VanTurn Belt







Max.: 150 kg/330 lbs

VanTurn Belt is used for raising from a seated to a standing position, and for support in the standing position in combination with the use of the VanTurn platform. VanTurn Belt has a more rigid lower section for easy application and an elastic upper section for a better more comfortable fit. VanTurn Belt has several gripping alternatives and a locking strap for extra support and safety in connection with the use of the VanTurn platform.

VanTurn Belts are part of a series of different transfer assistive devices. The choice of model and material is determined by the patient's functional capacity and the situations in which the product is to be used.



Functional inspection

Visual inspection

Check the condition and function of the assistive device regularly. Always inspect the product after laundering. Check to ensure that seams and material are free from damage. Check to ensure that fabric is not worn or faded. If there are signs of wear, the product must be discarded.



Always read the manual

Always read the manuals for all assistive devices used during a transfer.

Keep the manual where it is accessible to users of the product.

Do not leave the patient unattended during a transfer situation.



Functional test of VanTurn Belt





Pull hard on the handles in different directions (1).



Fasten the belt, place one foot in it (2), and then pull on one of the handles. Repeat the procedure with all handles.

Placement of VanTurn Belt



1. Fit the VanTurn Belt to the patient with the elastic section facing upward and the rigid, lower section downward, as shown in the illustration on the product label.



2. Lean the patient forward or to one side and guide the lower section of the belt down towards the 'sit bones' (lowest bony prominences or ischial tuberosities).



3. Secure the belt with the Velcro straps. The entire length of the front Velcro strap must be secured to the soft Velcro strap.



4. The locking strap can be temporarily folded under the edge of the belt, so that it is accessible when the patient has risen to a standing position. The locking strap is then looped around the VanTurn Belt for added security while the patient is standing.



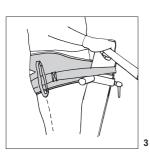
Using the VanTurn Belt



Brake the wheels on the VanTurn. The patient then leans forward and grasps the handles on the VanTurn. The caregivers then grasp the handles on the VanTurn Belt.



The caregivers then help the patient to rise to a standing position.



Ensure that the patient is standing in a secure position facing the VanTurn. Place the locking strap around the VanTurn in a suitable manner (depending on which VanTurn model is being used.)



Secure the locking clasp. A click is heard when the clasp locks into place. Now, transfer the patient with the VanTurn. Plan the setting so as to minimize transfer time.



Sitting down

Brake the wheels on the VanTurn. Lean the patient forward, so that the locking strap is loosened. Undo the clasp and remove the strap from the VanTurn. Fold it under the edge of the belt, so that is does not catch on anything. Help the patient into a seated position with the help of the VanTurn.

Using the VanTurn Belt without the VanTurn

The VanTurn Belt can also be used to advantage even with the VanTurn, for example, gait training. Make sure you use the right size and secure both of the Velcro straps and the clasp.

Material:

Polyamid, nylon

Care of the product:

Read the product label.





Do not use rinsing agent. To ensure maximum material life, hang dry or tumble dry on low heat.

Fasten the Velcro straps and clasp before laundering. Clean the Velcro straps to remove dust and dirt, so that they retain their adhesiveness.

Size:

Size		XXS	XS	S	M	L	XL
Rec.	lbs	-33	33-66	55-121	110-165	154-242	230
patient weight	kg	-15	15-30	25-55	50-75	70-110	105-
6031	XXS		88 cn	n			
6032	XS		100 cm				
6033	S		115 cm				
6034	M		150 cm				
6035 L		155 cm					
6036	XL		180 cm	n			

Contact your local distributor if you have any questions about the product and its use. See www.vancare.com for a complete list of distributors. Always make sure that you have the right version of the manual. The most recent editions of manuals are available for downloading from our website, www.vancare.com.

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