

# Shower Seat Fitting & Maintenance Instructions

## IMPORTANT: PLEASE READ PRIOR TO INSTALLATION

FIG 1



FIG 2

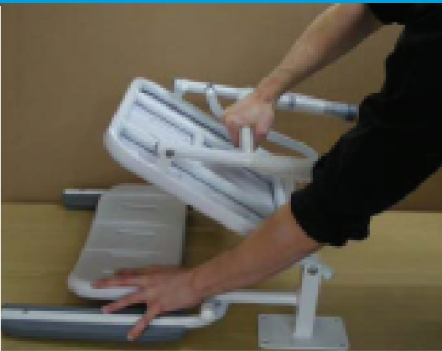


FIG 3



Please examine your shower seat for any visible damage before installing. If you see any damage or suspect a fault please contact your supplier, do not install your seat. Installation of a faulty seat may compromise the user's safety.

PRIOR to installation, place the seat onto a flat surface, with the back / wall plates resting against the flat surface.

FIRSTLY, place one hand onto the seat back assembly, **FIG 1**, and then open the seat / leg assembly by gripping and lifting by the leg assembly cross bar or transom bar, until the seat is fully open, **FIG 2 & FIG 3**.

### PLEASE DO NOT ATTEMPT to open the seat by doing the following:

By gripping the actual seat frame or the plastic seat **PRIOR** to the shower seat being installed as this action may under certain circumstances cause stresses to the side mounted leg support plate to possibly distort permanently.



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**NOTE**

**IMPORTANT:**  
**Raising and lowering**  
**the shower seat**

The seat can be lowered by **pulling** the horizontal leg cross bar downwards. The legs will automatically fold into the vertical position. When not in use, **lift** the seat base upwards and the legs will fold back into and remain in the vertical position.

**DO NOT ATTEMPT** to raise and lower the seat by any other method as to do so may cause permanent damage to the folding mechanism.

**285kg MAX**  
**LOAD CAPACITY**  
**(45 STONES)**

**DO NOT** exceed the weight limit stated, doing so may put the user at **RISK**.

**The load capacity applies to the seat and not the arms. The arms are provided as a stabilising aid only and are not designed to be load bearing.**

**Please DO NOT attempt to place all your body weight onto the arms of the seat.**

**Should you need an aid to transfer onto the seat this should be achieved by the introduction of grab rails or a fold down arm support, preferably with a leg.**

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This equipment must be installed by a competent installer.

### Adjustment of Extension Legs

Adjust the legs prior to installation as follows:

- Remove the grey or blue 'e' clip from the leg
- Slide the extension leg to the desired height, ensuring that you do not exceed the last punched hole of the extension leg as doing so will compromise the user's safety.
- Re-insert the 'e' clip ensuring that it passes fully through both the frame and extension leg and that it is securely located.
- Repeat the process for the other extension leg, ensuring both legs are at the same height.

### Fine adjustment of Extension Legs

If required, further fine adjustment of up to 15mm can be achieved using the threaded stem foot at the base of each extension leg as follows:

- Twist the grey foot in an anti-clockwise direction until you reach the desired height.
- Twist the locking nut on the exposed threaded stem in the opposite direction until it reaches the base of the extension leg and secures the stem in place.
- Ensure that the locking nut makes full contact with the base of the extension leg and that you do not exceed 15mm of exposed thread as this may compromise the safety of the user.

### Fixing the Shower Seat

- Choose a suitable fixing for the substrate that you intend to fix the shower seat to and secure the back bracket of the shower seat to the wall.
- Make sure that the fixing is secure before allowing the seat to be used.
- To fix the back of the Deluxe version, carefully remove the ABS white plastic back support from the frame and fix the lug securely to the wall, ensuring that you use a suitable wall fixing.
- Carefully align the fixing brackets to the wall making sure that the seat is level and that the legs are properly and evenly adjusted as explained above.
- Fix the wall brackets with a suitable fixing making sure that every fixing point is used.
- Apply silicone sealant around the fixing bracket edge(s) to ensure water does not penetrate behind the bracket, which may cause damage to the infrastructure of the wall.

### Fixing detachable Padded Seat and / or back

Place the padded back (Deluxe version only) in line with the slots within the ABS back and push firmly ensuring that all of the tails have passed through the plastic slots. Repeat the installation method for the padded seat.

Do not attempt to pull off the padded seat or back by lifting from the corner, or lifting the pad from the front as this will tear and cause irreparable damage and annul your warranty.

To properly remove the pads firstly remove the ABS plastic seat and /or back and gently push the pad tail out from the seats slots.

### PLEASE NOTE:

Due to the manufacturing process there can be slight distortion to the fixing brackets. This distortion can be up to 3mm to the Deluxe seat bracket and a slight centre bow of about 3mm to the Standard seat bracket. This distortion is within manufacturing tolerances and it is normal for the fixing bracket(s) to be pulled flat when installed. It in no way compromises the safety or longevity of the product.

### Cleaning

It is important that you only clean your shower seat using a non-abrasive cleaner or mild detergent with a soft cloth. Avoid using lime scale remover.

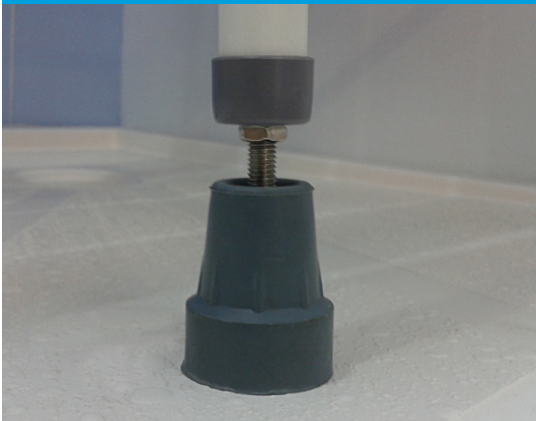
- Abrasive cleaners e.g. AJAX and/or cleaning pads will damage your seat beyond repair.
- You can clean your seat back with a mild detergent and soft cloth with a warm water solution.
- Do not exceed 50°C when cleaning as this will permanently damage the plastic.
- Under no circumstances place any component into a dishwasher to clean as this will permanently distort and damage the product beyond repair.
- Regular daily cleaning will reduce the build up of lime scale on your shower seat
- Also check that the cleaner you intend to use is suitable for cellular moulded foam.

### EXTENSION LEG ADJUSTMENT



Remove 'e' clip to adjust the leg height.

### FINE LEG ADJUSTMENT



Twist the grey foot for fine adjustment.

### FIXING THE SEAT



Fix the frames lug to the wall using a suitable fixing.

**TESTING** Check the movement of the seat once installed by raising the seat from the down to the up position.

**Check** that there are no obstructions

**Check** the movement of the seat is smooth and unhindered

**Check** the seat legs are sitting evenly

**Check** the seat legs stay in the up position when not in use, if they fall down or, move forward on their own, then adjust the tension of the seat by tightening the 2 nuts & bolts which hold the seat frame to the back frame