

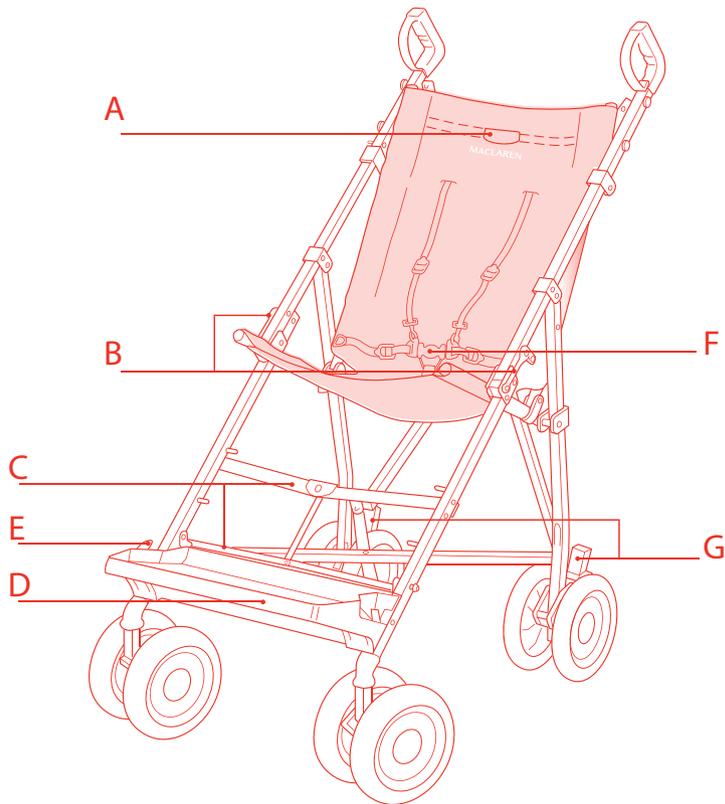


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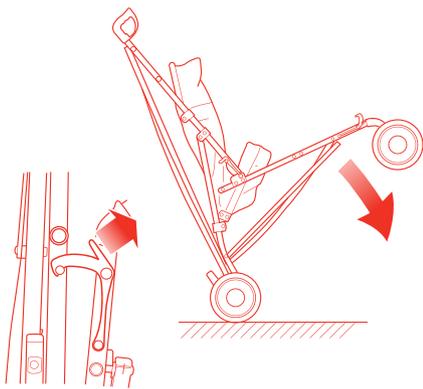
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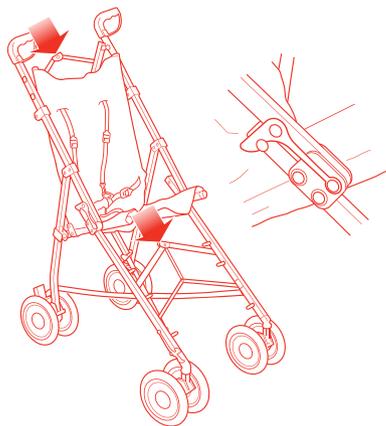
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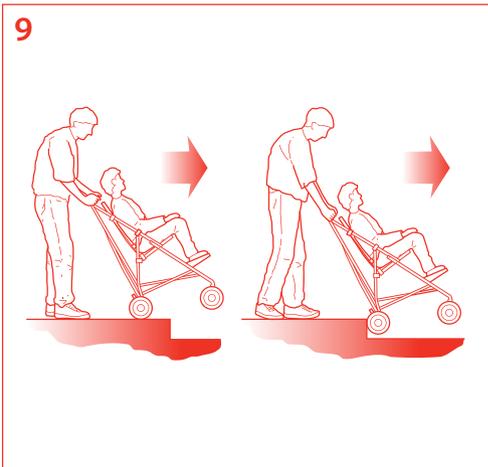
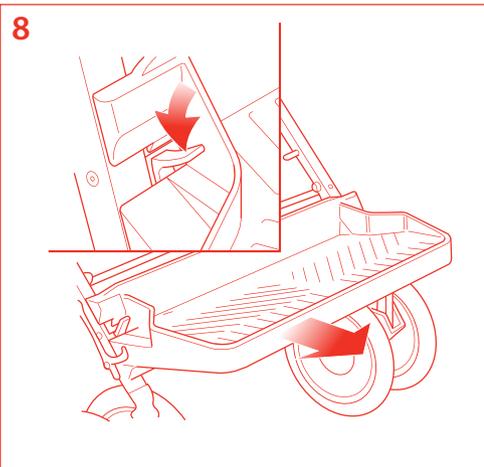
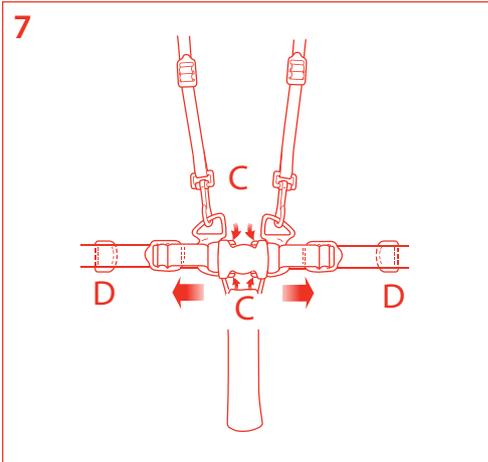
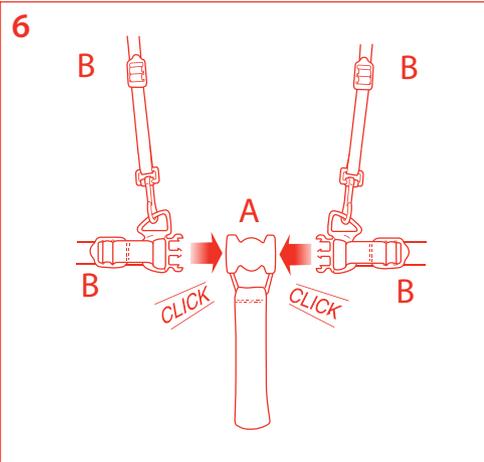
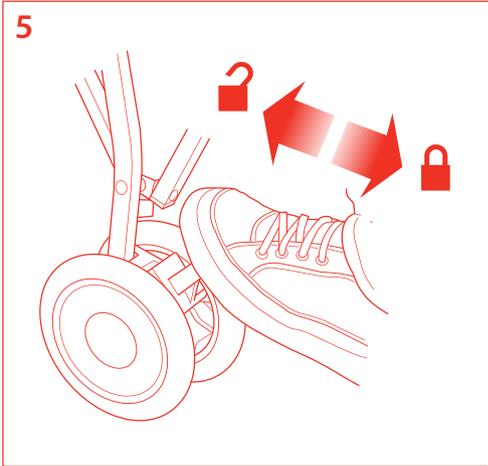
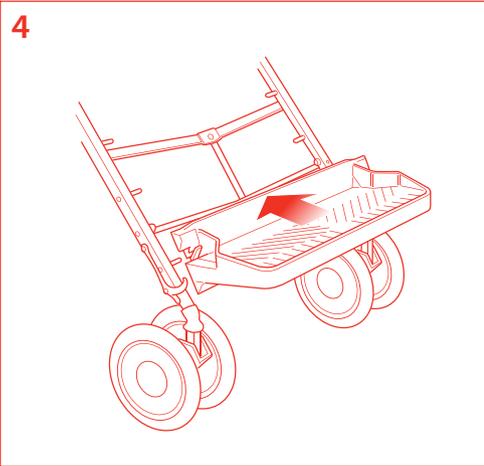


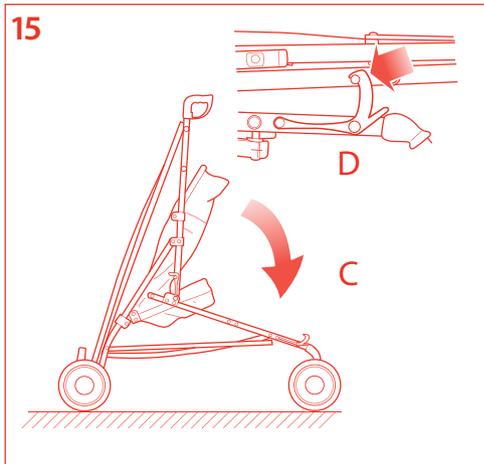
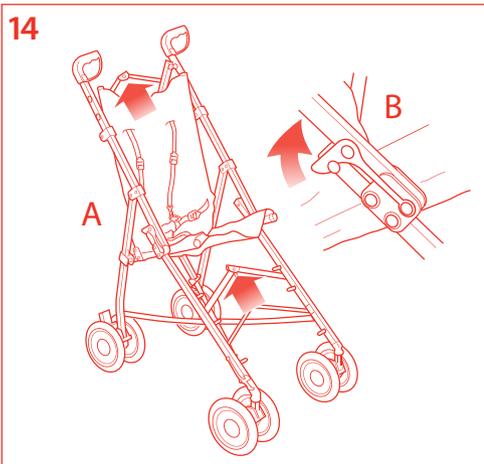
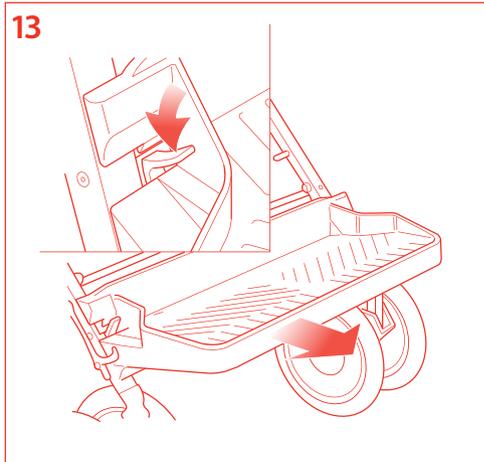
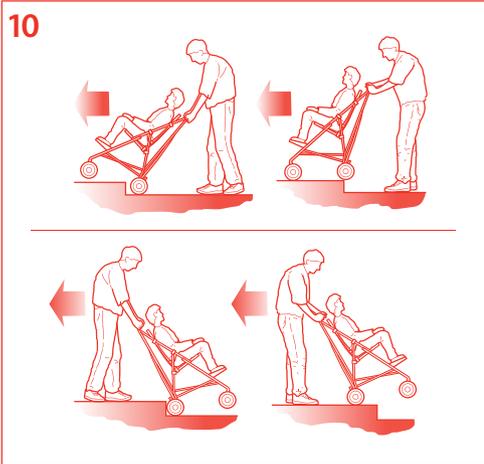
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It is important that great care is taken to ensure that children are kept well clear of the buggy when folding or unfolding the product. Finger traps and scissoring actions are unavoidable during these operations.

Il est important de veiller à maintenir l'enfant à une bonne distance de la poussette lors de l'ouverture ou du pliage de celle-ci. Ces opérations comportent inévitablement des mécanismes de cisaillement, entraînant le risque de pincement des doigts.

Es ist unbedingt darauf zu achten, dass das Kind vom Buggy fern gehalten wird, wenn er auseinander und zusammengeklappt wird. Bei diesem Vorgang besteht die Gefahr, sich die Finger zu klemmen oder sich durch die Scherenwirkung zu verletzen.

Es importante que se tenga mucho cuidado para asegurarse de que los niños se mantienen alejados del cochecito para bebé al plegar o desplegar el producto. Atraparse los dedos y cortarse son acciones inevitables durante estas operaciones.

È importante garantire che le operazioni di apertura o chiusura del passeggino avvengono fuori dalla portata del bambino perché è inevitabile che durante queste operazioni vi sia il pericolo d'intrappolamento delle dita.

Het is belangrijk dat kinderen uit de buurt van de buggy worden gehouden wanneer deze wordt ingeklapt of uitgeklapt. Voor deze handeling wordt namelijk een schaarbeweging gebruikt waarbij vingers tussen de buggy kunnen komen.

Det är viktigt att du lägger stor vikt att hålla barnet borta från barnvagnen när du viker ihop eller viker upp den. Vid dessa operationer är det oundvikligt att det sker saxrörelser och skapar risker att få fingrar i kläm.

Det er vigtigt, at børn holdes på afstand af klapvognen, når den foldes ud eller sammen. Fingerfælder og saksebevægelser er umulige at undgå ved ud- og sammenklapning.

Należy zachować szczególną ostrożność podczas składania i rozkładania wózka i uważać, aby dziecko znajdowało się w bezpiecznej odległości. Podczas składania i rozkładania przyciśnięte mogą zostać palce.

ВАЖНАЯ ИНФОРМАЦИЯ–ОПАСНО: Важно принять все меры для того, чтобы обеспечить нахождение ребенка на достаточном расстоянии от коляски во время ее складывания и раскладывания. В ходе этих операций неизбежно производятся действия, которые могут привести к захвату или защемлению пальцев

Είναι απαραίτητο να επιδεικνύεται μεγάλη προσοχή για να διασφαλίζεται ότι τα παιδιά θα διατηρούνται αρκετά μακριά από το καροτσάκι όταν το διπλώνετε ή το ξεδιπλώνετε. Δακτυλοπαγίδες και ψαλιδίσματα είναι αναπόφευκτα κατά τη διάρκεια τέτοιων διαδικασιών.

Pusetin açılıp kapatılması sırasında çocukların pusetten uzakta olduklarından emin olmak için dikkatli olunması son derece önemlidir. Açma kapama işlemleri sırasında parmak sıkışması ve makaslama pozisyonu oluşması kaçınılmazdır.

INTRODUCTION

- The Major Elite Buggy is a lightweight folding buggy developed for journeys of short duration for children up to 50 kg who are without significant postural instability and need minimal support.
- Expert medical advice regarding the suitability of this product must be sought before use.
- To adapt the Major Elite Buggy for the smaller child, a pair of Lateral Inserts is available. Seek advice from the Supplier or Wheelchair Centre.
- A responsible adult attendant of adequate strength must propel and supervise the buggy during use.
- The lightweight folding construction enables easy storage. When folded, the buggy can easily be lifted into a car boot, either diagonally or across the width.

IMPORTANT PARTS OF YOUR BUGGY

- 1A** Upper brace
- 1B** Locking clips
- 1C** Lower braces
- 1D** Footrest
- 1E** Storage clip
- 1F** Harness
- 1G** Brakes

SAFETY NOTES

Please read this instruction booklet fully prior to use and keep for future reference.

- Expert medical advice regarding the suitability of this product must be sought before use.
- The attendant should be familiar with the operation of the buggy – if in doubt, stop and read this instruction booklet. Your Local Wheelchair Centre will be able to provide advice regarding the correct and safe use of this buggy.
- Take note of how the child wishes to move or be moved. Co-operation between attendant and child will reduce the risk of injury occurring during lifting and manoeuvring operations.
- Do not allow the child to climb unassisted into the buggy.
- Do not overload this buggy with additional children or goods. Bags and other items must not be hung from the handles.
- Before setting off, ensure the child is comfortable and that clothes and rugs etc. are tucked in, so they do not catch in the wheels.
- Ensure the waist strap and shoulder harness are correctly adjusted and fitted. The attendant must know how to fit, adjust and release the buckles and clips.

- Do not stand on the footrest.
- Hold on to your buggy when close to moving road vehicles or trains. Even with the parking brakes on, the draught from the vehicle may move the buggy.
- Always apply the parking brakes when the buggy is stationary.
- Exercise caution when mounting or dismounting kerbs.
- Remove the child and fold the buggy when ascending or descending escalators.
- Never tip the buggy forward at a kerb.
- Do not attempt to take the buggy up or down a flight of steps, unless you and your helper are sure you have control of the buggy, and can take the weight of its occupant.
- The Major Elite must not be used as a seat for a child whilst travelling in a motor vehicle or bus.
- Never leave the child unattended in the buggy, even for the shortest time.
- The attendant should take precautions against fire risks. In buildings, check the location of fire exits and ensure procedures are understood.
- Do not let children play with or hang on the buggy.
- Do not use your buggy in a manner for which it is not designed.
- Ensure children are clear of moving parts before making adjustments.
- Care must be taken to avoid trapping fingers when opening and folding the buggy.
- Maclaren cannot accept responsibility for the use of accessories other than those supplied by Maclaren. Any damage caused by the use of accessories not supplied by Maclaren will not be covered by the terms of our warranty.

PREPARATION FOR USE

OPENING THE BUGGY

- 2 Release the storage clip and open out the buggy
Care must be taken to avoid trapping fingers when opening the buggy.
- 3 Push both upper and lower braces fully down and ensure the locking clips are engaged.

FITTING THE FOOTREST

- 4 Choose the height position most comfortable for the child. Clip the footrest to the support pins in either the low, mid or high position and apply upward pressure to the footrest to ensure both clips are fully engaged.

IN USE

OPERATING THE PARKING BRAKES

5 TO ENGAGE THE PARKING BRAKES
Using a foot, pull back on BOTH brake pedals ensuring the brake pins are securely located in the wheel spokes.

TO RELEASE THE PARKING BRAKES
Push forward on BOTH brake pedals. Parking brakes should not be used to slow down a moving buggy.

HARNES OPERATION

TO ATTACH THE HARNES

- 6A** Insert both fasteners securely into the clasp.
6B Adjust strap lengths by sliding the buckles. The belt and shoulder straps should be snug.

TO RELEASE THE HARNES

- 7C** Squeeze fastener prongs and pull the belt apart. It may be necessary to unclip the shoulder straps from the clasp.
7D "D" rings are included for fitting an additional harness if desired. The harness may not be adequate in all cases. Expert medical advice should be sought.

REMOVING THE FOOTREST

- 8** Depress both white plastic catches located on each side of the footrest and withdraw the footrest.

GETTING INTO THE BUGGY

Ensure both parking brakes are ON.

To make access easier, the footrest can be removed.

If possible, place the back of the buggy squarely against a wall or immovable object. Alternatively, another helper may hold the buggy steady.

If the child is not being lifted into the buggy, align the front wheels with the back wheels. Place the child's feet on the ground between the front wheels, one foot just forward of the other and lower the child gently into the seat. The child may assist by holding the buggy's front legs.

Fasten the harness and adjust the strap lengths. Belt and shoulder harness should be snug. Replace the footrest at the appropriate height.

Take note of how the child wishes to move or be moved. Co-operation between attendant and child will reduce the risk of injury occurring during lifting and manoeuvring operations.

GETTING OUT OF THE BUGGY

Ensure both parking brakes are ON and the footrest is removed.

If possible, place the back of the buggy squarely against a wall or immovable object. Alternatively, another helper may hold the buggy steady.

Align the front swivel wheels with the rear wheels to allow room for the child's feet.

Unfasten the harness clasp and if necessary unclip the shoulder straps.

If the child is not being lifted out of the buggy, the child should grasp each buggy front leg and bending slightly forward, place both feet firmly on the ground, one forward of the other. The child should then push upward to a standing position with assistance if necessary.

PUSHING TECHNIQUES

Plan a trip to take into account obstacles, terrain and distances to be covered.

The attendant should walk at a sensible speed and warn the child before carrying out manoeuvres.

The attendant should maintain firm control of the buggy at all times using both handles.

Avoid uneven or soft ground. If this kind of terrain is unavoidable then it is sometimes easier to pull the buggy backwards.

A child may feel safer if pulled backwards when going down a steep slope.

Negotiate swing doors in reverse, use your back to open the doors then pull the buggy through.

Operating the buggy should be an enjoyable experience for both attendant and child provided that there is mutual confidence and understanding.

NEGOTIATING A KERB

9 GETTING DOWN A KERB OR SINGLE STEP

Take the front wheels to the edge of the kerb.

Hold the handles firmly and tip the buggy backwards and balance on the rear wheels.

Take the rear wheels to the edge of the kerb.

Lower the buggy down the kerb on its rear wheels.

Never tip the buggy forward at a kerb.

GETTING UP A KERB OR SINGLE STEP

10 METHOD 1

Take the front wheels to the kerb. With a firm grip on the handles, tip the buggy backwards and place the front wheels on top of the kerb.

Position the rear wheels at the kerb bottom and lift to the upper level.

METHOD 2

Turn the buggy around and position the back wheels against the kerb.

Maintaining a firm grip on the handles, tilt the buggy backward and pull the rear wheels to the upper level.

IN USE CONT'D

NEGOTIATING STEPS

Make use of ramps and lifts when they are available.

Where possible steps should be avoided. If there is no alternative to negotiating steps then ensure at least one helper is available to give assistance.

Do not attempt to take the buggy up or down a flight of steps unless you and your helper are sure you have control of the buggy and can take the weight of its occupant.

During this operation, the attendant and helper must be well balanced and have secure grip on the buggy. The attendants hands must be inside the handle grips at all times.

Take rests at regular intervals.

GOING UP STEPS

- 11** Position the buggy squarely with the rear wheels against the bottom step.

Tilt the buggy backward and raise to the next step.

The helper stands in front, steadies and lifts the buggy by gripping the front frame (**not the footrest**).

Continue step by step to the top.

GOING DOWN STEPS

- 12** Position the buggy squarely with the front wheels on the top step.

Tilt the handles backward and push the buggy forward until the rear wheels are at the top step.

The helper stands in front, steadies and lowers the buggy by gripping the front frame (**not the footrest**).

Take the weight and lower the rear wheels down the step.

Continue step by step to the bottom.

AFTER USE

REMOVING THE FOOTREST

- 13** Depress both white plastic clips located on each side of the footrest.
Withdraw the footrest from the location pins.

FOLDING THE BUGGY

- 14A** Pull both upper and lower braces up.

- 14B** Unclip BOTH locking clips.

Care must be taken to avoid trapping fingers when folding the buggy

- 15C** Grip the handles and push forward.

- 15D** Ensure the storage clip is engaged.

CARE OF YOUR BUGGY

- Your buggy has been designed to a high standard and with correct use and maintenance will give many years of trouble free service.
- Regularly inspect the locking devices, brakes, harness assembly, catches, footrest, joints and fixings to ensure they are secure and in full working order.
- Brakes, wheels and tyres are subject to wear and should be replaced if necessary by a repairer approved by the buggy supplier.
- We recommend that the buggy is checked by an approved repairer every 12 months.
- If the buggy is damaged or in need of repair, the approved repairer will be able to advise on what is required. Alternatively, Maclaren Customer Care is available for product information.
- Only Maclaren replacement parts and accessories should be used on this buggy.
- Should parts of your buggy become stiff or difficult to operate, ensure that dirt is not the cause, apply a light application of a spray lubricant i.e. WD-40 (do not use oil or grease). Ensure that the lubricant penetrates between the components but do not overspray as this may encourage the accumulation of dirt. Wipe off any excess spray. Regular lubrication of moving parts will extend the life of your buggy and make opening and folding easier.
- Make sure that you are familiar with the operation of the buggy. It should always open and fold easily. If it does not, do not force the mechanism - stop and read the instructions.
- Plastic and painted parts may be sponged clean with warm water and a mild detergent.
- The seat fabric can be sponged or scrubbed clean using a mild detergent and/or mild disinfectant.
- Never clean with abrasive, ammonia based, bleach based or spirit type cleaners.
- After exposure to damp conditions, dry off with a soft cloth and leave fully open in a warm environment.
- Do not fold up the vehicle or accessories whilst wet, or store in a damp place. Either of these will encourage mildew to form. Always dry all items before storing.
- Store your buggy in a dry, safe place.

ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE

Padded Seat
Sunshade
Boot
Lateral Inserts
Rain Apron
Chest Pad
Shopping Net

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