



Folding Wheelchair User Guide

ITEM: #5017BL/5017BK



Important Safety Notice

Failure to follow safety instructions may result in serious injury or death.

- 1: Always engage the brakes when stationary to prevent unintended movement.
- 2: Keep hands clear of folding mechanisms and moving parts to avoid pinching or injury

Max Weight Capacity of **300 lbs**

Read this user guide before operating or using your NOKA wheelchair.

User guide and video available online at www.nokamedical.com

INSTRUCTIONS

If you can not understand these instructions or you want to make adjustments, contact a dealer or technical professional before attempting to operate.

Unfolding the Wheelchair

- ▶ Rest both palms firmly on the seat support rails and apply downward pressure until the seat and backrest fabrics are fully tensioned.

⚠ CAUTION

Do not place fingers between the fabric and frame tubes during operation.

Folding the Wheelchair

▶ Footrest Preparation

Lift both footplates to a vertical position.

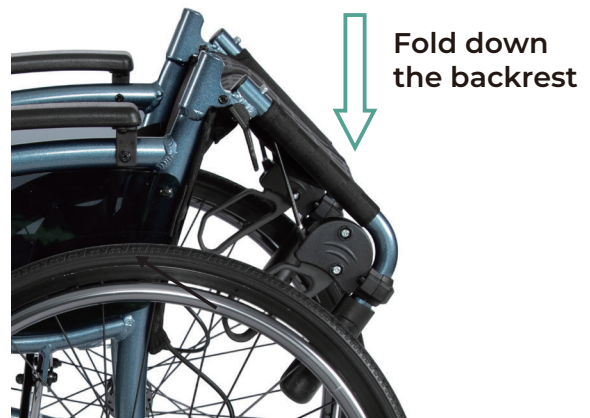
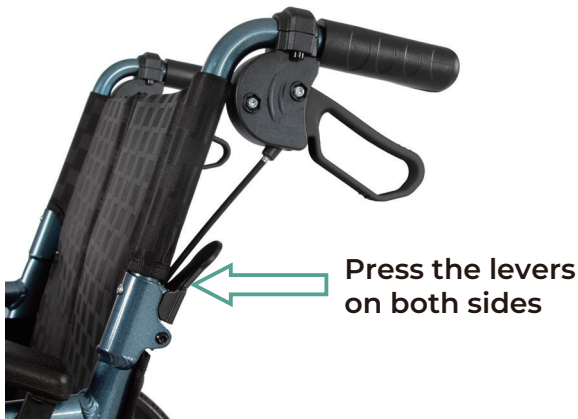
▶ Seat Collapsing

Grasp the central seam of the seat fabric (front and rear) and lift upward.



Backrest Folding Mechanism

- ▶ Press the dual release levers on both sides of the backrest simultaneously.
- ▶ Gently lower the backrest forward until it locks into the storage position.
- ▶ An audible "click" confirms the locking mechanism is engaged.



Armrest Adjustment

► Height Release

Depress the silver button and lift the armrest to the desired level.

► Locking

Release the button and confirm secure attachment.

⚠ WARNING

Never lift the wheelchair by the armrests or footrests

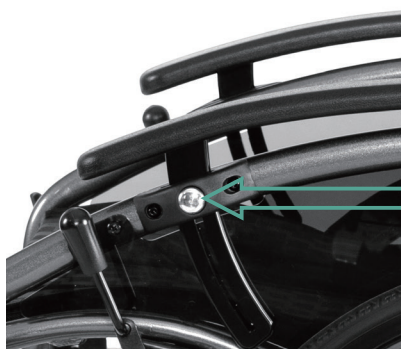
Parking Brake System

► Engagement

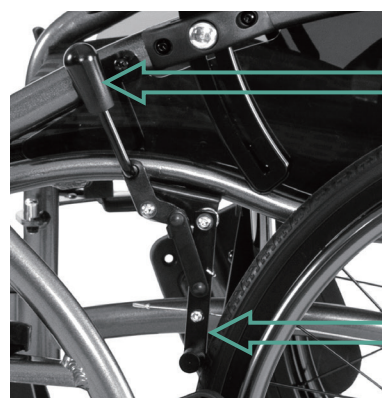
Depress the silver button and lift the armrest to the desired level.

► Release

Pull the lever backward completely.



Press the button to adjust armrest



Wheel Lock handle

Wheel Lock

⚠ DESIGN SPECIFICATION

This braking system is designed exclusively for parking purposes. Strictly prohibit using it to decelerate or make emergency stops while the wheelchair is in motion.

Detachable Footrest Assembly

- Lift the footplate to a vertical position.
- Toggle the release lever outward.
- Hold the footrest base firmly and lift vertically upward.

PRECAUTIONS

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE USING YOUR WHEELCHAIR

- Before entering or leaving the chair, engage the wheel locks against the tires on both rear wheels. Make sure the front casters are in the forward position before transferring into or out of the chair.
- Do not move forward on the seat while leaning forward out of the chair. If it is absolutely necessary to do so, make sure the front casters are in the forward position. If you are picking an object up from the floor, go past the object, and then go backwards. The casters will then swing to the forward position.

- ▶ To ensure operational safety, when performing forward-leaning or lateral-reaching maneuvers, such movements may alter the wheelchair's center of gravity, it is strongly advised to seek caregiver assistance or utilize specialized assistive devices whenever possible.
 - ▶ Unassisted leaning/reaching maneuvers may pose tipping hazards, and any resultant injuries shall not be covered under product liability.
 - ▶ Do not step on the foot plates when transferring, as this could cause tipping.
 - ▶ Do not operate this wheelchair on roadways, streets or any surfaces with vehicular traffic.
 - ▶ Do not operate on inclines without proper assistance. Wheelchair should be on a smooth, stable and level area with wheel locks engaged before transferring user in or out of wheelchair. Footrest should not be lower than 2½ inches from the ground to ensure clearance.
 - ▶ Do not stand on or apply weight to footrests. When trying to extend arms over back, only reach as far as your arm can extend without having to alter your seating position.
 - ▶ Do not lean over or apply weight to the top of wheelchair back. This can cause wheelchair to tip over.
- ⚠ **DO NOT** attempt to cross curbs, bumps, trenches, or other uneven surfaces. Doing so may tip over the product. Operate product only on smooth well-maintained surfaces.
- ⚠ **DO NOT** stand on wheelchair.

HOW TO OPERATE

To Sit Down

- ▶ Engage the rear wheel locks by pushing down on the brake handle until the brake shoe presses firmly on the wheel and prevents the chair from rolling.
- ▶ Flip the footrests into an upright position so that the user can stand between the footrests with the back of their legs touching the seat upholstery.
- ▶ From behind the chair assist the user by slowly lowering them into the chair.

To Rise from Seated Position

- ▶ Engage the rear wheel locks to prevent the chair from rolling.
- ▶ Flip the both footrests into an upright position. Place both feet firmly on the ground and rise slowly from the chair with the assistance of a caregiver.

MATINANCE

Be sure that your chair is in proper working condition at all times. A qualified dealer or repair center (wheelchair rental dealer) should be consulted for periodic inspections and repairs.

- ▶ At least once a week, wipe off metal parts using a clean soft cloth. If the chair is exposed to moisture, dry the chair immediately.

- ▶ Clean the upholstery with a mild soap solution, rinse and wipe dry. Worn or torn upholstery should be replaced promptly as it may not support your body weight.
- ▶ Inspect the wheels at least once a month. Correct any side play by loosening the lock nut on the axle, then tighten the axle just enough to remove side play.
- ▶ Solid rubber tires require limited upkeep, but need to be cleaned periodically with a damp cloth. Solid rubber tires need to be replaced if they become cracked or severely worn.

LIMITED LIFETIME WARRANTY

NOKA warrants the original purchaser of this product against any defects in material or workmanship under normal use. The warranty does not extend to any subsequent purchaser or owner, The warranty is void upon any sale or transfer of ownership or use by other person. NOKA warrants its products for the period commencing upon the date of purchase and continuing for the following specified period of time after that date:

Metal Frame: 5 Years Warranty

Non-Metal/Metal parts: One year Limited Warranty

This warranty does not cover failures due to user negligence, misuse of the product, improper operations and unauthorized modifications. The warranty does not extend to the normal wear and tear of the non-durable components, such as rubber accessories, casters, and grips, which are subject to normal wear and need periodic replacement.

For warranty service, please contact the dealer from whom you purchased your product. In the event of a defect covered by this warranty, we will, at our option, repair or replace the device. This warranty does not include any labor or shipping charges incurred in replacement part installation or repair of product.

DO NOT return any products to our office without prior consent.

The foregoing warranty is exclusive and in lieu of other express warranties, if any, including the implied warranties of merchantability and fitness of a particular purpose. The remedy for any violation of the implied warranty shall be limited to repair or replacement of the defective product pursuant to the terms contained herein. NOKA shall not be liable for any consequential or incidental damages whatsoever.

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