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Model: PA-550XL (8541791597)

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Patient Aid PA-550XL Medical Grade Digital Floor Scale. This manual provides essential information for the proper setup, operation, and maintenance of your new scale. Designed for accuracy and ease of use, this scale is suitable for home, hospital, and physician use, offering reliable weight measurements up to 550 lbs (250 kg).

PATIENTAID PA-550XL Scale



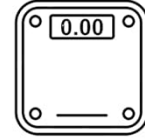
Digital accuracy



Remote display convenience



1-button calibration



High weight capacity



Image: The Patient Aid PA-550XL Digital Floor Scale, showing the main platform and the remote digital display unit held in hand, with feet positioned on the scale platform.

2. SETUP

2.1 Unpacking and Placement

Carefully remove all components from the packaging. Ensure the scale platform is placed on a hard, flat, and stable surface for accurate readings. Avoid soft surfaces like carpets, which can affect measurement precision.



Image: The Patient Aid PA-550XL scale platform, highlighting its 12.5 x 12 inch ample, anti-slip footprint and 550 lb weight capacity.

2.2 Power Options

The PA-550XL scale offers dual power options:

- **9V Battery:** Insert one 9V battery (included) into the battery compartment of the display unit. A low-battery indicator will alert you when replacement is needed.
- **Power Adapter:** Connect the provided power adapter to the display unit and a standard electrical outlet.

2.3 Display Unit Placement

The remote display unit can be positioned for optimal viewing:

- **Wall-Mounted:** Use the included accessories to mount the display unit on a wall at eye level.
- **Tabletop:** Place the display unit on a table or counter using the integrated stand.
- **Handheld:** The display unit can also be held in hand for immediate viewing.



Image: The Patient Aid PA-550XL Digital Floor Scale with its display unit mounted on a wall, connected by a coiled cable to the floor platform.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Taking a Measurement

1. Press the **ON** button on the display unit to power on the scale.
2. Wait for the display to show "0.0" before stepping onto the platform.
3. Step onto the center of the scale platform. Maintain a stable position.
4. Your weight will be displayed on the screen.
5. To turn off the scale, press the **OFF** button. The scale also features an auto-off function to conserve power.



Image: A person's foot stepping onto the textured, anti-slip surface of the Patient Aid PA-550XL Digital Floor Scale platform.

3.2 Unit Conversion (lb/kg)

To switch between pounds (lb) and kilograms (kg), press the **lb/kg** button on the display unit.

3.3 Zero / Hold Function

- **Zero:** Press the **ZERO/HOLD** button to reset the scale to zero. This is useful for taring, allowing you to weigh an item while accounting for the weight of a container.
- **Hold:** After a stable weight is displayed, press the **ZERO/HOLD** button to hold the reading on the screen. This allows you to step off the scale and still view the measurement.



Image: A close-up of the Patient Aid PA-550XL Digital Floor Scale display unit, showing a finger pressing the 'ZERO/HOLD' button.

3.4 Auto-Off Feature

The scale is designed to automatically power off after a period of inactivity to conserve battery life. To override this setting, you may need to press the pound and on button simultaneously when turning on the scale, as indicated by some user experiences.

4. MAINTENANCE

4.1 Cleaning

Wipe the scale platform and display unit with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or immerse the unit in water. Ensure the scale is dry before storage or next use.

4.2 Storage

Store the scale in a dry, cool place. Its slim design and lightweight nature (approximately 10.52 lbs) make it easy to pack and carry if needed for portability.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **No Display/Power:** Check the 9V battery and replace if necessary. If using the power adapter, ensure it is securely connected to both the display unit and a working electrical outlet.
- **Inaccurate Readings:** Ensure the scale is placed on a firm, level surface. Avoid placing it on uneven tiles or carpet. Recalibrate by pressing the ZERO button before weighing.
- **Missing Components:** If any mounting hardware or accessories are missing upon unboxing, contact Patient Aid customer support.

6. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Patient Aid
Model Number	8541791597 (PA-550XL)
Weight Limit	550 Pounds (250 kg)
Readout Accuracy	0.2 Pounds (0.1 kg)
Product Dimensions	12.5 x 12 x 1.8 inches
Item Weight	10.52 pounds
Display Type	LCD
Special Feature	Anti-slip rubber mat
Power Source	1 x 9V battery (included) or Power Adapter
Material	Rubber (mat)

7. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

7.1 Return Policy

This product typically includes a 30-day return policy for refund or replacement. Please refer to your purchase documentation or retailer's policy for specific details.

7.2 Manufacturer Support

For further assistance, technical support, or inquiries regarding your Patient Aid PA-550XL scale, please contact Patient Aid directly. Contact information can usually be found on the product packaging or the official Patient Aid website.