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Over Bath Stretcher User Manual



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The Protec Baths Ltd Over Bath Stretcher is designed to be used as a personal support platform to be placed on the top of an assisted bath manufactured by Protec Baths Ltd.

It is easy and quick to deploy, making assisting the user easier for carers.

Instructions for Installation:

- First visually check the stretcher cover for damage – *if there are any rips or defects the stretcher is not to be used and photos and details sent to Protec Baths Ltd (sales@protecbaths.com)*
- Then lift the stretcher onto the bath - we advise 2 people to do this, positioned at each end to ensure there is no damage to the bathtub when positioning the stretcher. Make sure the stretcher is placed directly down onto the tub, not at an angle!
- Make sure each of the mounting feet are pushed down to be fully resting on the bathtub, with the flanges down either side.



- Ensure the stretcher is centralised long ways on the bath.
- Check below the stretcher frame and cover to ensure there no conflicts with taps, other items or equipment

The Stretcher is now ready for use

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Instructions for Use:

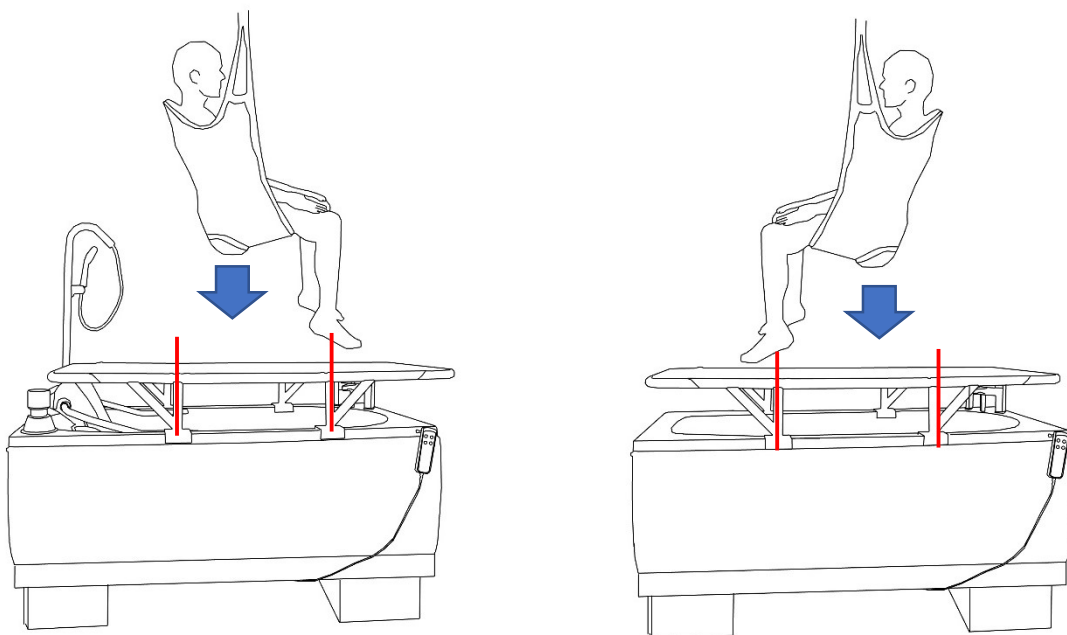
- Ensure the patient is lowered onto the stretcher with their main weight between the mounting feet.

Place them in the area in Red below:



WARNING: If the user's main weight is positioned outside this area it could cause in-balance to the stretcher

EXAMPLES BELOW:



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- Once they are down on the stretcher, they can be laid down.
- **If the bath needs raising once the patient is on the stretcher, ensure they are held or supported whilst raising/lowering the bath**

After Use:

- **Make sure the stretcher and cover are wiped down and cleaned (see below instructions) and any soap residue removed.**
- **PLEASE BE AWARE** – If there is persistent, or heavy use of oil-based washing products, this may negatively affect the white stretcher cover. Oils and other petroleum-based products should be avoided or used as little as possible, and any residue cleaned off as soon as possible
- Then lift the stretcher off the bath - we advise 2 people to do this, positioned at each end to ensure there is no damage to the bathtub when removing the stretcher. Make sure the stretcher is lifted directly up off the tub, not at an angle!
- Store the Stretcher in a safe place to avoid getting damaged

Cleaning:

The Frame and cover can be cleaned using mild cleaning agents and anti-bacterial solutions.

Any abrasive cleaners, or chemical agents and solvents must not be used, for example, Drain/oven Cleaner, Acetone, or Acids.

Please always pay attention to instruction labels on the outside of the cleaning agent containers.