

AERIS

ADJUSTABLE,
LIGHTWEIGHT
MANUAL
WHEELCHAIR



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USER MANUAL

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Congratulations and thank you for your purchase of an AERIS Adjustable, Light-weight Manual Wheelchair by Azure. We are sure you will find your new wheelchair a pleasure to use.

This manual is applicable to the Aeris wheelchair model. Before using your new Aeris wheelchair, we recommend that you read this user manual which provides helpful information on the safe usage of this product as well as care instructions and your warranty.

To avoid any risk of harm or injury, it is important that you check the safe working load of your wheelchair and to read the safety instructions carefully to avoid misuse and hazards. Please be aware that Incorrect use of your Aeris wheelchair will void warranty.

For future reference, please store this booklet in a safe place.

SAFETY AND INSPECTION

NOTICE TO CAREGIVERS

Please be sure to pay careful attention to all warnings and follow all instructions set out in this manual. It is important that you pay close attention to all warnings in this section. If you fail to do so, you may fall, tip over or lose control resulting in severe injury to you and others

SAFETY NOTICE

1. Ensure adequate time to learn how your Aeris wheelchair operates before you begin using.
2. Always be aware of your surroundings when operating this product.
3. The Wheelchair is designed for a single User/Occupant only. More than one user may result in injury to you and others.
4. Do not modify your wheelchair in any way unless authorized by Azure
5. Ensure any repairs or adjustments are carried by an Authorized agent of this product.

PRE-RIDE SAFETY INSPECTION

We recommend that you perform a safety check before each use to make sure your wheelchair operates smoothly and safely. Before operating your wheelchair you should be trained in the safe use of this wheelchair by your authorized provider.

Perform the following inspections prior to using your wheelchair:

6. Check all wheels are in full operating condition, rotating freely & absent from damage, excessive tyre & castor wear and making full contact with the ground.
7. Check all hand brakes & park operation.
8. Check swing away leg rests are locked into position.



ADJUSTABLE & REMOVEABLE LEGRESTS

To allow active feet positioning for user, footplates flip back and legrests are removeable. To avoid possible skin tears, all mechanisms and Screws are inset.

- Legrests are removeable by lifting inset handle
- Footplates fold back against leg rest (1)

Footplate width and angle are adjustable to suit a range of users comfort and physical requirements. Adjustments can be made with the allen key tool supplied.

- Infinite angle Adjustment (2)
- Footplate width adjustment from 105mm to 155mm (3)
- Footplate length adjustment from 400mm to 480mm in 20mm increments (lower leg length)

FLIP-BACK & REMOVEABLE ARMRESTS

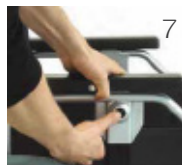
Side transfers are made easy with the flip-back and removeable armrest:

- operate locking lever with light finger pressure (4)
- Armrest flips back 90° to allow side transfer (5)
- Armrest completely removeable by releasing locking mechanism on both ends (6)

ADJUSTABLE ARMREST HEIGHT & LENGTH

Armrests are adjustable to suit a range of users, and can be simply adjusted as a user's need may change

- Armrest Height: Depress knob with light finger pressure, and pull armrest upwards or downwards. Adjustment from 180 to 260mm in 20mm increments (7)
- Armrest Length- Depress knob with light finger pressure, and slide armrest fowards or backwards. Adjustment from 330 to 450mm in 40mm increments (8)



SEAT DEPTH, HEIGHT & ANGLE ADJUSTMENT

- The seat depth can be adjusted in 5 steps. This allows the depth to be changed by up to 10cm while retaining existing upholstery. (9)

Seat height can be raised or lowered to suit your needs, from 475-550mm.

- The drive wheel and front wheel positions are adjusted to raise or lower the seat height. (10)
- Angle of front wheel can be adjusted (11)

The seat angle can be adjusted to allow the user to sit more deeply and firmly in the chair.

- The seat can be angled back or forward by adjusting the height of the drive wheel axle (2)

BACKREST HEIGHT, TENSION & ANGLE ADJUSTMENT

The backrest height can be adjusted to suit various user heights and comfort requirements. Tension of the backrest can be adjusted to provide a firm rest, or make it more flexible.

- The backrest can be adjusted from 360 to 400mm in 20mm increments
- Backrest tension is adjusted by adjusting individual belts in backrest
- Backrest angle adjustable from 85°-105° in 5° increments

ADDITIONAL FEATURES

- Adjustable wheelbase length. Lengthening the wheelbase improves stability if seat depth adjustments are required
- Quick release rear axle. This assists in transportation of the wheelchair, makes the chair compact and easy to stow.
- Tip assist can help carer overcome obstacles such as kerbs
- Anti-tip bars can be fitted. These can also be used to assist in tipping wheelchair to overcome obstacles.



WHEELCHAIR SET-UP

Remove your wheelchair from the packaging materials first and confirm all components are present.

Finish the setup of your new wheelchair by installing the Velcro attached seat back and seat bottom overlay pieces, and installing the front legrests. Please note that the overlay pieces fit only on the seat bottom or the seat back and the Velcro pieces connect only one way. The front legrests are side-specific items, either Left or Right.

PRE RIDE SAFETY CHECK

SAFE WORK LOAD

1. The Aeris wheelchair range has a Safe Work Load (SWL) of 136kg
2. Exceeding the product weight limit may damage the seat, frame, fasteners, upholstery and may result in injury to you or others.
3. Exceeding the Safe working Load of 136kg will void the warranty of this product.
4. Stay within the specified weight capacity of your wheelchair. The manufacturer will not be held responsible for injuries and/or property damage resulting from failure to observe weight limitations.
5. Do not carry passengers in your wheelchair. Your wheelchair is designed for the carriage for one person only. Exceeding this capacity is dangerous and may affect the center of gravity.

WHEELCHAIR OPERATION

OPERATING TIPS

1. Do not lean forward when operating, especially on stairs and uneven surfaces.
2. When turning, reduce your speed and maintain a stable center of gravity.
3. When on any incline or decline, never allow the wheelchair to roll freely while seated in it or standing next to it.

HOW TO BRAKE

To stop the wheelchair, apply resistance to the rear wheel hand rims until the wheelchair comes to a complete stop.

MANUAL WHEEL LOCKS AND HAND BRAKE

Your Aeris wheelchair is equipped with two manual rear wheel brakes which can lock into place, one mounted on each rear wheel.

The Aeris manual wheel locks help prevent your wheelchair from moving when parked. After you bring your wheelchair to a complete stop, engage both manual rear wheel locks. If you have any questions about the operation of your manual wheel locks, contact your authorized provider.

It is not recommend that you remain parked on an incline for a long period of time as your wheelchair may slide.



WHEELCHAIR MAINTENANCE

It is important to perform proper care of your Aeris wheelchair in order to maintain the life and quality of your product and to ensure your product is functioning properly.

1. Check for loose or missing screws, nuts, and bolts. Replace or tighten them as necessary.
2. Check for flat spots on solid tires. Flat spots could adversely affect stability.
3. Check all manual wheel locks and brakes. Make sure they are working properly.
4. Check the caster forks for damage or fluttering which indicates that they may need to be adjusted or have the bearings replaced.
5. Keep your wheelchair clean and free of foreign material, such as mud, dirt, hair, food, drink.
6. You may wash your seat by hand wash only with warm water and a PH neutral washing powder.

WARRANTY

The warranties herein specified shall not apply if the failure of any component of this product is caused by the purchaser or its agent due to accident, neglect, misuse, improper transportation or operation contrary to the manufacturer's operating instructions, or if any person other than the manufacturer's authorised personnel shall modify, adjust, or repair such product or perform any related service on it. It must be understood that the purchaser assumes full responsibility for the overall safe operation in the environment for which the product is intended to function.

Frame: The manufacturer covers the frame of its mobility chair under normal use for a 2 year warranty period. The manufacturer will, at its sole discretion, repair or replace any warrantable frame that fails within the 2 year warranty period.

Upholstery: Upholstery and arm pads under normal operating conditions carry a 12 month warranty period. The manufacturer, at its sole discretion, will replace any warrantable components that fail within the 12 month warranty period.

Castors & Rear Wheels: Front castors and rear wheels with associated sub-assemblies under normal carry operating conditions carry a 12 month warranty period. The manufacturer, at its sole discretion, will replace any warrantable components that fail within the 12 month warranty period.

To ensure the correct warranty support, please write down the serial number that is attached on the under side of the frame.

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