

## Instructions of Use

# Hygiene Sling with Clips

### REPLACEMENT SLING RANGE

Reference: **HS(C)-IOU**

Product Codes: **M921529**

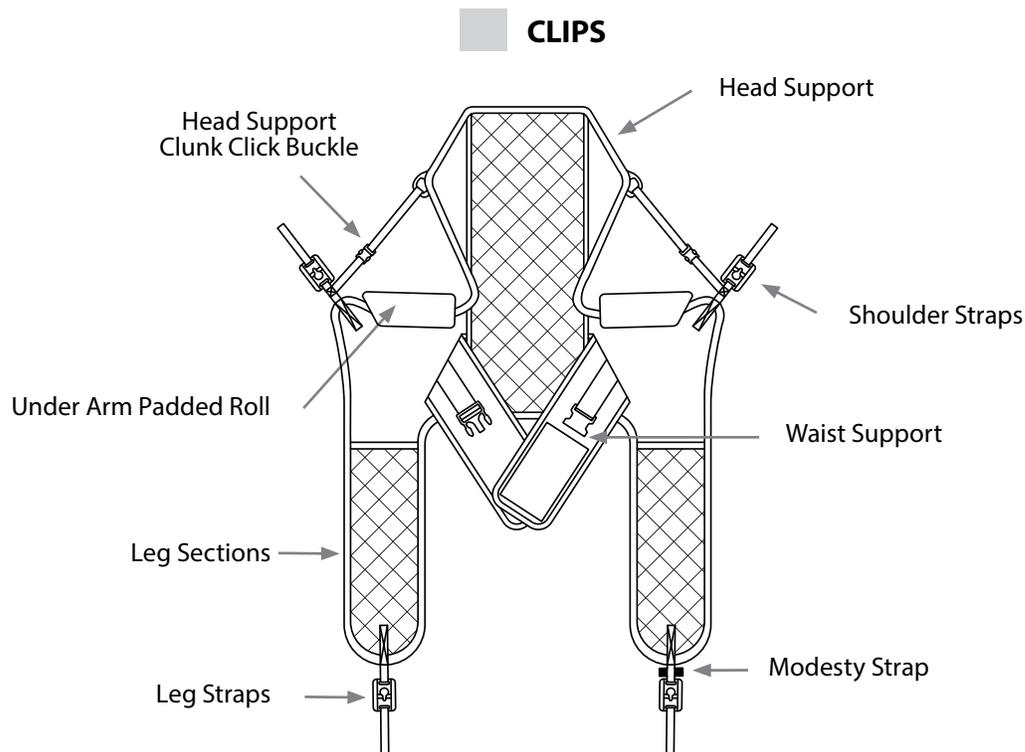
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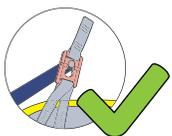


## WARNING

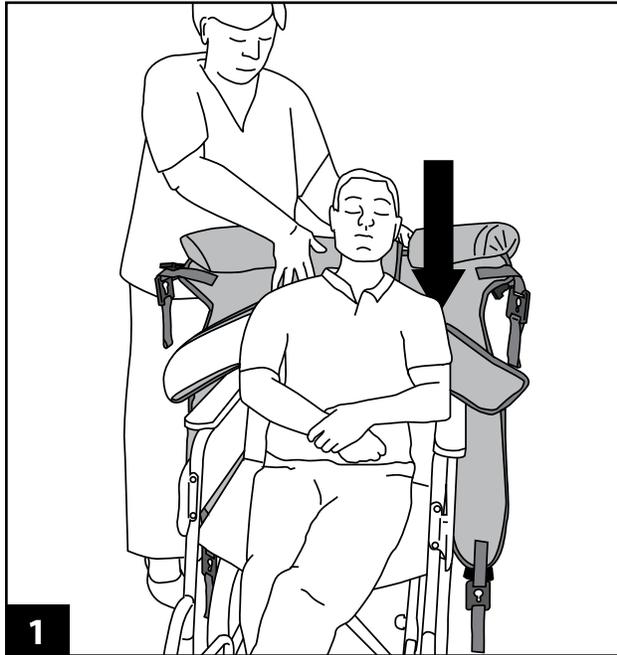
Do NOT use clip sling attachments on a loop type spreader bar and Do NOT use loop sling attachments on a stud type spreader bar.



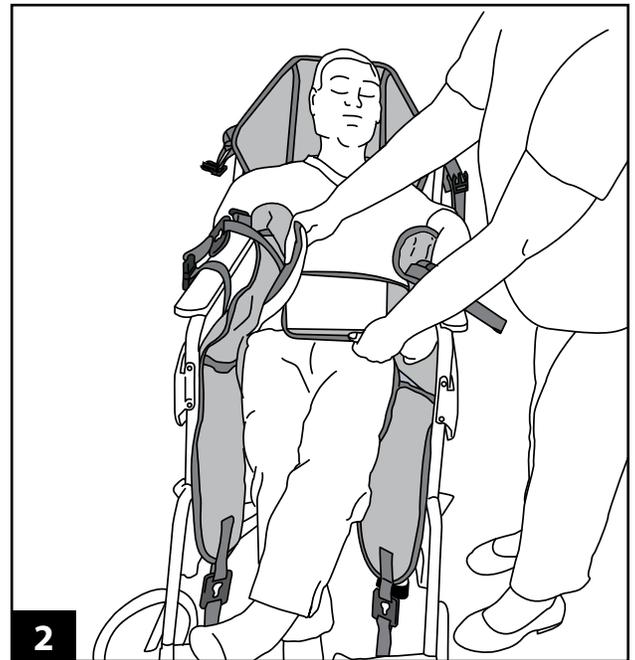
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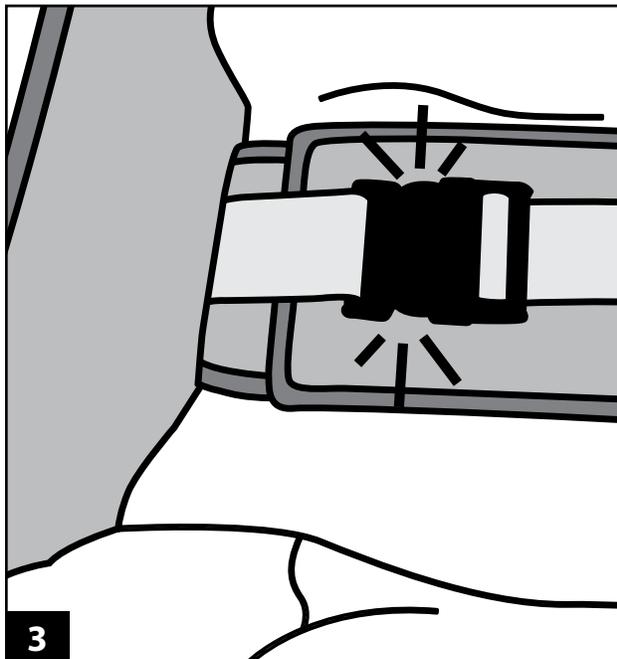
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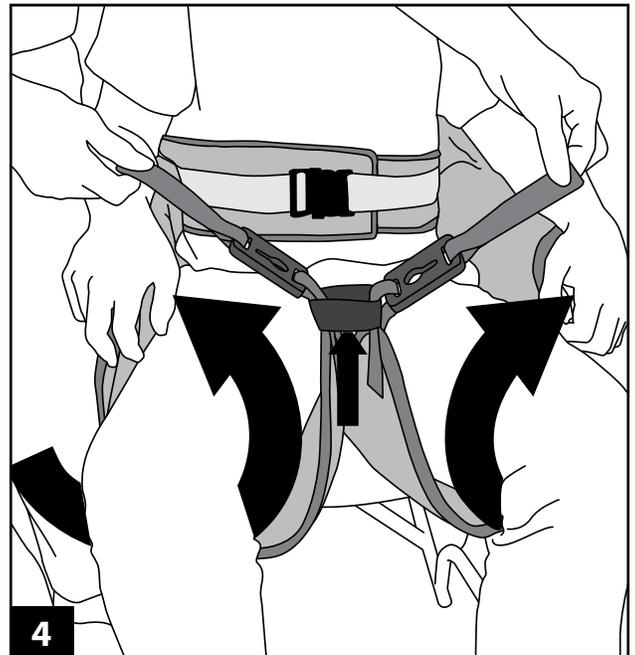
**1** Open both the head support buckles and waist support before placing the sling down the back of the patient.



**2** Secure the hook and loop waist support around the patient's waist.

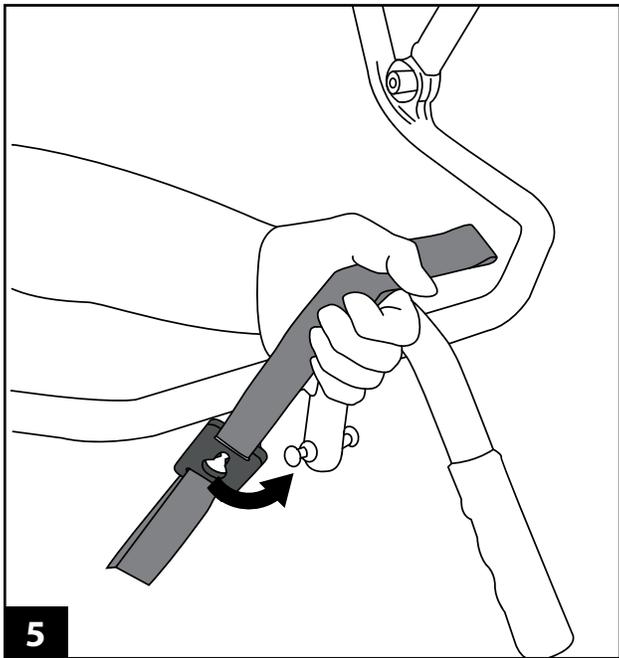


**3** Secure the buckle and tighten.

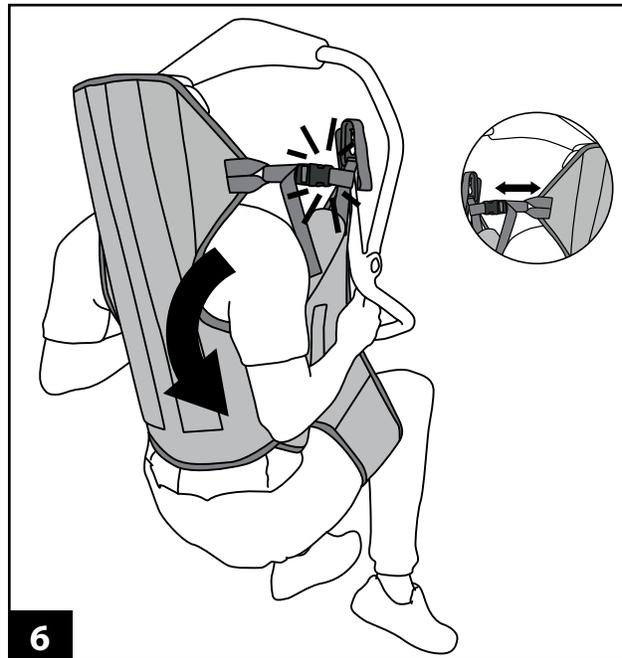


**4** Ensure the patient's arms are outside the sling. Take the leg sections of the sling and place them down the sides of the patient. Glide the leg supports under the thigh and bring up between the legs, ensuring they are not twisted. Thread through the modesty loop.

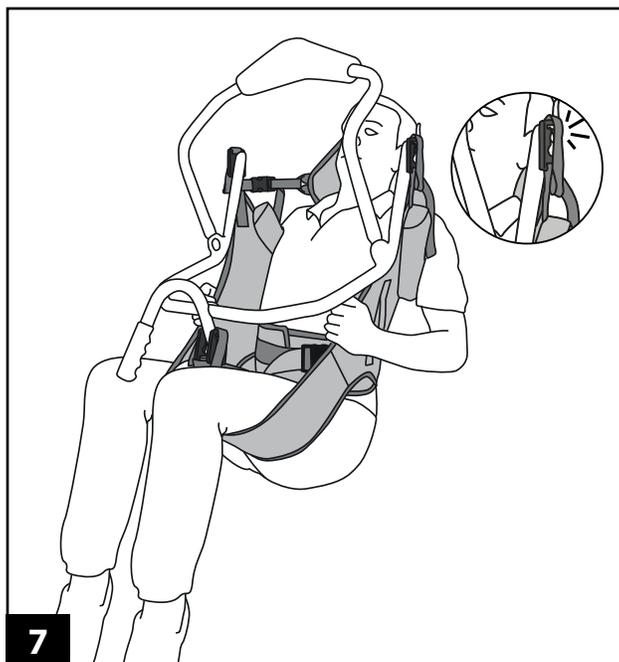
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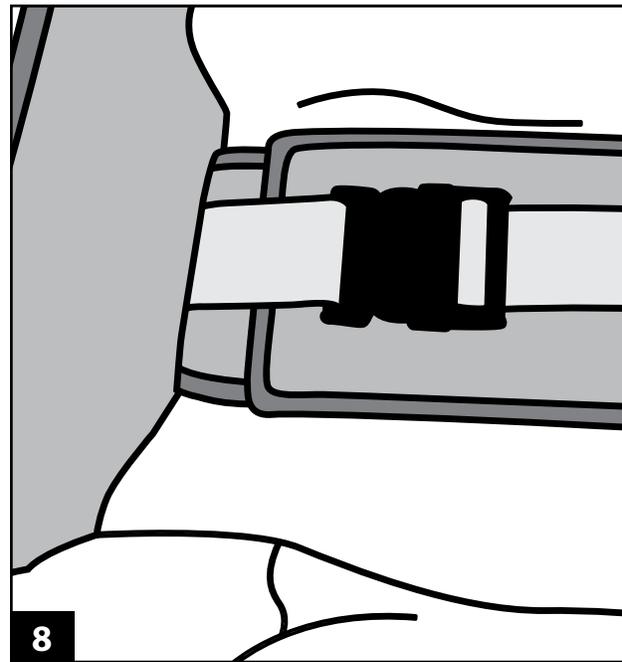
Attach clips to the lower stud on the spreader bar. When securing the clips there should be a “click” sound to confirm the clip is located correctly. Repeat with the shoulder straps.



Once the shoulder straps are securely fitted, ensuring the patient’s arms are on the outside of the sling, connect the buckle on the head support. Adjust as required.



Once you are happy that all straps are correctly and securely attached to the spreader bar of the lift and the patient’s arms are located outside the sling, the transfer can begin.



**NB. After you have initially raised your client about 6” re-tighten the waist support buckle belt if necessary to give additional support.**



## General Instructions: WARNING

**Do not attempt to transfer the patient until all appropriate sling attachments are secured to the lift spreader bar and you are satisfied that the sling is the correct style, size and fit for the patient.**

Correct sizing of a sling is important as a sling that is too large could cause the patient to slip through the aperture.

While every attempt is made to instruct a safe move you must conform to the current moving and handling procedures/regulations. If in any doubt, consult your Moving and Handling Advisor.

## Service Label & Sling Checks:

All products shall be checked each time they are used for any signs of deterioration.

The service label is a visual guide to the product's check. Please conduct a thorough sling check in line with current safety requirements in your country. If in doubt consult your distributor for current sling checking protocols.

**A risk assessment must be carried out to ensure that the correct size and style of sling has been met before use.**

### Pre-use sling check list:

- braiding/straps for deterioration and fraying
- material for holes/snagging
- compatibility with the lift
- safe working load of both the lift and sling/product (if applicable)
- label is legible

**Remove from use immediately if there are any signs of deterioration to the sling or straps or the label is illegible.**

## Washing Guidelines:

- Follow laundry temperatures for washing and drying detailed on the product label. Please note: temperatures advised are MAXIMUM washing temperatures.
- Always ensure that all Hook & Loop fastenings are fully closed before washing.
- All products shall be laundered using non- biological detergents.
- DO NOT IRON

## Product Care:

- Ensure that any Hook & Loop fastenings are closed when not in use. This will prevent unnecessary snagging of the sling material and prevent clogging of the Hook & Loop.
- Launder regularly.
- Store products in a suitable dry clean place.
- Silvalea will accept no liability for any additions/ adaptations made to our products that have NOT been carried out by ourselves. Doing so may cause serious injury or death to the patient.

## Drying Guidelines:

- Follow the recommended drying temperatures as stated on product label. Please note: temperatures advised are MAXIMUM drying temperatures.
- Overheating a textile product can cause deterioration in the material components.
- Do not place the product on a convactor heater or steam pipes.



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