TELESCOPING I.V. ROD KIT

Assembly, Installation and Operating Instructions



Kit No. 1110154 Yes, you can:

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

NOTE: Check ALL parts for shipping damage. In case of shipping damage, DO NOT use. Contact Carrier/ Dealer for further instruction.

SAFETY SUMMARY

To ensure the safe installation and adjustment of the Telescoping I.V. Rod Kit, these instructions MUST be followed:

GENERAL WARNINGS

DO NOT install or use this equipment without first reading and understanding this instruction sheet. If you are unable to understand the Warnings, Cautions or Instructions, contact a healthcare professional, dealer or technical personnel before attempting to install this equipment - otherwise, injury or damage may occur.

DO NOT pull/push the wheelchair by the I.V. rod assembly. Injury to the assistant/occupant and/or damage to the I.V. rod assembly may occur.

DO NOT place any objects on the I.V. rod assembly other than those determined by a healthcare professional.

INSTALLATION WARNING

After any adjustments, repair or service and BEFORE use, make sure all attaching hardware is securely tightened - otherwise injury or damage may result.

This kit contains the following items:

DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY
Telescoping Tube	I
Short Hex Screw	I
Small Locknut	1
Long Hex Screw	I I
Large Locknut	1
Adjustment Knob	1
Support Bracket	I
Washer	I

NOTE: The I.V. Rod can be installed to either the right or left side of the wheelchair. The right side installation is shown in all figures. The left side installs in a similar manner.

INSTALLING THE SUPPORT BRACKET (FIGURE 1)

- 1. Determine the side of the wheelchair to which the I.V. Rod is to be mounted.
- 2. On the side determined in STEP I, remove the rear wheel (DETAIL "A" of FIGURE I) by performing the following steps:
 - A. Remove the dust cover.
 - B. Remove the locknut.
 - C. Remove the axle screw, washer, spacer and rear wheel from the offset bracket.
 - NOTE: Retain all hardware for future use.
- 3. Remove the EXISTING locknut from the EXISTING hex screw securing the reclining back tube to the clevis.
- 4. Support the reclining back tube with one hand.
- 5. With the remaining hand, remove the EXISTING hex screw from the reclining back tube and clevis.

NOTE: The EXISTING hex screw is replaced by the long hex screw contained in this kit.

- 6. Install the NEW long hex screw through the clevis and reclining back tube.
- 7. Install the washer, EXISTING spacer (removed in STEP 2C) and support bracket onto the NEW long hex screw.
- 8. Install the NEW large locknut onto the NEW long hex screw. Finger tighten.
- 9. Install the EXISTING axle screw through the EXISTING washer, rear wheel, support bracket, and axle lug.
- 10. Install the EXISTING locknut onto the axle screw. Finger tighten.
- 11. Torque the NEW large locknut securing the support bracket to the clevis to 120 in./lbs.
- 12. Torque the EXISTING locknut securing the rear wheel to 40 ft./lbs.

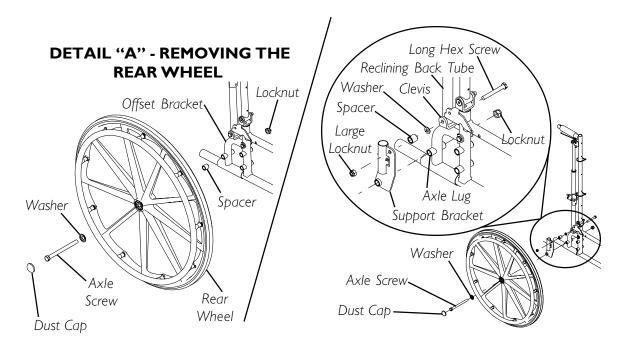


FIGURE I - INSTALLING THE SUPPORT BRACKET

INSTALLING THE TELESCOPING TUBE (FIGURE 2)

NOTE: The support bracket must be mounted to the wheelchair BEFORE installing the telescoping tube.

- 1. Insert the telescoping tube into the support bracket.
- 2. Rotate the telescoping tube until the mounting holes at the bottom align with the mounting holes in the support bracket.

NOTE: The adjustment knob should point towards the outside of the wheelchair.

- 3. Install the short hex screw and small locknut to secure the telescoping tube to the support bracket. Torque to 120 in/lbs.
- 4. Adjust I.V. rod to desired height. Refer to <u>ADJUSTING THE I.V. ROD HEIGHT</u> in this instruction sheet.

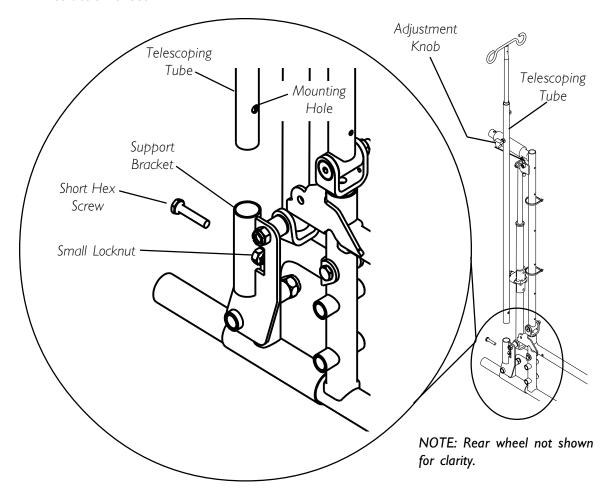


FIGURE 2 – INSTALLING THE TELESCOPING TUBE/ADJUSTING THE I.V. ROD HEIGHT

ADJUSTING THE I.V. ROD HEIGHT (FIGURE 2)

- 1. Loosen the adjustment knob.
- 2. Adjust I.V. rod to desired height.
- 3. Securely tighten adjustment knob.



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