

## DISCLAIMER

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ComforTek Seating is not responsible for damages and or injuries which occur as a result of the ROYAL EZ being field installed to a chair.

ComforTek Seating's warranty for the ROYAL EZ, DOES NOT extend to nor does it replace the chair warranty as provided by the original manufacturer's warranty.

Any adjustments made to the chair or the operation of the ROYAL EZ are not permitted. The ROYAL EZ requires the use of a caregiver in its operation. Any action that permanently engages the ROYAL EZ wheels to the floor is not permitted. Damages and or injuries which occur as a result of this action are not the responsibility of the manufacturer.

To the best of its ability ComforTek Seating has provided instructions relating to the correct mounting procedures to follow for its ROYAL EZ product. Due to the wide variety of chair designs ComforTek Seating does not and cannot assume responsibility for damages and or injuries resulting from failure to follow the instructions provided.

ComforTek Seating assumes no liability or warranty beyond that stated in the ROYAL EZ WARRANTY document (see attached)

ComforTek Seating is not responsible for damages or injury caused as a result of any unsafe operation of the chair and the ROYAL EZ. The addition of the ROYAL EZ to a chair does not make it into a transport chair. Customers are advised specifically not to use this on wet floors or near stairwells as accidental falling may occur.

ComforTek Seating is not responsible for damages which occur as a result of wearable parts not being repaired. Please review the Operational Guidelines outlined in the instruction document.

## ROYAL EZ DO's

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**DO** - get the chair as close to the table as is possible before pushing (if relevant).

**DO** - ensure that the Service User's legs, feet and hands are clear of the table and chair when pushing in.

**DO** - push the pedal down enough to raise the front legs onto the wheels.

**DO** - keep the device clean (for hygiene and maintenance reasons).

## ROYAL EZ DON'Ts

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**DO NOT** - push the pedal right down onto the floor – this will restrict the forward and backwards movement.

**DO NOT** - use with a person of more than 350 lbs.

**DO NOT** - do not stand on the chair or sit on the top of the backrest.

**DO NOT** - use the ROYAL-EZ to push in more than you feel comfortable (i.e. without doing the splits). Reposition yourself and push a second or third time.

**DO NOT** - use the ROYAL-EZ to move more than is necessary to get someone to and from the table (probably no more than 3ft to 4ft) – it is not a wheelchair substitute or transport chair.

**DO NOT** - use the ROYAL-EZ, if it appears damaged.

REF No.	ACTIVITY	HAZARDS	THOSE AT RISK	RISK RATING	CONTROLS TO REDUCE RISK	RE-EVALUATE RISK RATING
1	Moving Client forwards/backwards whilst seated	Tipping Client off chair	Client	medium	Two front wheels are used on device to maintain chair stability and reduce risk of tipping.	Low
2	Moving Client forwards/backwards whilst seated	Strain on back/knees/hip of Care Staff	Care Staff	high	Device is designed to reduce this risk by providing easy-wheeled movement (training may be requested for Staff to demonstrate optimum techniques for using device).	Low
3	Moving Client forwards/backwards whilst seated	Device breaks in use	Client and Care Staff	medium	Device should not be used with a Client of more than 350lbs.  Device is fail-safe i.e. if it breaks the chair returns to normal function – both chair front legs have full friction with floor (A left or right side breakage will not impair this function because the plastic parts are flexible enough to twist in this event).	Low
4	Chair is used for support by an unsteady Client	Chair moves away due to lower friction and the person falls	Client	medium	Two shock cords are connected to the device to ensure that the front wheels are not touching the floor when device is not being used. On low friction floors anti-slip washers are fitted to the front legs to ensure that the chair is not easily moved.	Low
5	Chair is lifted to move it	Device swings down and presents a hazard	Persons in vicinity	low	Two shock cords are connected between chair and device to prevent this.	Low
6	Chair is lifted to move it	Device swings down and presents a hazard because shock cord breaks	Persons in vicinity	low	Two shock cords are used so that there is a second cord to restrain the device (Replacement shock cords can be provided easily & quickly).	Low
7	General Use	Sharp edges to steel parts	Client and Care Staff	medium	Device is manufactured with this hazard in mind. Quality control at manufacturer and at distribution point is fully cognizant of the hazard.	Low
8	General Use	Hygiene/cleaning	Care Staff and Client	low	Plastic finish - easily cleaned	Low
9	General Use	Trapping Client's hands between chair and table	Client	medium	Training always required to reduce this risk, but the effort needed to push forwards compared to normal is greatly reduced, so mitigating risk	Low
10	General Use	Trapping Client's legs under the chair	Client	medium	Training always required to reduce this risk, but the effort needed to push forwards compared to normal is greatly reduced, so mitigating risk	Low
11	Client pushes back with legs and leans back	Chair tips backwards	Client	medium	Rear wheels make tipping back virtually impossible.	Low
12	Client pushes back with legs and leans back	Chair moves backwards	Care Staff	medium	Front leg stabiliser floor friction makes backwards movement relatively slow.	Low