

# Staebel Grande Seat Walker User Manual

Product Code: 6861



## Thank you for choosing the Staebel Grande Seat Walker

Before using your product, please read all instructions carefully. The warranty will not apply if the product has been used incorrectly. Failure to follow these instructions may result in injury.

- Please check that the max user weight specified, on your Staebel product, is applicable to your personal requirements.
- Do not use your walker until the handles are properly adjusted and securely tightened
- Always lock brakes when sitting on walker
- Do not sit on walker if ground is sloped or uneven
- Do not exceed the maximum weight capacity of the walker
- Do not use the walker as a wheelchair, doing so may cause it to tip-over, resulting in injury
- You should always engage the brakes when you don't plan to move the device
- Do not leave the walker on slopes without the brakes engaged
- When using the walker in a stationary position, the brakes **MUST** always be locked
- Always test to see that the walker is properly and safely locked in place **BEFORE** using
- Take care when transporting in a car boot, damage can occur due to impact with car boot door.



This product has been designed and manufactured for general use with safety and function in mind. For those clients with special requirements, who may find this product unsuitable, please contact your health professional.

## Specifications

<b>Product Code</b>	6861
<b>Seat Width</b>	440 mm
<b>Seat Depth</b>	300 mm
<b>Seat Height</b>	550 mm
<b>Overall Width</b>	570 mm
<b>Overall Depth</b>	670 mm
<b>Overall Folded WxDxH</b>	570 x 350 x 815 mm
<b>Handle Height</b>	815 - 925 mm
<b>Walker Weight</b>	7.4 kg
<b>SWL</b>	200 kg



## ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

### How to Assemble

1. Remove height adjustment screws from handles.
2. Slide handles into frame and insert height adjustment screws to desired height.
3. Place screw head through the adjustment hole from the inside of walker frame (be sure hex screw head fits into hex cut out in frame).
4. From the outside of the frame tighten the black adjustment knob to the screw.
5. Attach the backrest by inserting the metal ends into the plastic folding brackets until the push pins are fully protruding in the hole.

### How to Open

1. Hold handles and pull in on hand brakes. Raise the walker to rest on the rear wheels.
2. Push down and forward to open the walker into the proper walking position.
3. Push down on the centre bar under seat to ensure walker is in proper walking position.

### How to Fold

1. Lift padded seat.
2. Grab black webbing strap on the inside of the vinyl bag and pull upwards.
3. Pull the backrest forwards

## BRAKE USAGE INSTRUCTIONS



**Caution** – Brakes must be in the parked/locked position before sitting on the Walker.

### To Park and Sit

1. Push down on the brake lever, located underneath the handgrip.
2. The lever will lock into a downward position when properly engaged.
3. Test to be sure walker will not roll before attempting to sit.
4. Touch the back of your legs to the edge of the seat to ensure position of walker before sitting down.



**Caution** – Do not support your weight on the brake levers when attempting to sit. Use the handgrips to stabilise your body as you carefully turn around. Keep your hands on the handgrips and slowly lower your weight onto the seat.

### To release brake from parked position

1. If sitting on the walker, stand up first.
2. Pull up on the brake lever to release.



**Caution** – When releasing the brake ensure your hand is not between the hand grip and brake handle

3. Lift weight from seat when sitting or lift weight from handles when walking.

### To brake for walker speed control

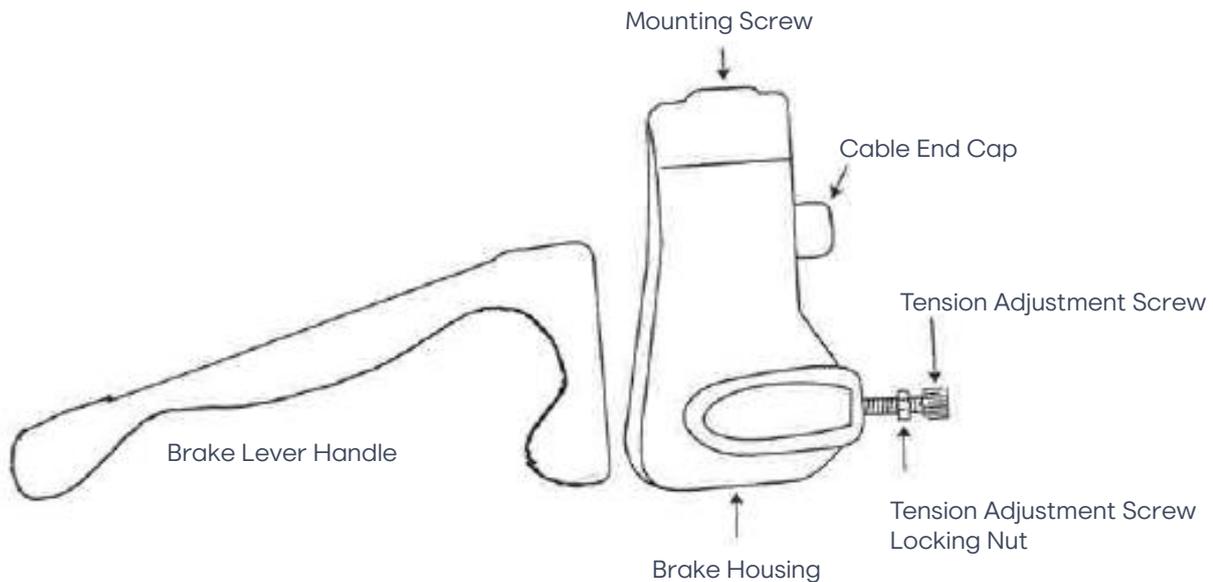
1. Squeeze the brake lever upward toward the handle.

### Brake Adjustment

The following information is designed to assist you with the adjustment of feather touch hand brake system. When receiving a new walker, the brake system will be preset from the factory. To maintain this preset position, be sure that the TENSION ADJUSTMENT SCREW LOCKING NUT is tight against the HOUSING. This is the same for the TENSION ADJUSTMENT SCREW LOCKING NUT located at the rear wheel. After you have verified or adjusted this, and are still having difficulty, you can adjust by the following.

Note: Clockwise and Counterclockwise rotations are noted by standing at the back of the walker.

1. If your hand brake is too loose, loosen the TENSION ADJUSTMENT SCREW LOCKING NUT and turn the TENSION ADJUSTMENT SCREW “clockwise” one full turn, check brake, if this does not correct the adjustment, repeat one full turn at a time.
2. If your hand brake is too tight, loosen the TENSION ADJUSTMENT SCREW LOCKING NUT away from the HOUSING and turn the TENSION ADJUSTMENT SCREW “counterclockwise” one full turn, check brake. If this does not correct the adjustment, repeat one full turn at the time. When you have correctly adjusted your brakes, then make sure the locking nut is spun to be against the HOUSING. This will prevent the TENSION ADJUSTMENT SCREW from loosening.



## GENERAL SAFETY

- Use a chair with high seat and arms to help you sit and stand up with ease
- Remove any obstacles such as loose rugs and worn floor coverings
- Ensure lighting in hallways and stairways is adequate
- Wear flat supportive shoes
- Avoid wet floors
- Beware of outdoor hazards including uneven surfaces, wet leaves and ice.
- Do not store this product in temperatures below freezing
- Take special care if carrying a bag or similar package.
- All equipment should be regularly inspected for any damage or significant signs of wear.
- Regular cleaning is recommended, DO NOT use bleach or solvents.

## CLEANING & MAINTENANCE

### Cleaning

#### General:

- Clean the device regularly and keep it clean.
- Lighter dirt and dust can be removed with a wet cloth.
- Larger parts of dirt can be removed with a non-corroding, mild washing agent and warm water.
- Do not use harsh abrasives, bleach based cleaners or solvents, as this may cause damage or discolouration.
- Dry parts with a soft cloth.

#### Wheels:

- Remove any hair or lint from around the wheel axles and bearings.
- Clean wheels with warm water and a mild cleanser. Dry with a clean rag.
- Lubricate with multi-purpose oil periodically or if wheels begin to squeak.

## Maintenance

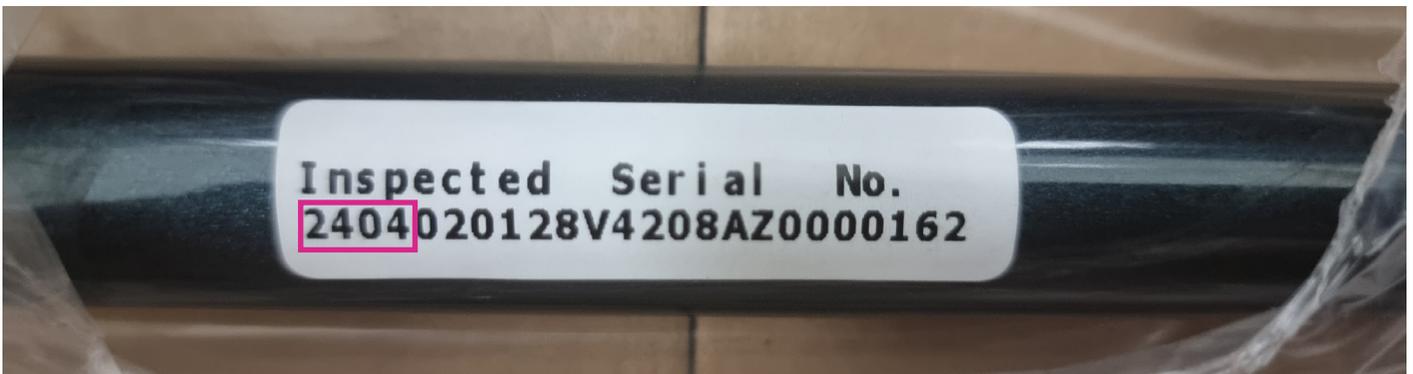
All equipment should be regularly inspected for any damage or significant signs of wear.

1. Ensure that every part of the rollator is secure at ALL times.
2. Check all screws for tightness. If not, tighten if necessary.
3. Check brakes function and adjust if necessary (see instructions above)
4. Check for bent or damaged tubes, cracks at the tube joints, adjustment holes that have enlarged, loose handles, loose or worn wheels and fasteners.
5. Replace any broken, damaged or worn items immediately.
6. Remove any hair or lint from around the wheel axles and bearings.
7. Periodical lubrication of wheels ball bearings is needed (approximately once a year) or if they begin to squeak. This task should be only performed by a qualified service staff.
8. If walker frame is bent or shows signs of fatigue, DO NOT USE THE WALKER

## Year of Manufacturing

To locate the year of manufacture, please locate the serial number label on the rear of the front bar and the first 4 numbers of the serial number is the year and month of manufacturing.

*For example,* serial number 2404020128V4208AZ0000162, the year of manufacturing is 2024 and month is 04 April.



## WARRANTY

A general **one year warranty** covering faulty workmanship or defective materials is provided. This warranty is valid for twelve months from the original purchase date, and to the original client.

This warranty does not apply to wear and tear, inappropriate or incorrect use, nonobservance of User Instructions, defective set up by the user or third party, negligent or careless treatment, use of unsuitable or unapproved spares or unauthorised alteration. This warranty does not extend to consequential costs resulting from fault clearance, loss of earning or expenses.

Should the product prove to be defective, the seller's and manufacturer's only obligation shall be at their election to repair or replace the product provided to be defective. Neither seller nor manufacturer shall be liable for any injury, or loss or damage, direct, indirect or consequential, arising out of the use of or inability to use the product.

The warranty referred to above is subject to the following:

1. The product must be returned at the client's expense to the dealer with proof of purchase.

2. Use and care instructions for the product must have been complied with.
3. No unauthorised repairs or alterations have been made to the product.
4. The warranty does not extend to any costs associated with delivery, handling, freight or transport of the product or any parts of it requiring replacement. All freight charges to and from the manufacturer and/or seller will be the responsibility of the client.

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

Before using the product, the client will determine the suitability of the product for the intended use. The client will assume all risk and liability whatsoever in connection with the suitability for use of the product. No statement or recommendation relating to the product, its suitability for the client or its use will have any force or effect unless set out in writing signed by the representatives of the seller and/or manufacturer. The clients nursing care should never be neglected. When Staebel products are in use, continual assessment should be carried out to ensure the products are appropriate for the clients condition. Regular care, maintenance and inspections of the products are necessary. Damaged products should be withdrawn from use until rectified.

### **Repair, servicing and spare parts:**

In case of any technical problems, please contact:

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