



Medline Rollator

SAFETY

GUIDELINES



To ensure your safety in using the Medline rollator, the following safety information and all instructions must be followed.

- » **DO NOT** use this product without first reading and understanding the instructions contained in this booklet. If you are unable to understand the warnings, cautions, or instructions, contact a healthcare professional, dealer, or technical personnel before use—otherwise serious bodily injury and damage may occur.
- » Consult with your doctor, physical, or occupational therapist or other qualified professional to assure the proper height adjustment.
- » Rollators are for individual use only and are **NOT** to be used as a wheelchair.
- » **DO NOT** attempt to move the rollator while you or anyone is sitting on the seat.
- » **DO NOT** self-propel the rollator while seated. Brakes must always be locked while the seat is in use.
- » Serious injury to you and/or damage to the rollator frame or wheels may result from improper use.
- » **DO NOT** use the seat to transport people or objects. **DO NOT** use the seat to carry or move anything.
- » **DO NOT** sit on the rollator while it is being loaded into a vehicle or while it is being transported in a vehicle.
- » **DO NOT** exceed the maximum weight capacity (including bag contents). As stated in the assembly guide and on the device itself or serious injury could result.

- » Before each use make sure the rollator frame is fully opened.
- » Make sure that all parts are secure and that moving parts are in good working order before each use.
- » All wheels must be in contact with the floor and / or ground at **ALL TIMES**. This will ensure the rollator is properly balanced.
- » The brakes **MUST** be in the locked position **BEFORE** sitting on the seat. **ALWAYS** lock the brakes **FIRST**.
- » **DO NOT** sit on the seat when the rollator is on an incline.
- » **DO NOT** use the rollator to walk backwards, down gradients or to climb stairs, curbs, or to go over obstacles. Serious risk of fall or injury may occur.
- » **DO NOT** perform any adjustments to the rollator while it is in use.
- » Only use accessories and spare parts authorized by Medline Industries, Inc.
- » **DO NOT** push rollator while brakes are enabled. Brakes are used to keep the wheels from rolling; but it may not prevent the rollator from moving if it is pushed.
- » **DO NOT** use the rollator to provide assistance while rising from a lower position. If you use it to pull yourself up to a standing position, the rollator may move even if the brakes are in the locked position and this could result in a fall.
- » Inspect the handle bar grips prior to use. Assure the plastic parts are still functional if they are exposed to extreme temperatures (above 100°F(38°C) or below 32°F(0°C)) high humidity and/or become wet.
- » **DO NOT** twist hand grips as they are not meant to be twisted. Failure to do this could result in a fall.
- » **DO NOT** hang anything from the frame of the rolling rollator other than the bag included or the tote bag accessory. The bag has a weight limitation of 5 lbs (2.26 kg). The tote bag has a weight limitation of 5 lbs (2.26 kg). Items should be placed completely in the bag(s) and should not protrude. This may cause the rollator to tip, resulting in bodily injury or rollator damage.
- » The backrest is intended to provide back support as you sit on the seat. The backrest is not intended to support full weight. Avoid leaning while sitting as this may result in fall.
- » **DO NOT** use the rollator as a wheelchair.
- » **DO NOT** use rollator like a kneewalker or scooter. This device should only be used as a walking aid. When using this device do not attempt to hop or perform any actions other than walking.
- » **DO NOT** use the rollator if there is apparent damage or if any parts (other than the bag or basket) are missing.

Environmental

Contact with water or excess moisture may cause the non-aluminum transport rollators to rust or corrode.

- » **DO NOT** use the transport rollator in a shower, pool, or other body of water.
- » Avoid excess moisture (do not leave the rollator in a damp bathroom while taking a shower).
- » Dry the rollator immediately if exposed to moisture.

When cleaning the hand grips, use only a clean towel lightly dampened with cool water.

- » Ensure the grips are dry before use.
- » Use of soap or ammonia-based cleaning solutions may result in the hand grips sliding off.

If the rollator is exposed to extreme temperatures, high humidity and/or becomes wet, check the hand grips to ensure they are not loose and do not twist on the handle.

Avoid storing or using the rollator near open flames or combustible products.

Maintenance

Your Medline rollator should be checked periodically to ensure the brakes are functioning properly and that all nuts and bolts are secure.

Periodically test the brakes by both walking and squeezing the brakes and by stopping, pushing down on the brakes to a locked position, and then trying to push the rollator. If the brakes do not lock the wheels, the brakes need to be adjusted. If adjustment does not tighten the brakes, DO NOT use the rollator.

Keep your receipt!

Contact us at 1-800-MEDLINE, Monday – Friday 8am to 5pm CST if you encounter any problems or for information regarding repairs or maintenance.