## **WARNING**

- Do not use sling if a patient suffers from back injury.
- Please understand hoist operating instructions before using.
- Check sling before use for signs of wear.

# **Pivot Sling Lifting Procedures**

KH405N1—20-40kg KH405N2—40-150kg KH405N3—150-250kg

The pivot sling can be used 2 ways, with the pivot frame or without looping the straps over the voke hooks.

STEP A1: Pivot Frame and pivot sling can only be used if the patient is sitting up in bed or in a chair, lean the patient forward and slide the sling down the back of the bed/chair. Try to tuck (A) as low as possible under the patient bottom. STEP A2: Bring the lifter into position, ensure hoist legs are gatted and the pivot frame is approximately over the centre of the patient.

DO NOT engage the brakes on the castors



STEP A3: Attach the sling to pivot frame by fixing keyholes

onto the lugs (Fig 2)



Note: 1.The operator/carer must hold the pivot handle to steady the patient.

Note: 2. To prevent patient discomfort ensure leg/thigh sections are not creased/folded under the patients thighs prior to lifting

STEP A4: Start the lifting process using the slow speed. When lowering a patient into a chair use the pivot frame handle to assist positioning. See below figures

CAUTION: Hoist may move towards the patient when boom is raised.

Position the patient over chair, bed or toilet and begin lower-





STEP B1: Yoke and pivot sling - When a patient is lying on bed roll them onto their side and place the sling under them similar to fitting a draw sheet, ie: roll the patient on there side concerting the sling under the patients back.

Align (A) with the base of the patients spine, then roll the patient onto the sling and centralize. Attach straps (B) & (C) to yoke hooks. Pass (D) & (E) under the thighs and cross over straps and attach to the opposite side hook. See Fig 6. Then continue as STEP 4A.



Fig 6

#### CARE INSTRUCTIONS

#### 1. Sling Care

Protect from direct sunlight.

Do not puncture with any sharp objects.

Repair any tear immediately.

Do not lift a patient if there are any sling defects.

Washing and drying temperature must not exceed 60 degrees.

### 2. Spot Cleaning

The sling is machine washable.

Treat spills and stains as soon as possible.

Gently scrape away any soils or mop away liquid from surface of fabric with damp cloth.

Do not scrub with stiff brush.

Dry in shade, away from direct heat.

Dry thoroughly before use.

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# USERS GUIDE KH405N PIVOT SLING



#### **FEATURES**

Easy to fit.

Excellent back and head support.

Padding fitted to leg area.

Commode aperture.

Positioning straps.

Machine washable.

