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Hero Medical Super Budget Wheelchair **User Manual**



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Introduction



S310064 Wheelchair - Hero Medical 18" Self-Propelled Super Budget Black Steel 115kg S310065 Wheelchair - Hero Medical 18" Transit Super Budget Black Steel 115kg

Safety & Precautions

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Stability – The Hero Medical Super Budget Wheelchair has been designed with the user's comfort and safety in mind. Users must be seated securely in the wheelchair when it is in use. It is advised to avoid sudden movements which may cause the user to fall forward, e.g. jolting or pushing the wheelchair suddenly.

Uneven Terrain – Operating the wheelchair on uneven terrain increases the risk of the wheelchair tipping over. When using the wheelchair on an incline, the user should be leaning forward. When using the wheelchair on a decline, the user should be leaning back. Altering the position of the user's body weight will ensure the centre of gravity on the wheelchair is maintained, therefore reducing the risk of tipping.

Weight Capacity – The maximum safety weight limit for the wheelchair is 115kg and must not be exceeded. If the maximum safety weight limit is exceeded, there is an increased risk of damage to the wheelchair and/or risk of serious injury to the user and others.

Handle With Care / Pinching Hazards – The wheelchair has areas which may cause pinching hazards for fingers and limbs during assembly and disassembly. Areas that have been identified as trapping or pinching hazards are:

- a. The footplates, when raising and lowering them.
- b. The seat frame when folding and unfolding the wheelchair.

Safe Handling of the Wheelchair – In order to avoid trapping or pinching hazards, the wheelchair has safe grip areas. These are:

- a. The two handle grips are located at the back of the wheelchair for safely moving the wheelchair.
- b. Padded armrest and legrest with foot strap is available on each side to ensure user safety while in use.

Exposure to Weather – If the wheelchair is exposed to hot or cold temperatures for a long period of time, then the wheelchair may become very hot or very cold which may increase the risk of burns to the user, as well as damage to the wheelchair itself.

Safety Check Before Use – It is highly recommended for the safety of the user the below checks are performed before use every time.

- a. Check the brakes
- b. Check the castors for wear and tear
- c. Check whether or not all the removable parts are securely fastened (eg: legrest hanger, foot plates, castors)





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Labelling Information

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a. Product Label

The wheelchair has a product label on the frame located above the front right castor. The product label has the following information:



- · Name and address of the company
- · Name and code for the product
- · Safe Working Load (SWL)
- Serial number of the product (which includes the date of manufacture and the batch serial number)

b. Usage Label

The wheelchair has a usage label on the frame, located above the front left castor. The usage label includes the following information:

Hero Medical Super Budget Wheelchair

- Not AS/NZS 3696.19 compliant
- This wheelchair is not intended for use as a motor vehicle seat. This wheelchair does not have tie-down anchorage points
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- Robust steel frame
- Swing away legrests with folding height-adjustable footplates
- > Padded seat, backrest and armrests for increased comfort
- ▶ Folds easily for transportation and compact storage
- User accessible parking brakes on rear wheels

Specifications

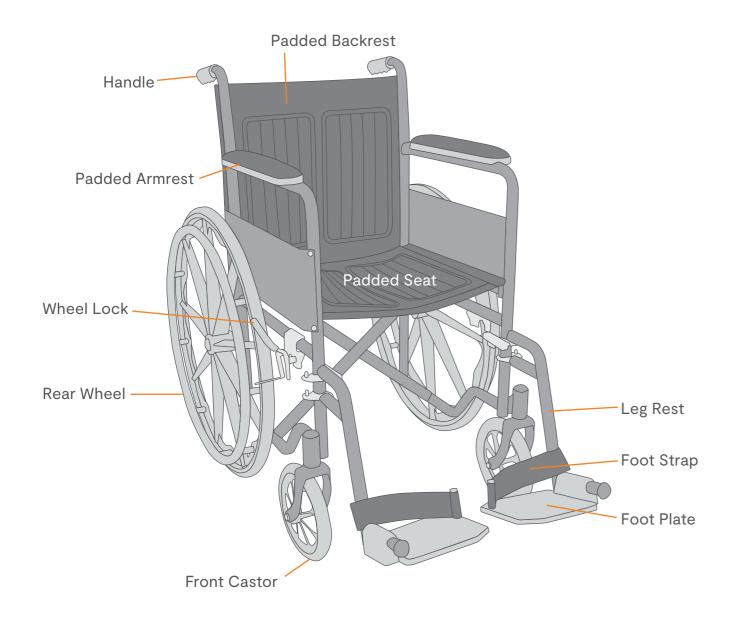
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Specifications	S310065	S310064
Туре	Transit	Self-Propelled
Seat Width	45cm (18")	45cm (18")
Seat Depth	40cm (16")	40cm (16")
Seat Height (from floor)	48cm	48cm
Overall Height	92cm	92cm
Backrest Height (from seat)	42.5cm	42.5cm
Front Castors	8"	8"
Rear Wheels	24"	12.5"
Net Weight	15.4kg	17.6kg
Safe Working Load (SWL)	115kg	115kg
TGA	393672	393672
Compliance	AS/NZS 3695.1:2011	AS/NZS 3695.1:2011



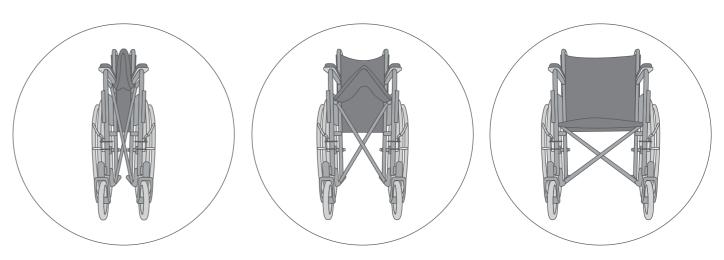


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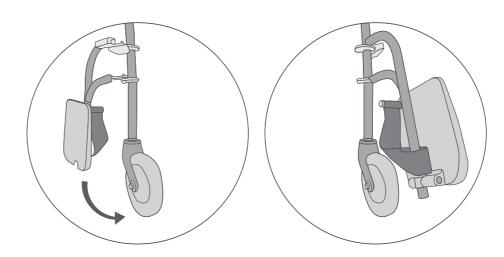
Unfolding the Wheelchair

- · Pull the handles apart until the frame is half open.
- Place hands flat on the top of the seat and push downwards to fully unfold the wheelchair.



Attaching the Legrests

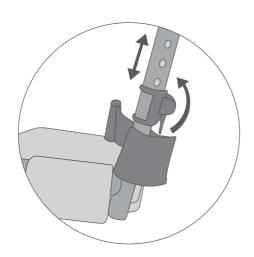
- Position the legrest parallel to the side of the seat frame, facing towards the rear of the wheelchair with the silver clip facing away from the frame.
- · Place the legrests securely on the 2 pins located above the front castors.
- · Swivel the legrest forward until you hear the silver clip click, securing it to the frame.
- · Push the footplates down until they are parallel to the ground.



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Adjusting Height of the Footplates

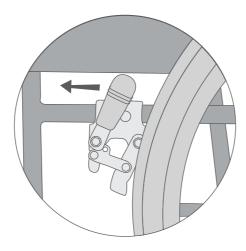
- Undo the "T" shaped clip located at the end of the legrest hanger to unlock the footplate.
- Press the 2 push pins and pull or push the footplate to desired height.
- · Push the "T" clip down to lock footplates.



Using the Park Brake

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- Engage the park brake by pushing the brake lever forward until it locks.
- Release the park brake by pulling the brake lever backwards until it unlocks.



Folding the Wheelchair

- Remove the legrests from the wheelchair by folding the footplates and releasing the silver clip. Swivel the leg rests outwards and lift up from the pins.
- Pull up on the seat to collapse the wheelchair half way.
 Gently push both of the arm rests inwards to fully collapse the wheelchair.



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- The castors, seat and back rest needs to be checked regularly for wear and tear.
 Recommended maintenance for these is every 3 months. Replace these parts when there is visible wear and tear.
- · The brake function needs to be tested before every use of the wheelchair.
- · If the wheelchair is exposed to water or moisture, always ensure the wheelchair is dried promptly to prevent corrosion of the frame. The wheelchair should be wiped down regularly using warm water or a mild detergent.
- · All the replacement parts, as well as after-sales support and repair services are available through Hero Medical Dealers.



The Hero Medical Super Budget wheelchair comes with a 12 month warranty from the date of purchase on structural integrity.

- During the warranty period any parts that have become defective due to faulty workmanship or material will be repaired or replaced without charge by a Hero Medical dealer of where the product was purchased.
- The warranty excludes castors, wheels, components and parts that are subject to reasonable wear and tear.
- The warranty excludes faults that have been identified as misuse or user error.
- · Unauthorised changes or modifications will forfeit the warranty.
- If a defect or fault is discovered, the Hero Medical dealer of where the product was purchased should be contacted immediately.

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9 Recycle & Disposal

The following information describes the materials used in the wheelchair. Recycling and disposal should always be done through an authorized agent for disposal.

- · Frame: tubular steel frame
- · Armrest: PVC armrest
- · Seat & backrest: vinyl
- · Castors and handgrips: polyurethane
- · Packaging: cardboard carton and plastic

Please follow the local government rules in regards to the proper disposal and recycling.

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