

REDGUM BRAND
Daily Living and
Lifestyle Products

Knee Walker - Owners manual.



Features:

Aluminum powder coated frame
Compact & Easy to fold
Multi height adjustable platform
Adjustable handle bar height
Quick adjust for left or right leg
Dual locking brakes
8" wheels / Carry basket



1	DUAL HANDBRAKE WITH PARK BRAKE
2	REFLECTIVE HANDLES FOR SAFETY
3	ADJUSTOR FOR TENSION ON BRAKES (SERVICE)
4	ADJUSTABLE HANDLEBAR HEIGHT
5	REVERSABLE / MOULDED KNEE PAD
6	ADJUSTABLE SEAT HEIGHT
7	TILER LOCK -FOLDS FLAT FOR TRANSPORT/STORAGE
8	REMOVABLE BASKET
9	ADJUSTOR FOR TENSION ON BRAKES (SERVICE)

Operating Instructions

About

The Knee Walker is a steerable mobility device that provides Support and Mobility to the user with injuries below the knee.

Body weight is distributed evenly across the knee pad (which is fully adjustable) and allows the user to support and propel themselves with their good leg.

The "walker" has a cushioned molded knee pad to support both the injured leg and ankle to make certain that no stress is placed on the damaged limb.

The knee walker is designed for easy steering and maneuverability with handlebars.

Brakes are also featured on this knee walker for precise speed control , movement and safety.

Operating the Knee Walker

- Place injured leg (left or right) on the knee pad;
Centre the leg and position yourself forward to cover the full length of the pad.
- With the injured leg on the pad, stand as straight as possible and adjust the height of the Knee Walker by loosening the quick release handle and repositioning the pin to the correct height. -REFER ADJUSTING THE KNEE PAD HEIGHT-
- With the injured foot pointing down commence pushing yourself with the uninjured leg. When propelling the knee walker always ensure that you keep your leg close to the walker to maintain control and balance.
- With uninjured foot push back on the ground starting out with small steps to start forward motion. Concentrate on small steps that give you stability and ease of control.
- Hands should always be on the handlebars to maintain control. Brakes need to be applied as required to ensure that you have full control when moving and turning the knee walker.

Using the Hand Brake

The Knee Walker's brakes is similar in design to a bicycle and also has a locking feature (items 1 and 2).

To use the brakes, simply pull the levers with your finger tips toward the handle bar.

To lock the park brakes, push the brake levers away from the handle bar until they click into place.

Do not use the Knee Walker if the brake system is not working properly or poorly adjusted

Adjusting the Hand Brake

For **minor** brake adjustments, the brake adjusters and lock nuts are located between the handbrakes & the brake cables.

To adjust the tension on the brake lever loosen the lock nut and turn the brake adjuster clockwise or anti clockwise as appropriate. Retighten the lock nut after adjustment.

If further adjustment is required, apply the same method of adjustment to the lower brake adjusters & lock nuts.

If the brakes cannot be suitably adjusted by the operator please return the knee walker to your place of purchase for servicing.

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Adjusting the Handle Bar Height

To adjust the handle height, turn the hand wheel (**Item 4**) in an anticlockwise direction to release the lock. Move the bar to the desired height. To lock the handle bar at the new height tighten the hand wheel in a clockwise direction. Ensure that the hand wheel has been tightened to secure the handlebar before use.

Adjusting the Knee Pad Height

To adjust the knee pad height, turn the knee pad handle (**Item 6**) located under the pad counter-clockwise until free of the frame. Set the pad to the desired height notch and return the adjustment knob. Turn clockwise to tighten.

To Fold The Tiller (For transporting in the car or for storage)

To fold the tiller, pull the tiller lock lever (**Item 7**) away from the knee walker until the lock is disengaged. While holding the lock lever in the down position, fold the tiller down until it rests on the pad.

To Reduce the Risk of Accident

- Follow the instructions provided by your healthcare professional.
- Before using the Knee Walker practice bending, reaching, ambulating and transferring on and off the Knee Walker.
- DO NOT use the Knee Walker by yourself until you feel confident and can maneuver independently.
- The use of the Knee Walker is different for each individual. Always ensure your safety and the safety of others when operating the knee walker.
- NEVER attempt to maneuver on unstable, uneven or steep surfaces that may cause the operator to lose control.
- Be aware of your surroundings when operating the Knee Walker. Look for obstacles and hazards and avoid these areas.
- Do not transverse hills or sloping gradients. Maintain a slow speed to keep the Knee Walker balanced at all times
- Do not use on stairs or step style escalators.
- Always be aware of other pedestrians and motor vehicles. While operating the knee walker you are considered to be a pedestrian.
- Never carry more than 2kgs of items in the front carry basket.
- Be extra careful during wet weather as moisture will affect the braking performance.

Dimensions

Seat height 430 - 585mm

Handle height 790—1000mm

Unit weight 12kg

Max user weight 130kg

Warranty

REDGUM BRAND Daily Living and Lifestyle Products warrants that the other parts will be free from defects under normal use, for a period of twelve (12) months from the date of purchase by the original customer.

All parts claimed under warranty must be returned to **REDGUM** BRAND Daily Living and Lifestyle Products in their present condition.

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Always contact the **selling** **REDGUM** BRAND Daily Living and Lifestyle Products **® dealer** to arrange all work and assess if warranty applies.

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