

Wheelchair and Seating Service

Preferred Models of Wheelchairs and Seating

This lists the currently preferred models in each category. It does not guarantee supply. The wheelchair service uses these models first where they meet the clinical need. It may select alternatives if clinical reasoning is presented, specifying why the preferred model will not reasonably meet the person's needs. This may involve anticipation of the probable progression of a condition.

Buggies		
Type	Model	Weight limit
Basic folding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maclaren Major Elite 	<50kg
Reclining folding buggy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tendercare Swifty 	<35kg
Tilting buggy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tendercare Snappi (Size 1 and 2) 	<40kg

Seating for children		
Type	Model	Weight limit
Indoor/outdoor use up to age 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tendercare Snappi (Size 1) 	<40kg
Indoor/outdoor use over age 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Invacare Rea Azalea Minor 	<75kg
Seating system	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> R82 x:panda (with R82 chassis) or Active Design CAPS II 	<80kg

Wheelchairs – Manual for children		
Type	Model	Weight limit
Folding transit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Invacare Action 3 Junior (hip width <= 14"/36cm) 	<80kg
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Invacare Ben 9NG (hip width > 14"/36cm) 	<127kg
Folding self-propelled	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Invacare Action 3 Junior (hip width <= 14"/36cm) 	<80kg
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Invacare Action 2/3NG (hip width > 14"/36cm) 	<125kg
High performance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sunrise Medical QUICKIE Argon² 	<125kg/140kg
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sunrise Medical ZIPPIE Simba 	<65kg

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Wheelchairs – Powered for children		
Type	Model	Weight limit
Electrically Powered Indoor/Outdoor Chair	• Invacare Spectra Blitz	<75kg
	• Invacare Spectra XTR2 Modulite	<130kg
	• Sunrise ZIPPIE Salsa M ² Mini	<75kg

Wheelbase to support seating system or special seating		
Type	Model	Weight limit
Tilting seating – Small chassis	• Tendercare Snappi (Size 1)	<40kg
Tilting seating – Large chassis	• Southwest Seating NEO Wheelbase	<120kg
	• Ottobock Discovery Wheelbase	<110kg
For use with the R82 x:panda	• R82 Multi Frame	<100kg

Wheelchairs – Manual for adults		
Type	Model	Weight limit
Folding transit	• Invacare Ben 9NG	<127kg
	• Invacare Action 2NG (where there are issues with pushing or handling)	<125kg
Adjustable	• Invacare Ben 9NG	<127kg
Heavy duty	• Invacare Ben 9NG HD	<160kg
	• Invacare Action 4NG	<160kg
	• Drive Medical Sentra EC Heavy Duty	<204kg
Folding self-propelled	• Invacare Action 2NG	<125kg
	• Invacare Action 3NG	<125kg
Fixed frame self-propelled	• Sunrise Medical QUICKIE Argon ²	<125kg/140kg
Tilting supportive	• Invacare Rea Azalea	<135kg
	• Invacare Rea Azalea Max	<180kg

Wheelchairs – Powered for adults		
Type	Model	Weight limit
Standard	• Invacare Fox	<127kg
	• Invacare Mirage	<120kg
Standard tilting	• Invacare Spectra XTR2 Modulite	<130kg
	• Invacare TDX SP2 Narrow Base Modulite	<150kg
Bariatric tilting	• Invacare Spectra XTR2 HD Modulite	<160kg
<i>The following are considered for small home environments:</i>		
Mid wheel drive	• Invacare Pronto M41 Modulite (indoors only)	<136kg
Mid wheel drive – Tilting	• Invacare TDX SP2 Narrow Base Modulite	<150kg

Posture backs	
Ranges	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Actaback • Jay • Matrx • V-Trak 	