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Model: E1D407G

1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Britax One4Life Slim All-in-One Car Seat is designed to accommodate your child from infancy through booster seat age, offering 10 years of use. This versatile car seat features a slim 17.5-inch design, allowing for potential three-across seating in many vehicles, and incorporates the ClickTight installation system for secure setup. It transitions from rear-facing (5-50 lbs) to forward-facing (30-65 lbs) and then to a high-back booster (40-120 lbs).



Figure 1: The Britax One4Life Slim All-in-One Car Seat in Parchment, showcasing its design and integrated cup holders.

Key Features:

- **All-in-One Design:** Converts from rear-facing infant/toddler seat (5-50 lbs) to forward-facing seat (30-65 lbs) to high-back booster seat (40-120 lbs).
- **ClickTight Installation:** Simplifies secure installation with three easy steps: pinch to open, thread and buckle, then click it closed.
- **SpaceSaver Design:** A 17.5-inch width designed to fit three across in many vehicles without compromising safety or comfort.
- **Premium Car Seat Cover:** Made from recycled polyester, machine-washable and dryable, and naturally flame-retardant without added chemicals.
- **Trusted Britax Safety:** Incorporates a patented V-shaped tether, SafeCell technology, a high-strength steel frame, and two layers of energy management.
- **Comfort Features:** Includes soft comfort pads, built-in mesh cooling channels, three infant inserts, plush padding, and a tag-free headrest.

- **Easy Adjustments:** 15-position no-rethread harness and headrest adjust simultaneously with one hand. Features a 9-position recline with an easy-read indicator.
- **Convenient Cup Holders:** Dishwasher-safe, slide-out cup holders for easy cleaning and secure attachment.
- **Accessible Belt Paths:** Color-coded belt paths simplify correct seat belt routing for each car seat mode.
- **Hassle-Free Cleanup:** Designed with extra space between the shell and base and minimal grooves for easy cleaning.



SLIM 17.5" SEAT DESIGN

Designed to fit 3 across without compromising safety & comfort

*Britax cannot guarantee 3-across installation fitment in all vehicles

Figure 2: The 17.5-inch slim design of the car seat, illustrating its capability to fit three across in certain vehicles.

STEEL FRAME

Reinforces the seat structure to help keep it sturdy and stabilized



Figure 3: The high-strength steel frame, an integral component reinforcing the car seat's structure for enhanced stability and safety.

2. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Proper installation is crucial for child safety. The Britax One4Life Slim features the ClickTight installation system for a secure fit using your vehicle's seat belt.

2.1 ClickTight Installation Steps

- 1. Pinch to Open:** Locate the ClickTight release button (often red or clearly marked) and pinch it to open the car seat's base. This will expose the belt path.
- 2. Thread and Buckle:** Route your vehicle's seat belt through the designated color-coded belt path for the chosen mode (rear-facing or forward-facing). Buckle the seat belt. Ensure there is no slack in the lap portion of the belt.
- 3. Click it Closed:** Press the car seat's base firmly down until you hear and feel the ClickTight panel click securely into place. This action automatically tightens the seat belt.

After installation, always check for a secure fit by pulling on the car seat at the belt path. It should not move more than one inch side-to-side or front-to-back.



INSTALL WITH CONFIDENCE

Secure installation
without the struggle

CLICKTIGHT


Figure 4: Demonstrating the ClickTight installation process, where the vehicle's seat belt is routed and secured within the car seat base.

2.2 Recline Adjustment

The car seat features a 9-position recline. Use the recline handle (typically located at the front or side of the base) to adjust the angle. An easy-read indicator helps ensure the correct recline position for your child's age and the car seat mode (rear-facing or forward-facing).

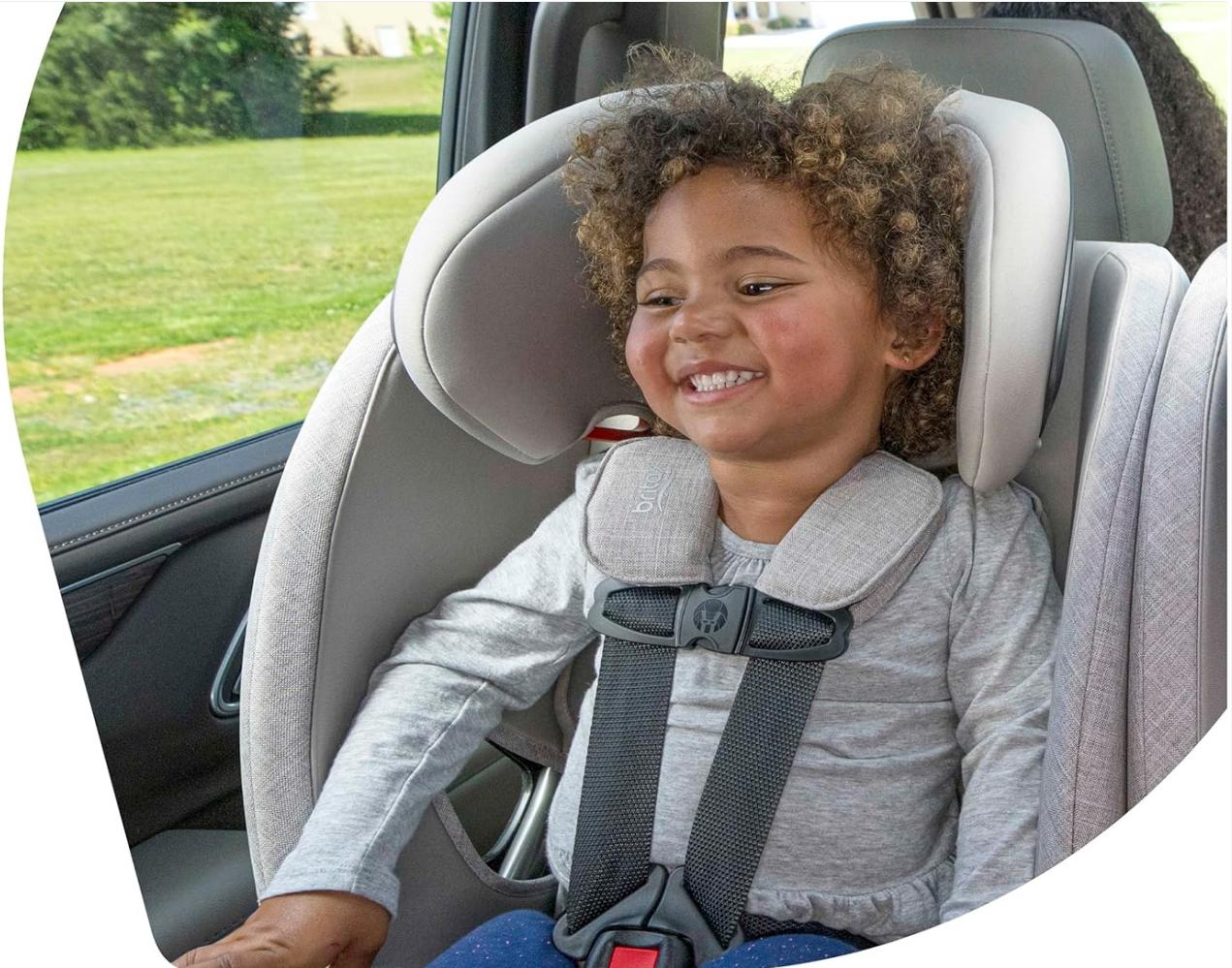
3. OPERATING MODES AND ADJUSTMENTS

The One4Life Slim car seat adapts to your child's growth through three distinct modes:

3.1 Rear-Facing Mode

- **Weight Range:** 5 to 50 lbs

- **Height Range:** Up to 49 inches
- **Harness:** Use the 5-point harness system.
- **Positioning:** Ensure the child's head is at least 1 inch below the top of the headrest. The harness straps should be at or below the child's shoulders.



RIDE REAR-FACING LONGER

Fits children 5-50 lbs
and up to 49" rear-facing

Figure 5: A child seated in the rear-facing configuration of the Britax One4Life Slim car seat, demonstrating proper harness and headrest positioning.

3.2 Forward-Facing Mode

- **Weight Range:** 30 to 65 lbs
- **Harness:** Continue to use the 5-point harness system.
- **Positioning:** The harness straps should be at or above the child's shoulders.

3.3 High-Back Booster Mode

- **Weight Range:** 40 to 120 lbs

- **Height Range:** Up to 63 inches
- **Harness:** The 5-point harness is removed, and the vehicle's seat belt is used to secure the child.
- **Positioning:** Ensure the vehicle's lap belt is low on the child's hips, touching the thighs, and the shoulder belt rests across the middle of the child's shoulder and chest.



GROWS WITH YOUR CHILD

Designed for 10 years of use



Figure 6: Visual representation of the car seat adapting to a child's growth, from rear-facing infant to forward-facing toddler and high-back booster.

3.4 Harness and Headrest Adjustment

The 15-position no-rethread harness and headrest can be adjusted simultaneously with one hand. Locate the adjustment lever (typically at the top of the headrest or behind it) and squeeze to raise or lower the headrest and harness to the appropriate height for your child.

15-POSITION, QUICK-ADJUST HEADREST & HARNESS

Help create a comfortable & secure fit as your child grows



Figure 7: A user demonstrating the one-hand adjustment of the headrest and harness system to ensure a proper fit for a growing child.

4. CARE AND MAINTENANCE

Regular cleaning and maintenance ensure the longevity and hygiene of your car seat.

4.1 Cleaning the Car Seat Cover

- The car seat cover is designed for easy removal.
- It is safe to machine wash and dry. Refer to the care tag on the cover for specific temperature and cycle recommendations.
- The fabric is naturally flame-retardant and does not contain added FR chemicals.

SAFE TO MACHINE WASH & DRY

Naturally flame-retardant fabrics



Figure 8: The removable car seat cover and padding, ready for machine washing and drying, highlighting the ease of maintenance.

4.2 Cleaning the Frame and Base

- The base and shell can be easily wiped down with a damp cloth and mild soap.
- The design includes extra space between the shell and base, and minimal grooves in the seating area, facilitating hassle-free cleanup of crumbs and spills.

HASSLE-FREE CLEANUP

Manage everyday messes with ease



Figure 9: A hand cleaning crumbs from beneath the car seat, illustrating the "hassle-free cleanup" design feature.

4.3 Cup Holders

- The integrated cup holders slide out for convenient cleaning.
- They are dishwasher-safe. Ensure they click back into place securely after cleaning.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your Britax One4Life Slim car seat, please refer to the following common concerns or contact customer support.

- **Difficulty with ClickTight Installation:** Ensure the vehicle seat belt is fully extended and routed correctly through the color-coded path. Apply firm pressure when closing the ClickTight panel. If the seat still moves more than 1 inch, re-read the installation steps and consult the full product manual.
- **Harness Adjustment Issues:** Check for any obstructions in the harness adjustment mechanism. Ensure the harness is not twisted.

- **Car Seat Movement:** A properly installed car seat should not move more than 1 inch at the belt path. If it does, re-install the seat following the ClickTight instructions carefully.

For any issues not covered here, please contact Britax Customer Service.

6. PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Model Number	E1D407G
Product Dimensions	18.5 x 17.5 x 24.5 inches
Item Weight	28 pounds
Material Type	Polyester (fabric), Steel; Plastic (composition)
Color	Parchment
Orientation	Rear and Forward Facing
Rear-Facing Minimum Child Weight	5 Pounds
Rear-Facing Maximum Child Weight	50 Pounds
Forward-Facing Minimum Child Weight	30 Pounds
Forward-Facing Maximum Child Weight	120 Pounds
Minimum Height Recommendation	18 Inches
Maximum Height Recommendation	63 Inches
Harness Type	5-Point
Number of Reclining Positions	9
Installation Type	Seat Belt (ClickTight)
Care Instructions	Machine wash and dry cover

7. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For information regarding the product warranty, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official Britax website. Britax provides customer support for product inquiries, troubleshooting, and warranty claims.

Britax Official Website: us.britax.com

It is recommended to register your product upon purchase to receive important safety updates and recall information.