

RiftonActivityChair



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Thank you for using the Rifton Activity Chair. A glance at this Quick Reference Guide will help you with the basic adjustments. For more details, please consult the product manual or call Rifton at **800.571.8198**.

Quick Reference Guide

Quick tip: All adjustment levers and buttons are white, so look for white whenever you're trying to adjust the chair.

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Tilt-in-space

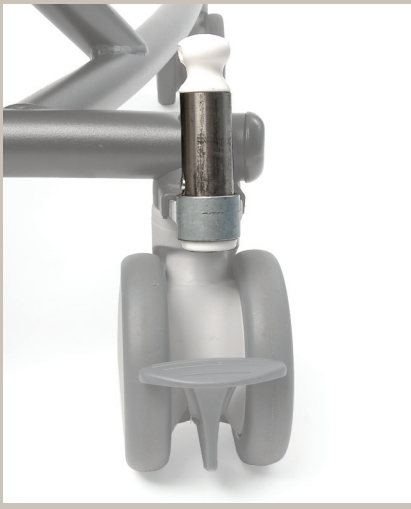
Squeeze the tilt lever and safety lock together, then tilt the whole chair forward or back. Use the angle indicator on the side for proper positioning.



Frame Adjustments

Caster swivel lock

Push down to lock the caster and keep the chair from drifting sideways. Pull it up to allow the caster to swivel for tight maneuvers.



Frame Adjustments

Dynamic backrest adjustments

The dynamic backrest (if installed) is controlled by the dynamic cylinder behind the backrest.

The dynamic backrest has three functions:

- 1. Dynamic spring unlocked.** Turn the white twist-lock collar clockwise to unlock it and give 10° dynamic movement. Using the backrest angle adjustment lever, adjust the dynamic range between -20° and +5°.
- 2. Spring locked—forward adjustment.** With the backrest tilted forward, turn the white twist-lock collar counterclockwise to lock it. Using the angle adjustment lever, adjust the backrest angle between -10° and +5°.
- 3. Spring locked—reclining adjustment.** While the spring is unlocked, push the backrest into a reclining position. This is easier to do with the client in the chair. Turn the white twist-lock collar counterclockwise to lock it. Using the angle adjustment lever, adjust the backrest angle between -20° and -5°.



Seat Adjustments

Dynamic seat (standard base only)

The dynamic seat (if installed) is controlled by the dynamic cylinder underneath the seat.

The dynamic seat has three functions:

- 1. Dynamic spring unlocked.** Turn the twist-lock collar clockwise to unlock it and allow 10° of dynamic movement. Using the seat tilt adjustment lever, adjust the dynamic range between -15° and +15°.
- 2. Spring locked—forward adjustment.** With the chair tilted forward, turn the white twist-lock collar under the seat counterclockwise to lock it. Using the seat tilt adjustment lever, adjust the angle of the seat between -5° and +15°.
- 3. Spring locked—reclining adjustment.** While the spring is unlocked, tilt the seat into a fully reclined position. This is easier to do with the client in the chair. Turn the white twist-lock collar counterclockwise to lock it. Using the seat tilt adjustment lever, adjust the tilt between -15° and +5°.



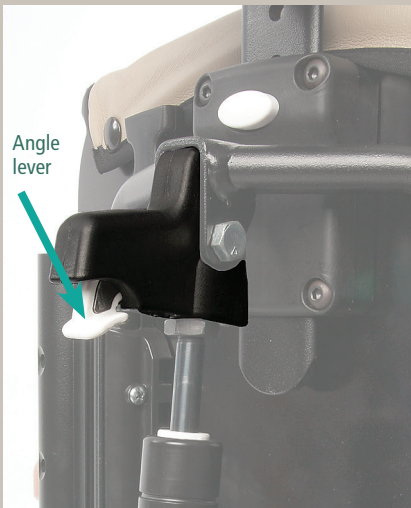
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Backrest angle

The backrest adjusts 15° by squeezing the angle lever and tilting the backrest forward or back to the desired position.



Seat Adjustments

Backrest height

To adjust, push down on the height lever and raise or lower the backrest as desired.



Seat Adjustments

Seat depth

The seat depth adjusts with one hand, even with a client in the chair. Facing the front of the chair, reach beneath the seat, pull the handle (on the left side), and slide the seat forward or backward.



Seat Adjustments

Lateral supports

Lateral supports adjust independently up or down, in or out, and rotate with a single knob. Loosen the knob, slide the metal key into the extrusion, adjust to fit the client, then tighten the knob.



NOTE: Photo view is from the top of the chair.



Accessories

Tray

Armrests must be at the same height and angle before you attach the tray. With one hand, pull the handle under the front center of the tray and slide it onto the armrests. Note that the tray cannot be used with forearm prompts.

When the tray is attached and both arm angle adjustment latches are lifted, the tray can be rotated to provide a tilted surface.

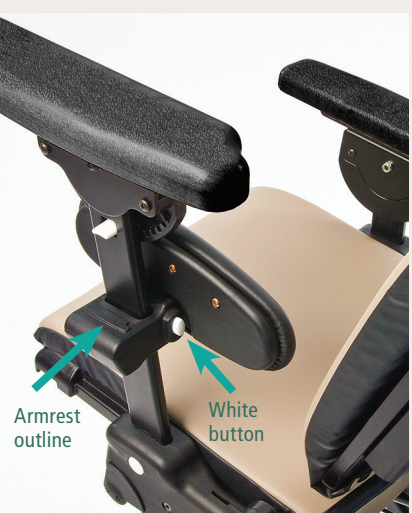


Accessories

Hip guides

To attach a hip guide, remove the armrest. Place the hip guide over the armrest slot in the seat with the white button for lateral and height adjustments on the outside of the hip guide facing the backrest. Slide the armrest through the hip guide and into the armrest slot in the seat.

Tip: Match the raised molded armrest outline on the hip guide with the armrest shape above it.



Accessories
(from top to bottom of the chair)

Abductor

Slide the abductor's bar into the slot beneath the front of the seat. Use the push button under the seat to adjust it forward and back.

The leg prompt can be installed instead of the abductor, using the same slot and the same adjustment button.



Accessories
(from top to bottom of the chair)

Adductors

Insert adductor bars into the side slots near the front of the chair while pressing the white push buttons under the front edge of the seat. To release, press the white buttons and remove the adductors.



Accessories
(from top to bottom of the chair)

Footboard

To adjust the height, push both side buttons and raise or lower. Make sure the adjustment clicks into place.

Use the gas spring behind the footboard to adjust the angle at the knee, or to swing it back out of the way for transfers.

Flip the footboard up for transfers (this can be locked with the white latch at the back edge of footboard).

Adjust the foot plate angle with the white button in the center of the heel bar.



Accessories
(from top to bottom of the chair)

Sandals

To attach the sandals, first distinguish between the left and right sandal, then align the holes in each sandal's tabs with the slots in the footboard. Insert the long bolts from below and tighten the knobs on top as shown to secure the sandals. Use wedges (available from Rifton) to adjust the angle or height of each sandal.



Accessories
(from top to bottom of the chair)

Ankle straps

To attach the ankle straps, insert the ends of the straps into the slot at the back of the footboard. Attach the straps under the footboard with the snaps provided. Note that sandals cannot be used with ankle straps.



Accessories
(from top to bottom of the chair)

Attaching belts

The seatbelt, pelvic harness and butterfly harness attach in the same way. To insert, be sure clip is angled toward the front of the chair, then push it firmly into the slot until it clicks securely into place and holds when pulled. To release, use a pen or key to press the tiny white button on the side of the chair beneath the slot, and pull the clip out.



Belt Attachment System

Seatbelt

Each clip inserts into one of the two slots on either side of the chair. Having two slots enables you to optimally position the belt for each client.



Belt Attachment System

Pelvic harness

Insert the harness clips into the seat's side slots, and lay the harness pad flat on the seat as shown. Seat the client in the chair. Pull each end of the pad up between the legs and over the near leg (i.e., the left pad end goes over the left leg). Secure the buckles. Tighten the straps as necessary.



Belt Attachment System

Butterfly harness

The butterfly harness must be used with a pelvic harness or seatbelt.

To attach, insert the bottom clips into the chair's side slots, and the top latches into buckles behind the backrest.



Belt Attachment System

Chest strap (without lateral supports)

To attach the chest strap, loosen the knobs, slide the metal keys into the extrusions on the back (same as used for the lateral supports), adjust to fit the client, then tighten the knobs.



Belt Attachment System

Thigh belt

Unsnap and flip the seat cushion out of the way. With the thigh belt buckle side down, squeeze the belt webbing together, push it through the H-slot as shown, then pull up so that the metal hardware fits snugly into the recessed slot. Repeat for the other side.



Belt Attachment System