

DESCRIPTION OF PRODUCT: Soft, foam padded belt with cotton straps and plastic cam-lock buckle. Chair-application only.

Rx ONLY



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INDICATIONS FOR USE:

- Patients assessed to be at risk of injury from a fall.
- Patients requiring a positioning device to assist medical treatment.

CONTRAINDICATIONS:

- **DO NOT** use on a patient who is or becomes highly aggressive, combative, agitated, or suicidal.
- **DO NOT** use on patients with: ostomy, colostomy, or G-tubes; hernias, severe Cardio Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD); or with post-surgery tubes, incisions or monitoring lines. These could be disrupted by a restraint.

ADVERSE REACTIONS

- Severe emotional, psychological, or physical problems may occur: if the applied device is uncomfortable; or if it severely limits movement. If symptoms of these problems ever appear for any reason, get help from a qualified medical authority and find a less restrictive, product or intervention.

POSEY PADDED BELT W/AIRLINE BUCKLE

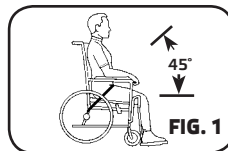
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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS: CHAIR

WARNING Make sure patient wears proper undergarments to protect skin.

CAUTION Before use, check device for damage. Discard if you have any questions about patient safety.

1. Position the patient as far back in the seat as possible, with the buttocks against the back of the chair.
2. Lay the lap belt across the patient's thighs with the foam facing in.
3. Bring the ends of the connecting straps down at a 45-degree angle between the seat and the wheelchair sides (fig. 1).
4. Secure the straps, with the buckle, behind the backrest as low as possible (fig. 2). Check that the straps are secure and will not change position, loosen, or tighten if the patient pulls on them, or if the chair is adjusted.
5. The belt must be snug, but not interfere with breathing. To check for proper fit, slide an open hand (flat) between the belt and the patient.



WARNING

Heed these warnings to reduce the risk of serious injury or death:

- There is a risk of chest compression or suffocation, if the patient's body weight is suspended off the chair seat. Use extreme caution with chair cushions. If a cushion dislodges, straps may loosen and allow the patient to slide off the seat (fig. 3).
- Monitor per facility policy to ensure that the patient cannot slide down, or fall off the chair seat and become suspended (fig. 3).



FIG. 3

- **STOP USE AT ONCE:** if the patient has a tendency to slide forward or down in the device; or is able to self-release.
NOTE: A restraint with a pelvic piece will reduce the risk of sliding, or of the patient pulling the device over his or her head. See Posey Catalog.

ADDITIONAL SAFETY AND LAUNDERING INSTRUCTIONS ON OTHER SIDE



