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CARENDO

ERGONOMIC HYGIENE CHAIR
WITH UNIQUE CARE RAISER



...with people in mind



THE TRUE PROBLEM SOLVER

Showering is becoming more common within long term care, but existing methods are uncomfortable for the resident and impose strain on the carer. The *Carendo* by ArjoHuntleigh is the answer to these problems, and delivers a lot more in addition. The *Carendo* solves many issues related to everyday hygiene for light and medium dependent residents according to ArjoHuntleigh Mobility Gallery. It is unique because a single carer can take care of dressing and undressing, showering, hair washing, foot care, toileting, change of incontinence pads and other hygiene routines in a controlled and ergonomically sound working position. Carers are constantly finding new situations where the *Carendo* can help out. The procedures are done in a safer, easier and quicker way, which facilitates the work. For the residents the *Carendo* offers great advantages, because they can experience hygiene routines with the safety and dignity they have the right to expect in daily life.

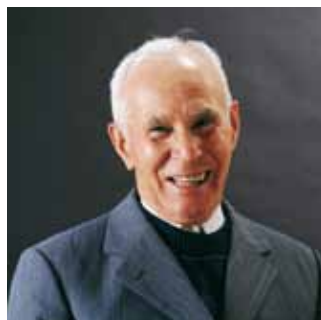
The Care Raiser function is the key

Our extensive experience and focused product development give the *Carendo* a unique feature – the Care Raiser function. It enables the lift of the lower part of the resident's body, which gives easy and discreet access for sensitive tasks, allowing care with dignity. The resident can be moved fully dressed to and from the showering area. With the Care Raiser function a single carer can easily manage the whole procedure alone from undressing, showering to dressing. Changing of incontinence pads is also carried out in the best possible way. This eliminates awkward handling of hygiene routines in the resident's bed.





A CARING ATMOSPHERE



Every factor that enhances the quality of care is invaluable. Good equipment takes most hard and strenuous work out of many daily activities, making room for positive contact between residents and carers. When using the *Carendo* the carer's energy can be focused entirely on the resident and not be diverted by unnecessary practical issues. This helps to create a caring atmosphere in every way.

Focus on carer

The *Carendo* improves the efficiency of care. It allows a single nurse to perform a range of hygiene routines in a controlled, safe and ergonomically sound way. In fact, a study on a targeted intervention including use of the *Carendo* showed 43 % less static load for the carer. The *Carendo* will help to enhance job satisfaction and reduce strain, work related injuries and sick leave among the nursing staff.

Focus on resident

The *Carendo* allows the resident to enjoy comfort, safety and dignity in every hygiene situation. The high backrest of the *Carendo* fully supports the head and upper body, also allowing residents with lower degrees of mobility to benefit from it. As well as providing optimum physical support, the attractive design and sophisticated look of the *Carendo* helps to put the resident at ease.

1 Head support

The high backrest gives full back and head support, even for residents with diminished upper-body stability.

2 Sitting safely

Sturdy armrests make the resident feel secure. More independent residents can use them while getting in and out of the *Carendo*.

3 Good access

The Care Raiser function lifts the lower part of the resident's body for undressing/dressing and hygiene routines.

4 Helpful handles

Ergonomically designed handles are conveniently located at different heights to ensure the most comfortable grip for the carer during all manoeuvres.

5 Easy re-charge

The integrated nickel-metal hydride battery is light and easy to re-charge in the battery charger.

6 Environmentally friendly parts

All plastic components are made of 100% recyclable polypropylene.

7 Smooth moves

The swivelling castors are made of non-corroding plastic and stainless steel, and can all be braked.

8 Complete control

A handset controls all the functions of the *Carendo* – raising and lowering, reclining, and Care Raiser.



Carendo accessories



Back pillow
NEA 0001-031



Seat cushion
NEA 0002-031



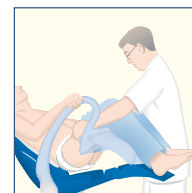
Bedpan CDA 1500-07
Bedpan holder NEA 1101-90
Adapter CDA 1600-07

MAKE EVERYDAY HYGIENE MUCH EASIER

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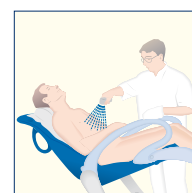
The Care Raiser function

Dressing, undressing, and changing of incontinence pads are routines normally carried out in bed – an inefficient method with high risk of strain injuries. The Care Raiser function was developed with these actions in mind and enables ergonomically sound procedures to be undertaken by one carer. The Care Raiser lifts the lower part of the resident's body and provides easy and discreet access for sensitive tasks, allowing care with dignity.



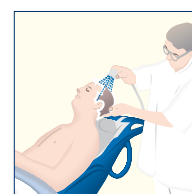
Showering

Assisted showering generally requires two carers and the resident is placed on an ordinary chair in the shower. Less mobile residents can not be showered on standard shower chairs, but are forced to be washed in bed. These methods are awkward, for both carer and resident. When using the *Carendo* the whole procedure – undressing, showering and dressing – can be managed in an efficient and ergonomically sound way by one carer, in the shower room. The dignity is remained since the resident remains clothed when moved to and from the showering session.



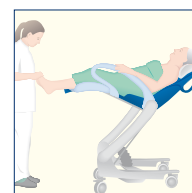
Hair washing

Often carried out when the resident is placed in bed or on an ordinary chair in the shower, hair washing is an awkward procedure for both carer and resident. The *Carendo* allows the carer to adjust the height and recline angle to achieve the correct working posture for hair washing. The routine can be done in a comfortable way for the resident, fully supported by backrest and head pillow.



Pedicure

The traditional procedure calls for the resident's leg to be lifted onto the lap of the carer, who has to assume a squatting position. Using the *Carendo*, all aspects of foot care, from washing to pedicure, can be performed at a comfortable working height, without bending and stretching.



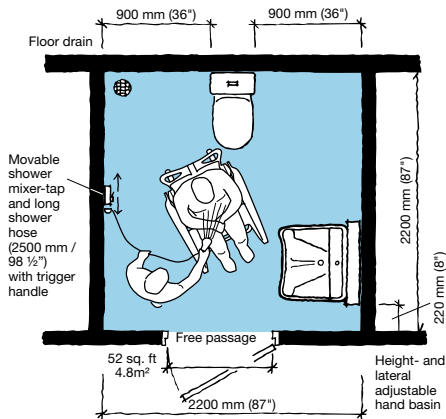
Toileting

Access to toileting with dignity is a basic part of a good practice. In the *Carendo* the resident can be placed over a standard toilet, which means the resident does not have to use a bedpan. For incontinent residents the Care Raiser function gives possibility for smooth change of incontinence pads. Thanks to the Care Raiser function the carer can adjust the resident's clothes easily and discreetly, allowing the routine to be performed without intrusive handling.

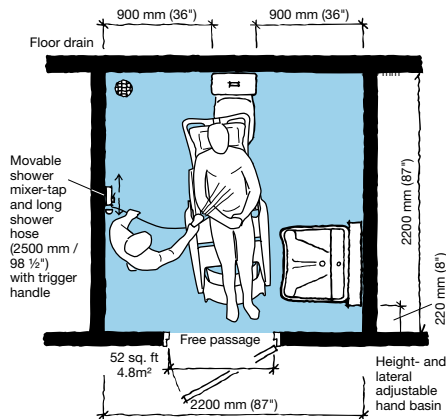


PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Space requirement



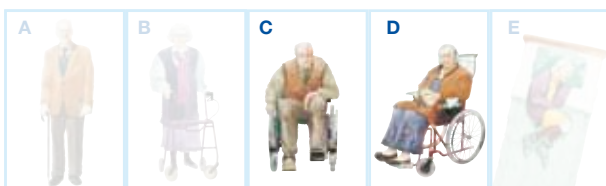
The working area needed for showering a resident in an upright sitting position.



The working area required for showering a resident in a fully reclined position.

Mobility Gallery

Suitable for Carl and Doris



C Carl, who sits in a wheelchair and has little capacity to support himself

D Doris, who has no capacity to support herself

Please contact ArjoHuntleigh for further information on the Mobility Gallery™.

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Product Information

Lifting capacity	136 kg (300 lbs)
Weight	64 kg (141 lbs)
Max total weight (lift + resident)	200 kg (441 lbs)
Chassis, max width	640 mm (25")
Chassis, width between legs	500 mm (19 3/4")
Chassis, height (clearance under chairs/beds)	180 mm (7")
Clearance under chassis	40 mm (1 1/2")
Chassis, max length (incl. brakes)	925 mm (36 1/2")
Chassis, projection	100 mm (4")
Turning area	Ø1150 mm (45")
Lifting stroke range (seat)	550 mm (21 3/4")
Supply voltage	24 V
Max power	150 VA
Battery	NiMH; ArjoHuntleigh NEA 0100
Colour	blue/gray
Seat height, lowest/highest position	470/950 mm (18 1/2 / 37 1/2")
Min. height/length, upright position	1230/890 mm (48 1/2 / 35")
Width	650 mm (25 1/2")
Max length, reclined position	1520 mm (59 3/4")
Approvals	TÜV

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