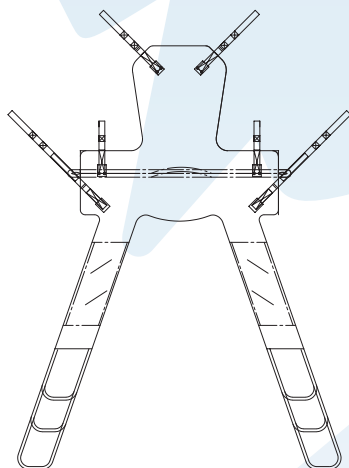
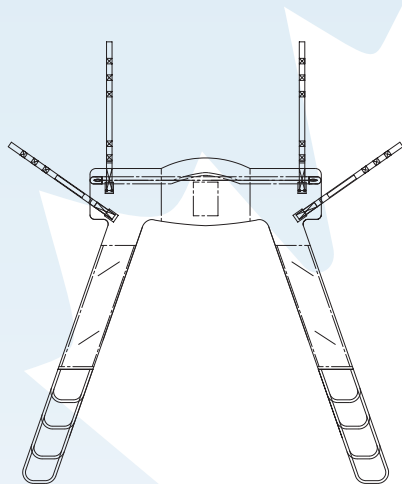


# HYGIENE SLING

Conducting a thorough risk assessment is essential to ensuring the appropriate size, material and style of sling is used

HighStar's Hygiene Sling is designed for toileting with maximum support. Featuring back and head support as an option, its self-adjusting waist strap allows for precise and comfortable positioning during a transfer. Offered in highly washable woven fabric, the Hygiene Sling can be used with any compatible floor lift or ceiling lift that accepts loop-style slings.



## Washing Guidelines

- Wash inside a laundry bag for a longer-lasting sling
- Temperatures not to exceed 80°C/ 176°F
- Do not use bleach
- Air dry, or cool tumble dry. No heat.
- Do not dry clean
- Do not iron

*Always check the product label for washing instructions.*



## General Guidelines

- Read and understand the instructions before use
- Always visually inspect the sling before use, checking for tears, rips, or frays.
- Do not exceed the sling's weight capacity
- Check the label is legible
- A properly cared for sling should approximately last 2-3 years

*Remove from use if the sling appears to be deteriorating or if the label is no longer legible*



# INSTRUCTIONS FOR SLING APPLICATION

Always check the appropriate sling style, material and size has been selected before applying the sling

- Always ensure the sling's label is on the outside and remove applicable clothing.



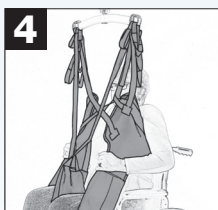
Align the sling's centre with the client's spine. Lean the client forward and slide, or place, the sling behind the client. The sling's short waist straps should be level with the client's waist.



- a. Guide the sling's legs underneath and between the client's thighs. Keep them smooth, not folded or twisted.
- b. Wrap the sling waist bands around the client's waist. Leave approximately 14 cm (6 inches) between the ends of the waist bands. They should not touch or overlap.
- c. Next, feed each waist support band's lower strap through the loop attached to its opposite waist support band.



Then feed each leg strap through the loop at the other leg strap's base.



Attach the loops to the lift's carry bar. For optimal balance during the transfer: apply the same coloured loops on each side.

- Before raising, each of the sling's loops must be securely fastened to the carry bar.