

Guardian Harnesses

The 'Guardian harness' range is designed to provide extra postural support and guidance for those requiring mobility assistance who may falter when trying to walk by themselves or who require additional guidance and supervision when walking in public.

Available in the following configurations:



☐ Guardian - Standard

☐ Removable Rein



☐ Guardian - Heavy

☐ Fixed Rein



☐ Guardian - Challenger

☐ Harbour - Light



☐ Guardian - Cryptic

☐ Harbour - Heavy



The back of the harness is made from comfortable Neoprene featuring a handle at the top for carers or supervisors to provide support and guidance.

Side Press Buckle

The standard side press buckle is supplied with our Standard model.



Steel Safety Buckle

Provides increased resistance to unintended or unauthorised release and is suitable for wearers who may attempt to operate conventional buckles.



ComboLock Buckle

Our highest-security buckle option for preventing unauthorised release, using a programmable three-digit combination.



Velcro Comfort Sleeves. (Included)

Velcro comfort sleeves are supplied with each harness. These can be fitted around the shoulder straps and Under strap where required.



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Guardian Fitting Instructions.

All models:

1. For Guardian Standard and Heavy variants: Place the harness on the wearer like a jacket or waistcoat.
For Guardian Challenger and Cryptic variants: The harness must be donned overhead (pullover style).
2. Ensure the rear handle is positioned centrally between the wearer's shoulder blades. Connect the chest buckle (Standard and Heavy variants only). Pass the Under strap between the legs and place the loop over the waist buckle before fastening it.
3. Tighten the chest strap, where fitted, and the waist straps evenly on both sides until the harness is secure but comfortable. Check that the wearer can breathe normally. Finally tighten the Under strap so it is secure but comfortable.
4. On removable-rein models, align the walking-rein buckle with the attachment buckle on the harness.
5. Push the buckle together until it clicks securely into place.
6. Adjust the rein to the required length, then make any final harness adjustments. Check that the harness is secure and comfortable and does not restrict normal breathing.

Waist belt, Shoulder and Under strap adjustment.

40mm Adjuster Buckle

The 40mm Adjuster is spring loaded to lock the webbing in position.

- To tighten the strap: Simply pull the end of the required strap, the adjuster will grip the webbing in place.
- To loosen a strap: The adjuster needs to release its grip, this is achieved by squeezing together the top (a metal plate covered by the webbing just above the top plastic bar on the top of the adjuster) and bottom of the adjuster and held in that position, this will allow you to make the required adjustment.
- When loosening a strap, with the adjuster grip released: Pull the webbing strap that feeds into the back of the adjuster until you have enough slack.



IMPORTANT: The Guardian and Harbour are positioning/support products and do not replace, supplement or form part of the vehicle's approved occupant restraint system.

The vehicle seat belt remains the primary occupant restraint and must be worn unless the passenger is medically exempt. For non UK use: Please ensure you check and are compliant with your own country's regulations/laws for child seat and harness use.

Steel Safety Buckle

The buckle operates in reverse to the standard vehicle buckles as it is opened by raising a spring loaded lever or over-catch and will not press release. The spring loaded over-catch locks the buckle when assembled and prevents accidental opening. There is a knurled sliding bar for adjustment designed to prevent webbing slip.

The buckle is made from Type 316 Stainless Steel and Nylon 6 and is assembled with tamper proof screws.



Harbour Docking Harness. (Optional Extra)



The Harbour Docking Harness provides an attachment system allowing compatible Guardian harnesses to be connected to vehicle seats, wheelchairs and other suitable seating.

It is available with '**horizontal**' or '**vertical**' fixing straps to suit different seating configurations.

Two versions are available:

Light — for Standard Guardian harnesses

Heavy — for Heavy, Challenger and Cryptic Guardian harnesses



The '**Harbour**' attachment straps (**Light** or **Heavy**) connect to the rein attachment point on the **Guardian harnesses**.

Emergency Seat Belt Cutter (Optional Extra)

We strongly recommend that a seat belt cutter is kept in the vehicle as a safety precaution for those harnesses fitted with a Steel Safety or ComboLock Buckle.

A seat belt cutter can assist with rapid emergency release by allowing webbing to be cut if the buckle cannot be operated.



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ComboLock Buckle



The ComboLock is a combination buckle that provides increased resistance to unauthorised release through a reprogrammable three-digit code. The buckle can only be released after the correct combination has been entered, making it our highest-security buckle option for preventing unauthorised release.



Changing the combination code.



1. Ensure the combination is set to **000** before changing the code.



2. On the rear side of the buckle there is a switch, move it from **A** to **B** to change the code.



3. Set the three dials to your preferred three-digit combination.



4. Return the switch to the **A** position to save the new combination.

IMPORTANT: Record the combination and store it somewhere accessible to the wearer's responsible carer. If the combination is forgotten, the buckle cannot be opened normally without the correct code.

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