

Suction Feet

GUIDE FOR INSTALLATION AND SAFE USE

What are Suction Feet?

Suction feet are designed to enhance the stability and safety of shower chairs, benches, stools and steps in bathrooms. They are a valuable feature for anyone with mobility issues or those requiring extra support, providing peace of mind by increasing a bathroom support devices' stability in what can often be a wet and slippery environment.

Suction Feet are designed for use on shower chairs, benches, stools and steps which will be referred to hereon as the device.

Installation prior to first use

All instructions contained within this document should be used alongside any information provided by your occupational therapist. This product should only ever be used for its intended purpose as described within this document.

- 1. Installation of new Suction Feet:**
 - Remove any previous installed suction feet prior to the installation of your new Q-assist Suction Feet.
 - Ensure there is enough space around the device for safe entry and exit.
- 2. Test stability:**
 - The device you have installed the Suction Feet on should feel secure and not wobble.
- 3. Safe working load:**
 - Suction Feet are steel reinforced and have a safe working load of 200kg, never load more than 200kg on the Suction Feet. Always check the safe working load of the device that the Suction Feet have been installed on and never exceed its safe working load.

Cleaning & maintenance

- Ensure Suction Feet are regularly cleaned with a mild disinfectant.
- Suction Feet should be allowed to dry in between use.
- Fittings should be regularly checked to ensure that they do not become loose after normal operation.
- If the Suction Feet sustain or appear to be damaged in any way, the product may require replacing.



Product safety

- Your occupational therapist will provide specific recommendations tailored to your circumstances for the use of this product. Instructions contained within this document are designed to be used in conjunction with your occupational therapist recommendations.
- Anti slip shower mats are recommended at the entry and exit points.
- Always ensure that the device the Suction Feet are attached to is stable prior to use.
- Always have everything you need in the shower or bath prior to use.
- **Never attempt to move the product while under load.**
- **Never load more than 200 kg on the product.**
- **Always check the weight rating of the device that the Suction Feet are installed on and never exceed that device's safe working load.**
- **Never use the product if there are any signs of damage.**
- **Never use this product in any other way other than the intended use as disclosed within this document.**
- **If there is anything that you are unsure about in this document, please consult your occupational therapist.**