

SPECIFICATIONS

Model 8000				
WEIGHT CAPACITY	800LB	800LB	800LB	1000LB
INSIDE ARMREST SEAT WIDTH	24"	28"	34"	34"
LENGTH OVERALL in TABLE position	73"	73"	73"	73"
HEIGHT OVERALL in Highest CHAIR position	62.5"	62.5"	62.5"	62.5"
HEIGHT OVERALL in lowest TABLE position with siderails down	21"	21"	21"	21"
WIDTH OVERALL	33.5"	36"	37.5"	37.5"
SEAT DEPTH OVERALL	22"	22"	22"	22"
VERSACHAIR EMPTY WEIGHT with no options	310 LB	325 LB	355 LB	365 LB
EMPTY WEIGHT with all options	410 LB	420LB	425 LB	430 LB
SMALLEST FOOTPRINT	33"X44"	38"X44"	38"X44"	38"X44"
UNDER CHAIR CLEARANCE	5"	5"	5"	5"

CLINICAL CONSIDERATIONS

Not everybody is an appropriate candidate for sitting and standing. Physician's approval is required before sitting or standing a patient in the VersaChair. Some contraindications and precautions include but are not limited to:

- Fixed contractures of the lower extremities and skeletal deformities,
- Patients assigned a non-weight bearing status, severe spasticity, severe arthritis or joint instability
- Some bariatric patients have a lower leg abduction deformity that prohibits the use of a full chair position.
- Bone Marrow Density (BMD) loss and osteoporosis might cause fractures if attempting to stand prematurely and without a well designed progressive standing program.
- Postural Hypotension should be assessed for all patients using the VersaChair. Blood pressure drop and dizziness when going from supine to sitting, sitting to standing and during standing pose a serious risk for patients that do not regularly stand.
- This VersaChair's stand assist function is not able to stand patients of all heights, certain contracted patients, or patients without good trunk control. Each model is specific to a patient's height range. The base model will most likely be suitable for patients 5'4" to 6'2" tall depending on their body shape & type. The Low Rider model will most likely be suitable for patient 4'10" to 5'6" tall depending on their body shape & type. The Xtra Tall version will be coming soon.

VersaChair



SAFE PATIENT HANDLING

"Standing larger patients used to be very difficult for me and my staff, not to mention uncomfortable for my patients. Now we use the VersaChair because it makes standing safer and easier for any size patient"

-Patricia Rodriguez, PTA

Safe Patient Handling

Two of the most strenuous staff activities are standing, deconditioned obese patients and transporting them within the hospital. Excess skin and adipose tissue render standing slings and gait belts ineffective. All the staff helping stand or move our bariatric patients are at extreme risk for injury.

Safe Standing Solution

The key to successful bariatric standing is preprogrammed postural positions. This is nothing like standing from the edge of a bed. The VersaChair starts in a raised position and sets the patient onto their feet in a natural standing position. Going from position 2 to 3 starts engaging the quads through incremental weight bearing and ends in an eighty degree upright stand. For patients that are unsure of their standing ability, there are knee blocks, a seat belt, siderails and grab handles all built-in where you need them.

Safe Transporting Solution

Transporting an obese patient in a full frame bed is not always an option. A chair with a battery operated drive is much less cumbersome when moving around the hospital simply because it is smaller in size and there is no need to push. The VersaChair Propel Drive makes both standing and moving bariatric patients manageable. How do you manage your large patients?



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STAND ASSIST

VersaChair combines the best postural standing positions with pre-programmed chair positioning that is as easy to follow as 1,2,3



Position 1 & 4

Semi-reclined resting position. Where we start and finish.



Position 2

Sets the patient on their feet with their nose over their toes while the VersaChair holds all of their weight. Here we can fine tune feet and postural positioning before standing



Position 3

Lifts the patient's bottom at the correct anatomical angle. This is all done incrementally and starts transferring the patient's weight onto their feet. Knee blocks, seat belts, and grab handles secure your patient in the event they can't hold some or all of their weight.



Three position side rails



25 degree tilt-in-space



Independently elevating legs



25 degree preliminary tilt table

Seating - 4 inch comfort foam
24, 28, or 34 inch seat width and 22 inch seat depth
21"-33" hi low range (17" low - stand assist)
25 degrees tilt in space for pressure redistribution

Braking
Central lock and steer braking system

Transportation - Propel Drive
Propel Drive - battery operated 5th wheel
O2 holder, IV Pole, and Chart holder options
5 hour battery life with 600 pound load
Smart charger maintains peak battery performance

Stand Assist
Preprogrammed positions to stand
Lockable stand assist buttons
Redundant siderail controls add safety
Retractable patient grab handles

Legs
Independent elevating legs
Extendable and/or removable foot plates that fold-up

Models - stand assist is height specific
Low Rider - for patients 4'10" to 5'6"
Base Model - for patients 5'4" to 6'2"
Xtra Tall Model - for patients 6' to 6'8"

SAFETY

There are three redundant controls with lockouts on the side rails. When the chair is inactive for 15 minutes, these lock out the 'stand' features automatically so the patient can safely use the hand pendant.



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