Illustration D) Lift faceplate of the buckle and insert the webbing through the space between the buckle cam and buckle base. Press faceplate all the way down to secure the buckle. To release, lift up the loose end of the webbing.

Resident-Release Belt with Velcro and Resident-Release Belt with Velcro and Red Loop. (See Illustration E) Insert belt section with Velcro material through d-ring on opposite belt section. Secure by pressing hook material against loop material.



IMPORTANT

Periodically check belt to make certain that the closure is properly secured. It is especially important to inspect the closure when your resident has secured the belt himself/herself.

CLEANING

Each of these nylon belts may be cleaned with a spray-type cleaner and a damp cloth or sponge. Laundering is not recommended. The hook-and-loop material should be inspected periodically for lint build up. The hook-and-loop material may be cleaned with a stiff brush.