

# FREEWAY

## Assembly Instructions & User Guide

### T80 & T80 Paediatric Reclining Shower / Commode / Toilet Chair

Dear customer,

Thankyou, for purchasing a Freeway T80 / T80 Paediatric shower chair from our extensive range of shower / commode / toilet chairs.

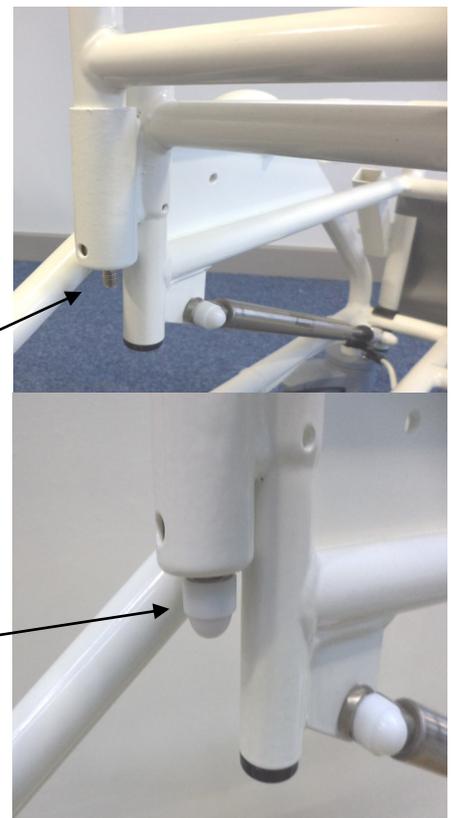
Please ensure that all the accessories you ordered have arrived with your chair, and all accessories are free from any damage.

Please read the following instructions carefully to enable you to use your chair in a safe manner, as they contain important safety information.

**Safety Note: Assembly of this chair may require 2 persons**

#### 1. Fitting the backrest to the frame.

- Remove the backrest and chair from the packaging and place on a flat surface. Be careful as you move the backrest, as the reclining lever is already attached.
- Remove the two white plastic nut covers and using the 13mm spanner provided, undo the two M8 nuts and washers from the backrest.
- Fit the backrest into the rear-most sockets at the rear of the frame, with the handles facing backwards and push into position.
- Fit the M8 washers & M8 nuts onto the threads and tighten up using the 13mm spanner. Fit the 2 white plastic covers over the nuts ( see photo )
- Fit the cable tie around the brake cable and frame of the chair to stop excessive movement of the brake cable



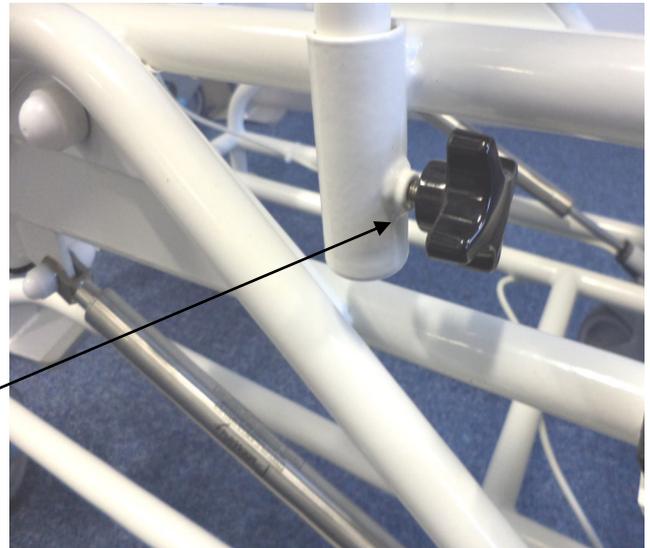
## 2. Fitting the Seat to the frame.

- Remove the plastic bag containing the four black hand nuts secured at the rear of the frame. Keep these as they are required for fitting the armrests and the footrests.
- Remove the plastic bag from the seat and place the seat onto the frame.
- Rotate the 4 plastic retention clips over the frame. Make sure they are rotated 90 degrees, to ensure the seat is secured correctly. ( see photo )



## 3. Fitting the Armrests.

- Remove the armrests from their packaging and take 2 of the black hand nuts from the plastic bag.
- Insert armrest legs into the sockets, ensuring the rivet is at the front.
- Tighten the hand nuts to secure the armrests.



## 4. Fitting the Footrests.

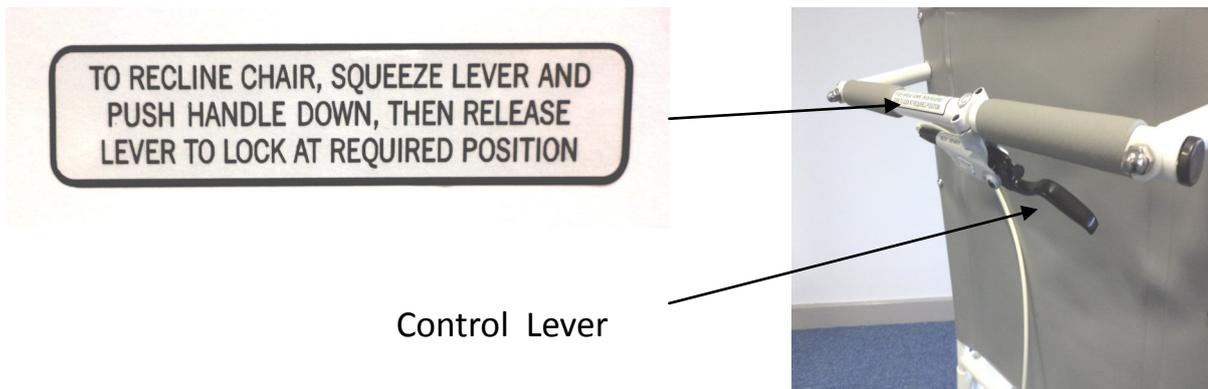
- To fit the footrest onto the chair, slide the square tube into the frame tube.
- Use 2 black hand nuts to secure the footrest to the frame. ( see photo )



## Operation of the Reclining Action / Tilt Control Lever

The reclining action on your T80 chair is controlled by the lever fitted at the rear of the chair. This tilt action allows the chair to recline through an infinite number of positions up to 45 degrees. This flexibility allows the carer to obtain the best position increasing comfort and relieving pressure for the client.

A label is also fixed to the handle detailing the correct operation of the lever. See photos below.



### SAFETY WARNINGS

- Ensure that all maintenance and checks are followed, (see page 4)
- Non self-propelled Chairs should be used when a carer is present.
- NEVER use your Freeway shower/ toilet chair without ensuring that the 4 retaining clips that secure the seat are in the “locked” position.
- Armrests & backrests are detachable to aid in transfer and storage only. Both Armrests and Backrests should be fitted to the chair when in use.
- Always ensure that the nuts at the base of the Backrests are tight at all times whilst the shower / toilet chair is in use.
- On self propelled models, when engaging the brake on the large wheels, ensure that the lever is fully depressed to its “stop.”
- When using the chair over a toilet, always ensure that the toilet lid & seat are up.

## **STABILITY**

Your Freeway T80 reclining shower chair has been manufactured to be safe, durable, reliable for use by persons up to the safe working load of that chair. The Freeway T80 range of chairs have been weight tested to 160 kgs (25 stone). All chairs come with a standard 12 month warranty.

Please do not overload the chair or use it in any environment that could cause damage as this could adversely effect your guarantee, should any problems arise.

- Do not stand on the footrests, or allow the footrests to be stood upon.
- Do not sit upon or allow others to sit upon the armrests of the chair.

## **CLEANING**

Your chair has been coated with Freecoat our unique anti- bacterial and anti—microbial coating. The coating is durable and prolongs the life of the chair.

- Wipe clean and dry as much as possible after use.
- Once a week or more often as necessary, clean with an all-purpose cleaning fluid or mild disinfectant, rinse, then dry as much as possible.

## **MAINTENANCE**

### **BEFORE EACH USE:**

- Check backrest nuts and seat securing clips are in position, footrest and armrest locking nuts are in position and brake levers are secure.

### **EACH WEEK:**

- As daily check.
- Check that the castors turn without obstruction. Apply brakes and test function.
- Check that the tilting mechanism operates correctly.
- Check seats for damage to vinyl or base that might allow ingress of water.
- Check backrest vinyl is secure and free from damage.

### **EVERY YEAR:**

- The chair should be serviced every 12 months to check for wear, and to make any adjustments necessary.

**DO NOT JET WASH CASTORS OR SEAT**

**DO NOT DROP SEAT**

**There is a large selection of optional extras that can be fitted to FREEWAY chairs.**

**See your agent for details.**

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