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## Aidapt VB535

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Brand: Aidapt | Model: VB535

## INTRODUCTION

The Aidapt Solo Deluxe Shower Seat is designed to provide enhanced safety and comfort in the shower for individuals requiring assistance, such as seniors, pregnant women, and those with mobility challenges. This wall-mounted, foldable seat features independently folding padded arms, a padded back, and a padded seat for optimal support. Its height is adjustable to suit individual user needs, and the construction uses rust-free aluminum and injection-moulded components for durability and ease of maintenance.

## SAFETY INFORMATION

- **Maximum Weight Capacity:** This shower seat is designed to support a maximum user weight of 190 kg (30 stone). Do not exceed this limit.
- **Professional Installation Recommended:** For optimal safety and stability, professional installation by a qualified individual is strongly recommended. Ensure the mounting surface is structurally sound and capable of supporting the seat and user weight.
- **Regular Inspection:** Periodically inspect all fasteners, joints, and moving parts for tightness, wear, or damage. Discontinue use immediately if any damage or instability is detected and contact Aidapt for assistance.
- **Secure Folding Mechanism:** Always ensure the seat and arms are fully locked in their open or folded positions before use or storage.
- **Avoid Standing:** This product is designed for sitting only. Do not stand on the shower seat.

## PACKAGE CONTENTS

The package should contain the following items:

- 1x Aidapt Solo Deluxe Shower Seat with Padded Seat & Back
- Mounting hardware (screws, wall anchors) - *Please verify all components are present before installation.*

## SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Proper installation is critical for the safety and stability of the shower seat. It must be securely mounted to a structurally sound wall capable of supporting the seat and the user's weight. Consult a professional for installation if you are unsure.

1. **Choose Location:** Select a suitable location within the shower area, ensuring adequate space for the seat to fold and unfold, and for the user to access it safely.
2. **Determine Height:** The seat's height is adjustable before installation. Determine the optimal seat height (between 465 mm and 615 mm from the floor) for the intended user. Mark the desired mounting points on the wall.
3. **Prepare Wall:** Drill pilot holes at the marked locations, ensuring they are appropriate for the provided mounting hardware and the wall material. Use suitable wall anchors if necessary.
4. **Mount Seat Frame:** Securely attach the shower seat frame to the wall using the provided screws and anchors. Ensure all fasteners are tightened firmly.
5. **Attach Padded Components:** Clip on the padded seat and backrest. These are designed for easy attachment and removal for cleaning.
6. **Test Stability:** Before initial use, gently apply weight to the installed seat to confirm its stability and secure attachment to the wall.



*Image: The Aidapt Solo Deluxe Shower Seat shown in its open, ready-to-use position within a tiled shower enclosure.*



*Image: The Aidapt Solo Deluxe Shower Seat folded upwards against the wall, demonstrating its compact storage when not in use.*

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

- **Unfolding the Seat:** Gently pull the seat downwards until it locks into the horizontal position.
- **Unfolding the Arms:** The padded arms can be folded down independently. Pull each arm downwards until it locks into place, providing support.
- **Using the Seat:** Carefully sit on the seat, ensuring your weight is centered. Use the arms for support when transferring on and off the seat.

- **Folding the Arms:** To fold the arms up, lift each arm independently until it clicks into its vertical, folded position. This allows for easier transfers or more space.
- **Folding the Seat:** To fold the seat up, lift the front edge of the seat upwards until it locks securely against the wall. This saves space when the seat is not in use.



*Image: A side view of the shower seat, illustrating how the seat and arms can be independently folded, providing flexibility for user transfers and space-saving.*

## **MAINTENANCE**

- **Cleaning:** Clean the seat regularly with a mild soap and water solution. Avoid abrasive cleaners or harsh

chemicals, as these can damage the materials. The clip-on seat and back are detachable for thorough cleaning.

- **Drying:** After cleaning, ensure all parts are thoroughly dried to prevent water spots and maintain hygiene.
- **Inspection:** Routinely check all screws, bolts, and moving parts for tightness. Ensure the folding mechanisms operate smoothly and lock securely. Inspect the padding for any signs of wear, tears, or damage.
- **Rust Prevention:** The frame is manufactured from rust-free aluminum. However, regular cleaning and drying will help maintain its condition and longevity.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Seat feels unstable after installation:**
  - Ensure all mounting screws are fully tightened.
  - Verify that the wall structure is sound and appropriate for mounting. Re-installation by a professional may be required.
  - Check that the seat is fully locked into its open position.
- **Arms do not fold smoothly or lock:**
  - Inspect for any obstructions or debris in the folding mechanism.
  - Apply a small amount of silicone-based lubricant to the pivot points if movement is stiff.
  - If the mechanism is damaged, discontinue use and contact Aidapt support.
- **Padded components are loose or damaged:**
  - Ensure the clip-on components are correctly attached.
  - If padding is torn or significantly worn, contact Aidapt for replacement parts.

## SPECIFICATIONS

<b>Model Number</b>	VB535
<b>Brand</b>	Aidapt
<b>Material Type</b>	Metal coated with Epoxy
<b>Color</b>	White
<b>Maximum Weight Recommendation</b>	190 Kilograms (30 stone)
<b>Product Dimensions (D x W x H)</b>	15"D x 19.3"W x 34"H (overall)
<b>Seat Depth</b>	380 mm (15 inches)
<b>Seat Width</b>	490 mm (19 inches)
<b>Height of Seat from Floor (Adjustable)</b>	465 to 615 mm (18 to 24 inches)
<b>Height to Top of Back from Seat</b>	420 mm (16.5 inches)
<b>Item Weight</b>	10 Pounds
<b>UPC</b>	754465889037

## **WARRANTY AND SUPPORT**

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For information regarding warranty coverage, replacement parts, or technical support, please contact Aidapt directly through their official website or customer service channels. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase.