

Important Note: These instructions are general information only and do not take into account your specific circumstance. These instructions are to be used in conjunction with the information provided by your health professional. Do not exceed the Maximum User Weight specified by the manufacturer. If you are unsure on how to use or fit a piece of equipment, please contact your Health Professional.

Safety Information and Precautions

- The ShowerBuddy SB2 is designed to assist with safe and comfortable showering where there is a shower over bath. The ShowerBuddy SB2t consists of three components, the **wheeled base, the bridge, and the bath base.**

How to use the ShowerBuddy SB2t

1. Before using the SB2t ensure it is placed on a flat level surface. Position the SB2t wheeled base as close as possible to where the user is transferring from (i.e. their bed or their wheelchair.) Ensure there is enough space to transfer safely.
2. Apply the castor wheel brakes when transferring the user into the wheeled base.
3. Ideally the user's knees should be level with the hips (approximately 90 angle) and feet should make full contact with the footrest.
4. Once the user is comfortably positioned in the wheeled base, roll them towards the bridge.
5. When connecting the wheeled base to the bridge, ensure the SB2t rear wheels face the same direction as the extended leg on the bath base.
6. Connect the bridge to the bath base and fasten the two latches.
7. Insert the bridge tongues into the wheeled base and fasten the two latches into place.
8. To ensure the users feet do not contact the side of the bath, squeeze the tilt handle located on the backrest handle. Gently pull down on the backrest handle until the user is at the appropriate position.
9. Release the chair section of the SB2t by lifting the primary brake lever closest to the bath (located on either side at the front of the SB2t) Slowly slide the chair section of the SB2t across the bridge and onto the bath base.
10. Once locked into position, unlatch the bridge from the shower base to allow unrestricted access.
11. To return to the wheeled base, reinsert the bridge back into the bath base and fasten all four latches. Apply the castor wheel brakes on the wheeled



base, lift the primary brake lever and slowly slide the chair section of the SB2t across the bridge onto the wheeled base. Ensure the chair section is secured to the wheeled base, unlatch the bridge and release the castor wheel brakes.

Precautions and Safety

- Ensure the wheeled base, the bridge, and the bath base tracks are all horizontally level and securely connected before you use the ShowerBuddy SB2t.
- Ensure SB2t and bath are kept clean, as build up may cause the bath base to become slippery and unsecure.
- Do not exceed the Safe Working Limit prescribed by the manufacturer.
- Ensure all body parts are clear of the bridge, track, bath base and wheeled base before moving.

Maintenance and Cleaning

- Please check the product label/user manual for specific cleaning instructions.
- Follow instructions on labels were present.
- Should equipment appear damaged, DO NOT USE. It may require replacing.

Disclaimer: This product safety information sheet is provided for general guidance only and does not replace the manufacturer's user manual or specific safety protocols recommended by the manufacturer. Always adhere to local safety regulations and the manufacturer's recommendations for maintenance, inspection, and operation. Failure to follow proper procedures and obtain appropriate training may result in injury or damage to the equipment.