

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

for the

LR Chair

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SECTION II - INSTALLATION

1. UNPACKING THE CARTONS

The chair is shipped in two cartons, one large carton and a smaller carton, containing the following items:

LARGE CARTON

- Chair mounted on a pallet with backrest disconnected
- Plastic bag containing 3 platform covers and installation hardware
- Installation instructions (this manual) and operator's manual
- Foot Control

SMALL CARTON

- Seat Cushion
- Back Cushion
- A Set of Armrests
- Clear Vinyl Toeboard Cover
- Headrest and Cushion
- Hardware Kit

Check for signs of damage to either carton or to the contents and that all items listed above are present. If there is any evidence of damage due to shipping or if any of the items is missing from the cartons, notify the shipper at once. Be careful not to discard any small parts or instruction sheets with the packing material.

2. UNPACKING THE CHAIR

Use the following procedure to disconnect the chair from the pallet. Leave the chair on the pallet until the chair back has been installed.

1. Locate the foot controller and remove and discard the packing material.
2. Locate the two socket head cap screws and washers that secure the back of the chair to the pallet brace (see Figure 2). Using a 5/16-inch allen wrench, remove the two screws and washers.
3. Locate the two hex screws and two washers that secure the pallet cleat to the pallet, as shown in Figure 2. Using an adjustable wrench, remove the two screws and washers. Remove and discard pallet brace and cleat.

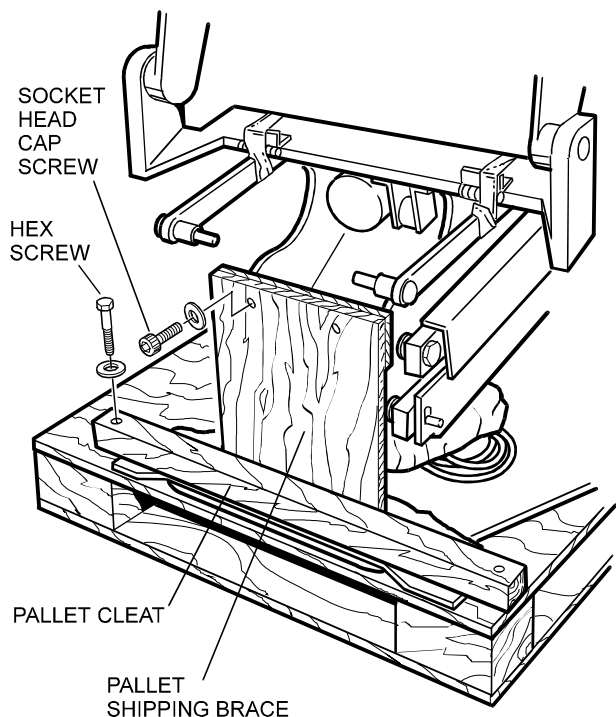


Figure 2

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4. Locate the two nuts at the front of the chair base (beneath the upright housing cover) that secure the chair to the pallet. Using an adjustable wrench, remove the nuts, washers and bolts (see Figure 3).
5. Remove packaging material from the chair back and discard.

3. INSTALLING THE CHAIR BACK

To install the chair back, use the following procedure:

1. Remove any remaining packing materials, tape, etc., and discard them. Remove the tag from the seat frame.
2. Remove the pivot pins from the chair back clevis ends by loosening the set screw with a 1/8-inch allen wrench.
4. Align the tow bar bearings with the clevis and insert the pins on both sides as shown in Figure 4.
5. Tighten the each set screw to hold the pin in place. The set screw should be aligned with the groove in the pin.

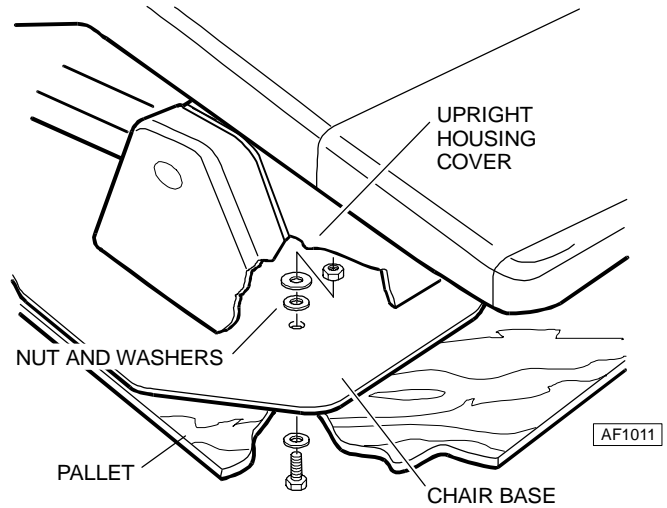


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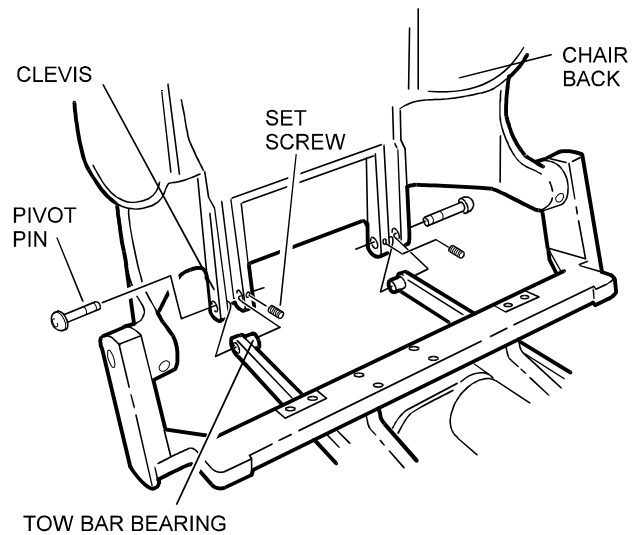


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4. REMOVING CHAIR FROM PALLET

After the preceding steps are completed, the chair may be removed from the pallet and placed in the desired position on the floor. Use the following procedure:

1. Unwrap the foot control and discard the packing materials.
2. Grasp the chair by the chair back and/or seat frame and carefully slide the chair from the pallet onto the floor and into position.



WARNING: Do not attempt to lift the chair by the motor bars. The motor shaft will be damaged (See Figure 5).

5. INSTALLATION OF PLATFORM COVERS

Before installing the platform covers, make sure the power cord is plugged in to an appropriate outlet. Be sure the foot control is unwrapped and ready for use (Refer to Section III, Para. 2). Use the foot control to raise the chair to its full up position. Install the platform covers using the following instructions:

1. Remove the four phillips head screws from the parts bag for use on platform covers.
2. Position the center platform cover in place as shown (See Figure 6).
3. Install the left and right platform covers making sure they trap the center platform cover in place. Secure each side cover with two phillips head screws.



WARNING: After the covers are installed, check the Safety Bail (See Figure 6) and make sure it moves freely up and down to operate the base safety switch. This is important for safe and proper chair operation.

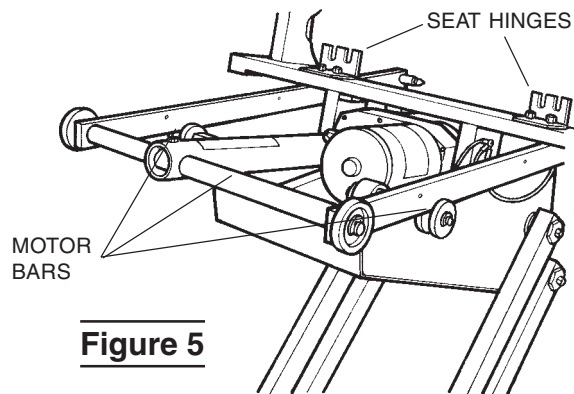


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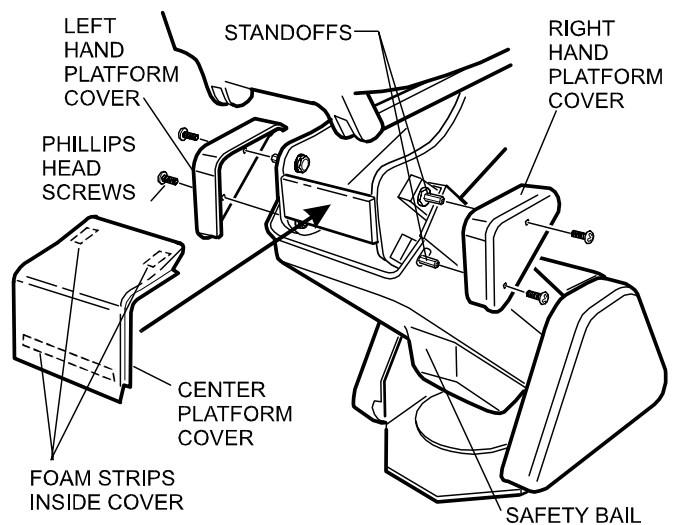


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6. INSTALLATION OF STANDARD MAGNETIC HEADREST AND CUSHION

1. Remove the headrest from the small carton; discard any shipping materials.
2. Insert the headrest tang in the slot and adjustment bracket at the top of the chair back (See Figure 7). When properly adjusted, the headrest should move freely up and down, but should not move on its own.



The adjusting bracket tension is pre-set at the factory and should not require adjustment. If the movement of the headrest is out of adjustment use the following procedure:

- 1) Using an open end wrench, loosen the two locknuts on the side of the adjustment bracket.
- 2) Then, loosen or tighten the adjustment screws to achieve the desired tension and re-tighten the locknuts (Figure 7).

3. The headrest cushion is held to the headrest by a magnet and can be positioned as desired (See Figure 8).

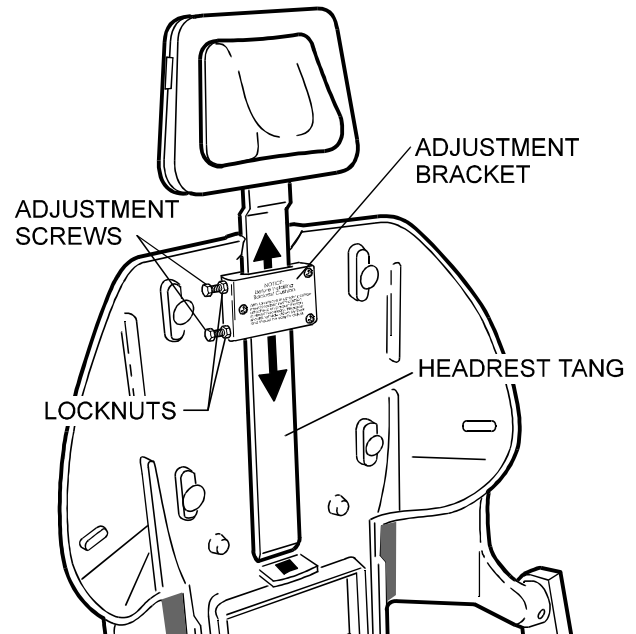


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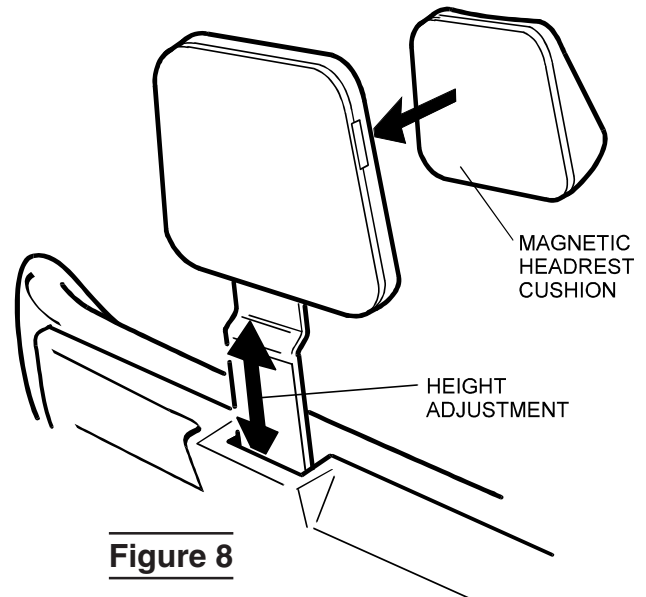


Figure 8



CAUTION: Handle all upholstery with care. Do not bend the Headrest, Back or Seat Cushions as this may cause excessive wrinkles or distortion of the upholstery.



NOTE: All Knight Chair upholstery is made from the highest quality materials available and is designed for maximum patient comfort, easy cleaning and durability. Knight Chair upholstery will provide years of service when correctly maintained according to the Operator and Care Manual. Like all fine upholstery some minor wrinkles, waves or changes may occur. These changes are natural and in no way effect the performance or life of the product.

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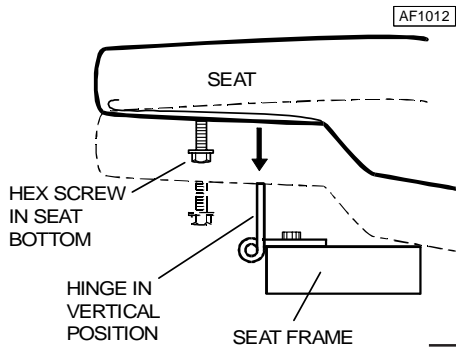


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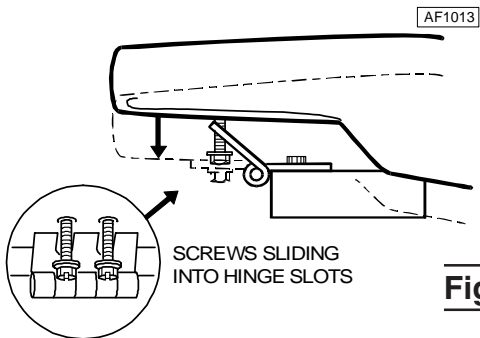


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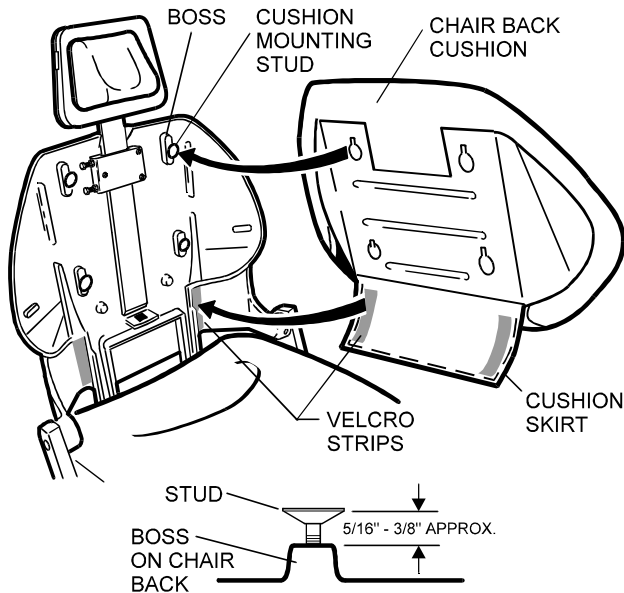


Figure 11

NOTE

Before installing the seat and back upholstery, install the LR unit and any accessories

7. INSTALLATION OF CHAIR SEAT UPHOLSTERY

The seat is attached to the two hinges on the main cross member of the seat frame (See Figure 5). Use the following instructions:

1. Remove the seat from the upholstery box (the smaller box); be sure to handle the seat with care. Locate the hardware kit. Discard all shipping materials.
2. Raise the chair up to its highest position and recline the chair back to 45 degrees (Refer to Section III).
3. Insert the four 1/4-20 hex head screws in the bottom of the seat and hand tighten 2 turns.
4. Turn the two hinges up into a vertical position. Lower the seat onto the chair with the seat resting on the hinges (See Figure 9).
5. Rotate the hinges down toward the hex screws while allowing the screws to slide into the slots in the hinges (See Figure 10). Tighten the screws using a screwdriver or 3/8 inch socket.

8. INSTALLATION OF CHAIR BACK UPHOLSTERY

The seat back is mounted over the four large head studs in the chair back (see Figure 11). Use the following instructions after first raising the back to a convenient height for installing the cushion.

1. Before installing the chair back cushion, turn the four cushion mounting studs counter clockwise until they are approximately 5/16 to 3/8 inches from the top of the boss (See Figure 11).
2. Position the chair back cushion on the chair back and align the four cushion mounting studs with the holes in the chair back cushion (See Figure 11).
3. With the chair back cushion held tight against the chair back, push downward to lock the cushion into place.
4. Secure the velcro strips on the cushion skirt to the velcro strips on the chair back. Smooth the skirt out with your hand to remove any wrinkles.

SECTION II - INSTALLATION (CONT)

9. INSTALLATION OF ARMREST

The armrests are held in position by a set screw located in the back of the hip post. A pivot mechanism allows the armrest to swing out, while the armrest post remains stationary. Use the following procedure to install the armrests:

1. Unpack the armrests and discard all packing materials. The armrests are secured to the bottom of the small carton (Figure 12).
2. Insert the armrest post in the hip post, making sure that the right and left hand mounting positions are observed (See Figures 13 & 14).
3. Position the armrest parallel to the side of the chair and tighten the set screw (See Figure 13).

NOTE ▶ **NOTE:** The set screw must be tightened with considerable force to keep the armrest post from turning. The armrest should pivot only at the pivot mechanism.

NOTE ▶ **NOTE:** We recommend disabling the swing out feature on the side of the chair opposite patient access. To lock the armrest and disable the swing out feature, remove the pivot screw and washer on the underside of the armrest and turn the stop plate 90°. Replace the pivot screw and washer and tighten (See Figure 14).

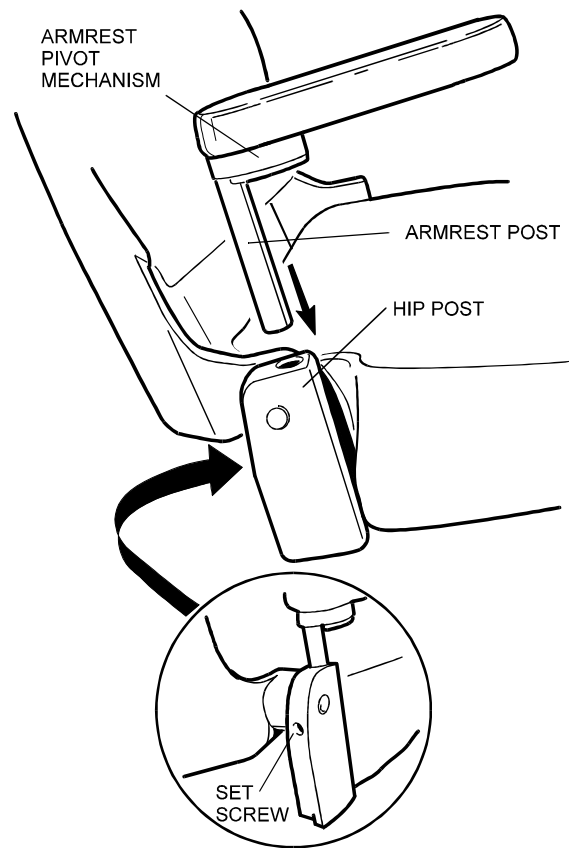


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10. INSTALLATION OF OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT

If optional equipment was ordered with the chair, it should be installed in accordance with the instructions included in the optional equipment package.

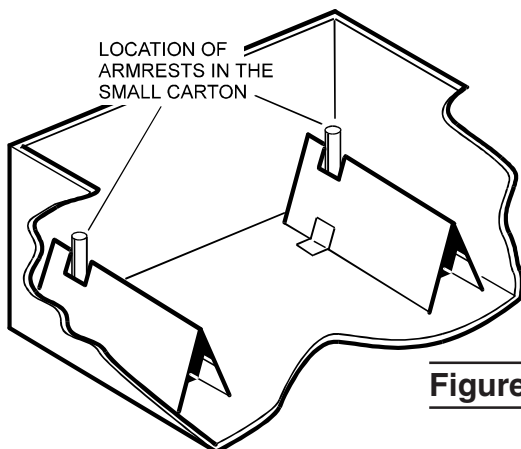


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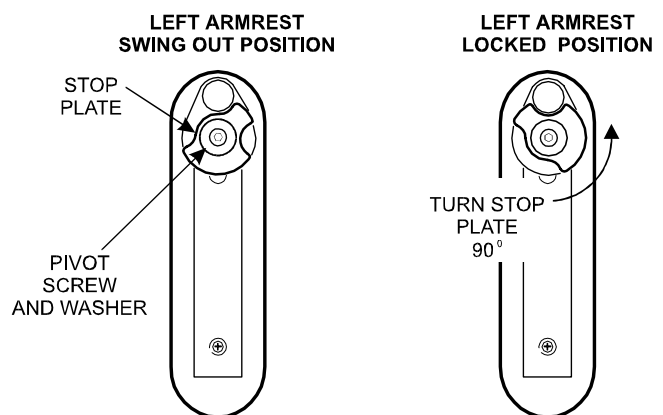


Figure 14

SECTION III - OPERATIONAL CHECKS

When the installation is complete, certain operational checks should be made, as follows:

FOOT CONTROL OPERATION

The foot control (See Figure 15), consisting of a selector (toggle) switch and a control disk, is operated as follows:

- The Selector Switch toggles to the Operate (green) or Automatic Exit (yellow) positions
- The Operate position is actuated by pressing the selector switch to the position indicated in green. At this position the control disk is functional and the chair can be positioned as follows:
 1. Actuate and hold the control disk to the desired quadrant (See Figure 15). For example, sliding the disk to the left will actuate the back-down position.
 2. Two functions can be actuated simultaneously by sliding the disk in a diagonal direction. For example, Figure 16 illustrates the simultaneous actuation of the back-down and base-up functions.
 3. Releasing the disk stops the movement of the chair.
- The Automatic Exit position is actuated by pressing the selector switch to the position indicated in yellow. At this position the control disk is nonfunctional.



WARNING: Once the Automatic Exit function is actuated, this function may be stopped by pressing the selector switch to the operate position.

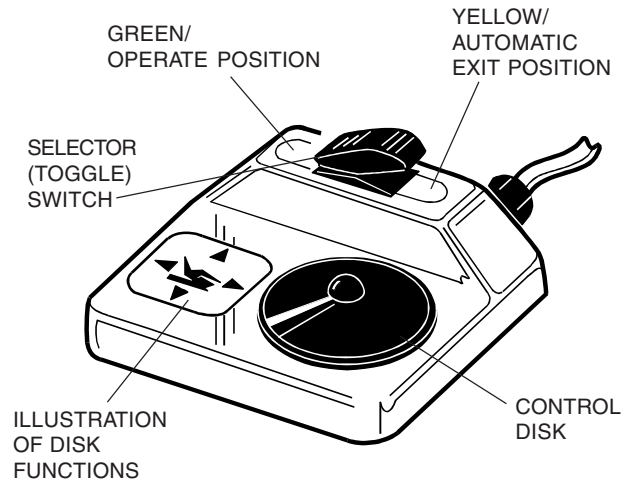


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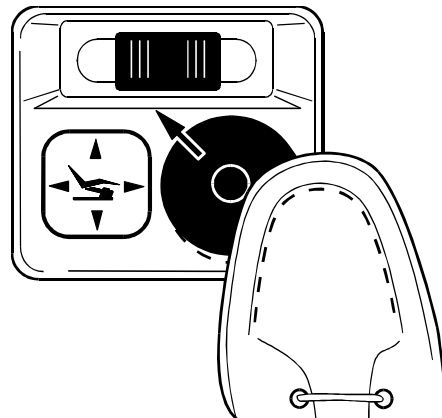


Figure 16

SECTION IV - FINAL CHECK LIST

When all the assembly and installation procedures are completed, the chair should be checked out in accordance with the following check list to ensure that assembly is complete and that all controls function properly.

- Check all controls for proper operation.
- Check operation of safety bail.
- Check chair rotation, stops and locking functions.
- Check the armrests to ensure proper functioning and that the armrest post is secured and will not move.
- Be sure that the cushions are properly installed and the toeboard cover is in place.
- Check that the platform covers are installed.
- Be sure that all optional equipment has been installed.
- Check that all shipping tape and other packaging materials have been removed and disposed of.
- Make sure that the chair has been cleaned and that all dirt and finger prints have been removed.
- Be sure the person who will operate the chair receives the operators manual and any other appropriate information or instructions.



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Operation and Care Manual

The LR Chair

Model P



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Introduction

This publication is a user's manual containing all the information you will need to operate and care for your LR Chair. Before operating your chair, please read this manual to become familiar with its special features and functions.

The LR Dental Chair provides exceptional comfort and support during dental procedures. The chair is fully adjustable, from upright to beyond horizontal, to ensure maximum patient comfort and ready access to the patient by the operator.

Designed for reliability and simplicity of function, your chair will provide you with years of service with a minimal amount of maintenance.

Label Definitions



Hazards which result in severe personal injury or death.



Hazards which could result in personal injury.



Hazards which could result in equipment or property damage.



Alert user to pertinent facts and conditions.



“DANGER - EXPLOSION HAZARD - DO NOT USE THIS EQUIPMENT IN THE PRESENCE OF FLAMMABLE ANESTHETICS”

RATING FOR 120 VOLT CHAIR

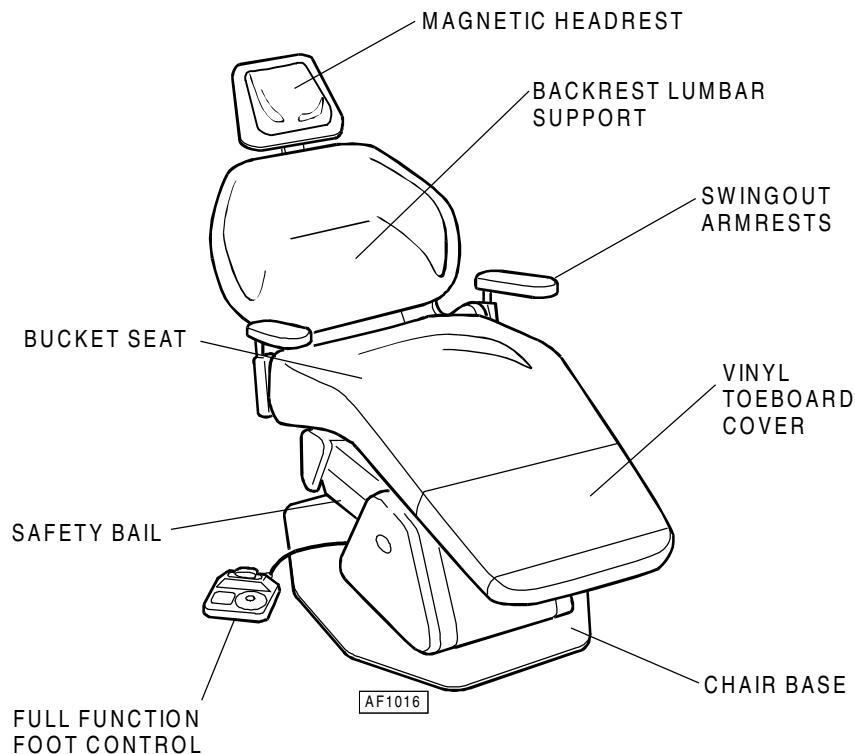
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Controls and Components



The components and controls identified are described below. Read the descriptions carefully to familiarize yourself with these components

MAGNETIC HEADREST - provides comfortable support for the patient's head and neck throughout the dental procedure.

BACKREST AND LUMBAR SUPPORT - a contoured seamless seat and lumbar cushion support for the patient's back.

BUCKET SEAT - The seamless seat is contoured to ensure patient comfort throughout the dental procedure.

SWING-OUT ARMRESTS - provide easy access to or from the chair on either side.

VINYL TOEBOARD COVER - fits over the end of the bucket seat to protect the upholstery.

FOOT CONTROL - controls the proper positioning of the chair. It also provides two automatic positions - auto exit and programmable operation.

Requirements

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS

The illustration below shows the basic space requirements of your LR Chair. The chair should be at least 18 inches from the nearest wall, cabinet, or any permanent fixture when in the fully reclined position. Note that the chair seat moves forward 4-1/2 inches as the base is raised.

ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS:

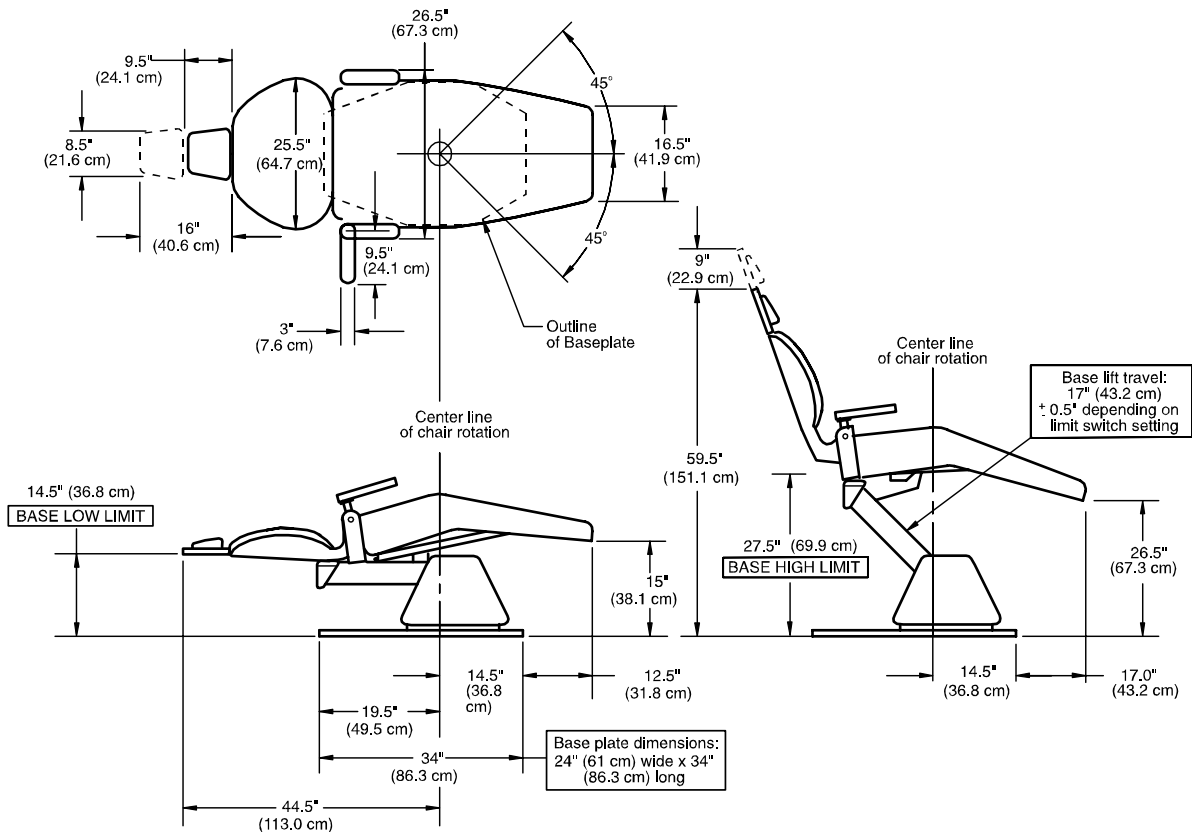
Before connecting the line cord to an appropriate receptacle, make certain that the circuit is protected by a 15-amp circuit breaker for 120-VAC models, or a 7.5-amp breaker for 240-VAC models. Ensure that all wiring is grounded and all electrical codes are observed.



WARNING - Potential shock hazard with possible personal injury. To reduce shock hazard, observe all electrical codes.



WARNING - To disconnect power to the chair, you must unplug the power cord from the electrical outlet.

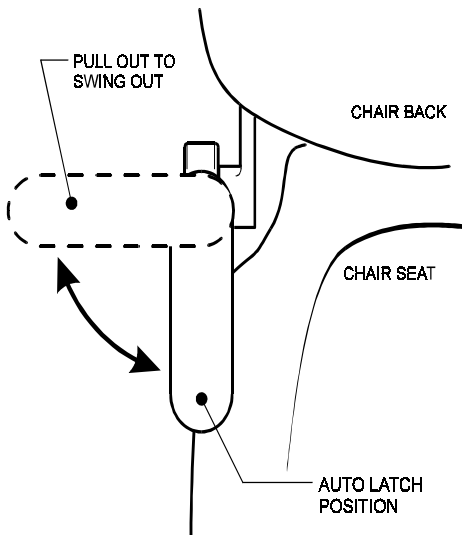
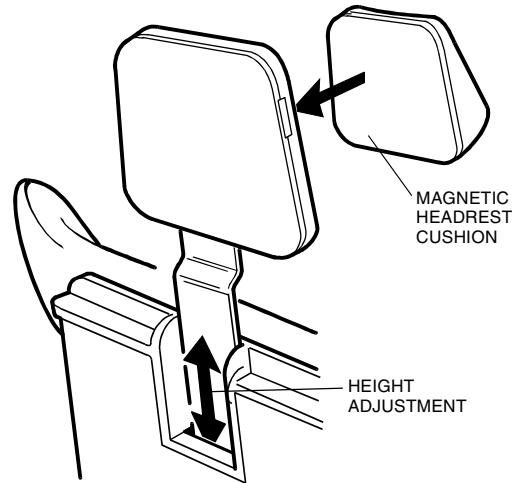


Operation

The LR Chair is designed for convenient operation. This section will explain in detail the functions of the electrical and manual controls. Refer to page 2 for a general description and location of these controls.

STANDARD MAGNETIC HEADREST

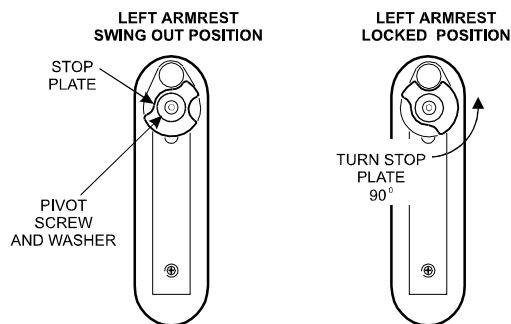
The headrest height can be easily adjusted by simply pulling out or pushing in on the headrest assembly. The cushion is held to the headrest by a magnet and can be positioned as desired.



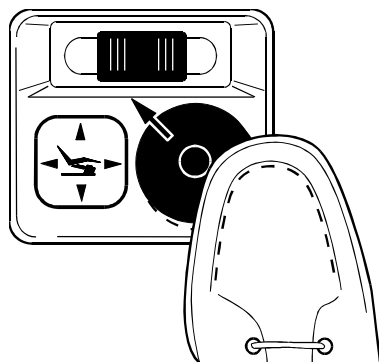
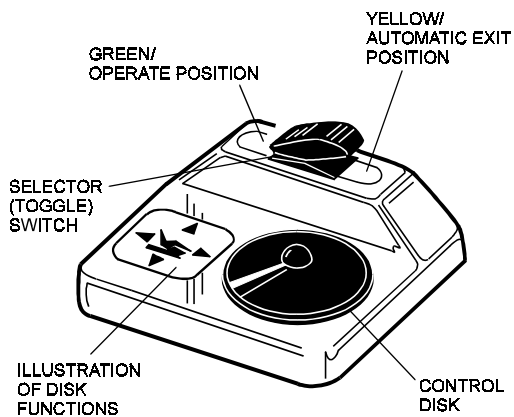
SWING OUT ARMREST

Grasp the armrest and pull out away from the chair. With the patient seated, push the armrest back until it latches.

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Cleaning and Maintenance

Disinfecting Procedures for External Surfaces

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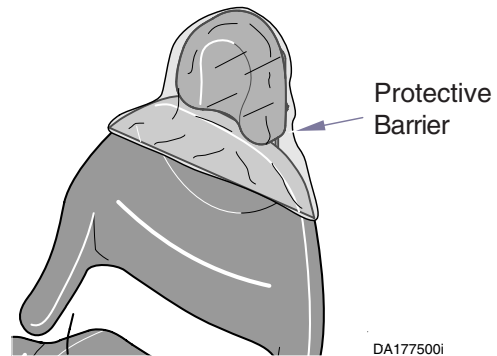
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Note

The use of single-use barriers and disposable items will significantly reduce the frequency and need for chemical usage, thus prolonging the life of the equipment. Barrier material must be impervious (does not allow penetration or passage) to moisture / fluids.

Some examples:

- Plastic covers available at your dealer, or equipment manufacturer.
- Clear plastic wrap
- Plastic bags
- Plastic sheets
- Plastic tubing
- Plastic-backed paper
- Similar materials



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At the beginning of each workday...
Use barrier protection to cover any surfaces that must be protected from contamination.

Note: Barriers should always be changed between patients.



WARNING

If a surface has been contaminated, it will need to be cleaned and disinfected using proper techniques, and EPA-registered hospital disinfectants.

Chemical Disinfectant:

Note

Every dental practice setting is different and no one disinfectant is the best choice for every facility. Due to this fact there are several organizations, educated in disinfection procedures, with web sites that can assist dental personnel in choosing what is best for their practice. Listed below are several links to some of those sites.

Organization for Safety & Asepsis Procedures

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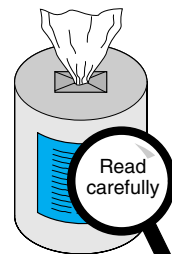
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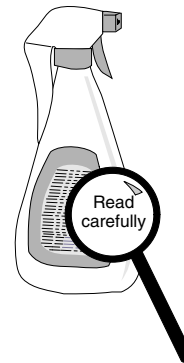
Dept. of Health & Human Resources

Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC)

<http://www.cdc.gov/OralHealth/infectioncontrol/index.htm>



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When using a disinfectant:

- Carefully read the product label and directions for use.
- Do not exceed the dilution rate.



Equipment Alert

No materials available for the manufacture of dental equipment are impervious to every chemical. Midmark does incorporate the most chemical-resistant materials available in our dental line of equipment.

Use of barriers are the most effective means to prevent equipment damage.

Cleaning and Maintenance

Cleaning / Maintenance

Upholstery (Cleaning & Removal)

After following the recommended disinfection procedures outlined by the listed organizations on the previous page wipe off the remaining disinfectant residue from the upholstery. Use a mild soap and water solution for this procedure.

Spot cleaning use mild soap and water

Difficult stains use a mild solvent such as Fantastik® and 409® brand cleaners

[Allow upholstery to air dry, or use a hair dryer on the lowest setting]

Warranty

WARRANTY

Knight by Midmark products are warranted against defect in material and workmanship for a period of 2 years, unless otherwise indicated in writing, from the time of delivery.

Exceptions:

- 1) "KINK-VALVE" module carries a 10 year warranty.
- 2) The original light bulb on a new light carries a 1 year warranty.
- 3) Accessories not manufactured by Knight are excluded (i.e. Fiber optic systems, Scalers, Electric micromotor systems, Curing light systems, X-ray viewers, etc.)
- 4) Replacement parts and accessories carry a 90 day warranty.

Knight's sole obligation under the warranty is either to provide parts for the repair or to provide the replacement product (excluding labor and shipping). The buyer shall have no other remedy. All special, incidental and coincidental damage is excluded. Written notice of breach of warranty must be given to Knight within the warranty period.

The warranty does not cover damage resulting from improper installation or maintenance, accident or misuse. The warranty does not cover damage resulting from the use of cleaning, disinfecting or sterilization chemicals and processes.

No other warranties as to merchantability, fitness for use or otherwise are made.

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