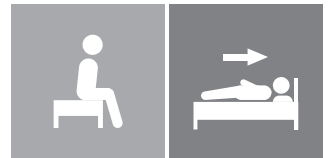


Instruction for use

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MultiGlide
w/handles

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General

Thank you for choosing an Etac product.

To avoid accidents and injury when moving and handling the products, read the manual carefully.

The person described as “the user” in this user manual is the person who is lying or sitting on the product. The carers are the people who manoeuvre the product.



This symbol appears alongside the text in the manual. It draws the reader's attention to points at which there may be a risk to the health and safety of the user or carer.

These products comply with the standards applicable for Class 1 products in the Medical Device Regulation (EU) 2017/745 on medical devices.

At Etac we strive to improve our products all the time and therefore we reserve the right to make changes to products without prior warning. All measurements given on illustrations and similar material are for guidance only and Etac cannot be held liable for errors and defects.

The information given in this manual, including

recommendations, combinations and sizing, does not apply to special orders and modifications. If the customer makes adjustments, repairs or combinations not predetermined by Etac, the Etac CE certification and Etac warranty will not be valid. If in doubt, please contact Etac.

Warranty: Two-year warranty on material and manufacturing defects, provided that the product is used correctly.

Expected lifetime: The device has an expected service life of 1 to 2 years under normal use. The service life of the device varies depending on usage frequency, loads and how often and how it is washed

For further information on the Etac transfer range, see www.etac.com.

In case of an adverse event occurred in relation to the device, incidents should be reported to your local dealer and the national competent authority in a timely manner. The local dealer will forward information to manufacturer.

Symbols in general



Washing



Disinfect / Wipe off



Warning



Manufacturer



Do not bleach



Never leave on the floor



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YYYY-MM-DD



CE -certification



Tumbledry



Risk of sliding down



Batch no./Lot no.



Keep dry



Iron



Keep out of the sun



User mass limit =
maximum rated load



Non sterile



Do not dryclean



Read the user manual



The product can be
scrapped according to
national regulations



Article number



Medical device

Intended use

MultiGlide can be used anywhere where it is beneficial to reduce friction at pressure points during manual handling:

Turning users in bed, pulling them higher up in the bed, getting in and out of bed, etc.

Intended environment

Acute care, Long-term care, Home care.

Practical handling

Positioning

MultiGlide with handles is folded approximately every 10 cm or rolled up until there is no more material available.

If you wish to apply MultiGlide from the head end, always start by folding the end where the handle is placed.

If you wish to apply MultiGlide from the upper legs, always start by folding the opposite end from where the handle is placed.

The result is that the handle is ready for use at the user's thighs,

MultiGlide is placed so that the open part is facing away from user and the folded part is placed under the pillow and shoulders.

One fold at a time has to be unfolded.

Alternate positioning

Alternatively MultiGlide can be placed under the lower back.

Fold MultiGlide together as an "accordion". Then fold the folded MultiGlide again about 1/3 and push it under the user's lower back.

A carer on the opposite side can now easily grab MultiGlide and fold it out.

Then respectively unfold MultiGlide out, up and down.

Use

After assessment the user can now be mobilised.

Use familiar techniques to turn the user.

To move the user higher up in bed, bend the user's legs, grasp the handles and put yourself in a "walking position" with one foot in front of the other and use weight transfer to move the user higher up.

Always conduct a risk assessment, and ensure that the assistive product can be used for the individual user and, in combination with other devices, that it is safe for the user and carers.

To remove MultiGlide:

The carer glides one hand between the two sheet layers, locates the corner on the opposite side and pulls it slowly towards him/herself, turning MultiGlide inside out.

Notice

Special features

Always check the product before use and after washing.

Never use a defective product. If the product shows signs of wear-and-tear, it must be scrapped.

Read these instructions carefully.

It is important that carers receive instruction in manual handling. Etac offers advice and training for carers. For further information, contact Etac.

Always use the correct manual handling techniques.

Encourage the user to assist where possible.

To ensure that the user feels safe and that every manual handling is smooth, always plan the manual handling in advance.

MultiGlide can be used either over or under a draw sheet, making the draw sheet easier to pull on.

The choice of model depends not only on the needs but also on the user's resources. As a general rule: more resources means less MultiGlide.



There is a risk that the user may slide off. Never leave the user alone on the edge of the bed.



Never leave the product on the floor



Always conduct a risk assessment, and ensure that the assistive product can be used for the individual user and, in combination with other devices, that it is safe for the user and carers.



It is recommended that the guard rail is in place when the user is left on the glide system, unless a risk assessment has found that the user can be safely left on the glide system without the need of guard rails.

If in any doubt - please contact Etac.

Material and cleaning

Material:

Nylon.

The product should be checked regularly, preferably each time it is used, and especially after washing.

Check that there is no damage to seams or fabric.



Never try to repair a product yourself.
Never use a defective product.

Washing instructions:

Recommended to wash the product before use.

Do not use fabric softener – as this will reduce the glide effect. This product can be cleaned with a solvent-free cleaning agent with a pH level between 5 and 9, or a 70% disinfection solution.



Products and accessories

Article no.	Product Description	Size (mm)
IM130DR	MultiGlide w/handles	W1300xL800 mm
IM160DR	MultiGlide w/handles	W1600xL800 mm
IM200DR	MultiGlide w/handles	W2000xL700 mm

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Service information

Inspection

First inspection:

- Is the packaging intact?
- Read the label on the packaging and check the article no. and product description
- Check that Short Instruction is enclosed – updated User Manual/Instruction for use can be downloaded from www.etac.com or contact your Etac Customer Service or the local dealer.
- Check the label on the product - does it include article no., product description, lot/batch no., cleaning instructions and supplier name?

Periodic Inspection:

- Make sure that your Manual transfer system always is in a perfect condition.
- After wash – always check materials, stitching, handles, buckles.
- If the product shows signs of wear and tear, it must be removed from service immediately.



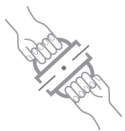
Visual inspection/Check the product:

Ensure that the materials, seams, stitching, handles, buckles are intact/faultless.



Stability test:

Try to bend the product verify that it feels firm, stable and solid.



Mechanical load or stress/Test handles:

Draw hard in the handles in opposite directions and control the material, seams and stitching.

Test buckles:

Lock the buckle and draw in opposite directions, control the buckle and the stitching.



Test low/high friction:

Place the product on a firm surface or a bed, place your hands on the material and test the friction by pushing your hands down into the product.

Low friction – slides effortlessly

High friction – no sliding/moving

Check:

Manual transfer aids with handles, straps and buckles:



Manual transfer aids with for sitting and lying transfer and with high or low friction:



Production year, month and day



The product can be scrapped in accordance with national regulations



Read the user manual