Before Installation
Remove the commode from package, making sure that it has not been damaged during handling and shipping. Contact Patterson Medical if you find damage.

Read the following instructions and make sure you understand them. For clarification of any step, consult a healthcare professional.

Installation
Attach the back and arms onto the frame. Place the Commode on a level floor. Determine the leg height that will ensure the safety and comfort of the user. To adjust: depress the spring button on the leg, slide it to the proper hole and release the button. While adjusting the other three legs, make sure the buttons are set at the same height as the first.
At this point and before each use, make sure that buttons protrude all the way through the holes so the height is locked. To double check the security, try to move the legs up and down; if the legs move, the buttons are not locked.
Set the commode on a level floor, where it will be stable and thus safe for the user. Any instability puts the user at risk of sliding off the commode and falling.

Application
Check the stability of the commode again. To maintain balance when sitting down or getting up, position both hands on the armrests. After being seated, push back on the seat until knees are against the frame.
The Commode may be used over a standard toilet for support and as a toilet riser. Remove the bucket and insert the splash guard. With the toilet lid up, place the Commode over the toilet. When correctly positioned, the splash guard should be in the toilet bowl.

Precautions
Supervision or assistance should be provided for users who are weak or tend to be unbalanced.
Before each use, ensure that spring buttons protrude all the way through the appropriate holes so they are locked in place.
Also confirm that legs are set securely on the floor and that they are set at the same height.
Test for stability before each use. Do not exceed the user weight capacity of 352 lbs.

Care
Clean the commode using basic cleaning/disinfecting products. Do not use abrasive, scouring pads or solvents including lacquer thinner, turpentine or acetone.
Periodically inspect the rubber tips on the legs. If tips are torn or missing, replace them immediately.

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