

# **Uplift Seat Assist**



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# Safety Precautions • Instructions • Warranty

by Uplift Technologies Inc.



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## Safety Precautions

The unique, patented design of the Uplift Seat Assist has safety at its core. While your new Uplift product is made to be as safe as possible, there are some precautions you need to take:

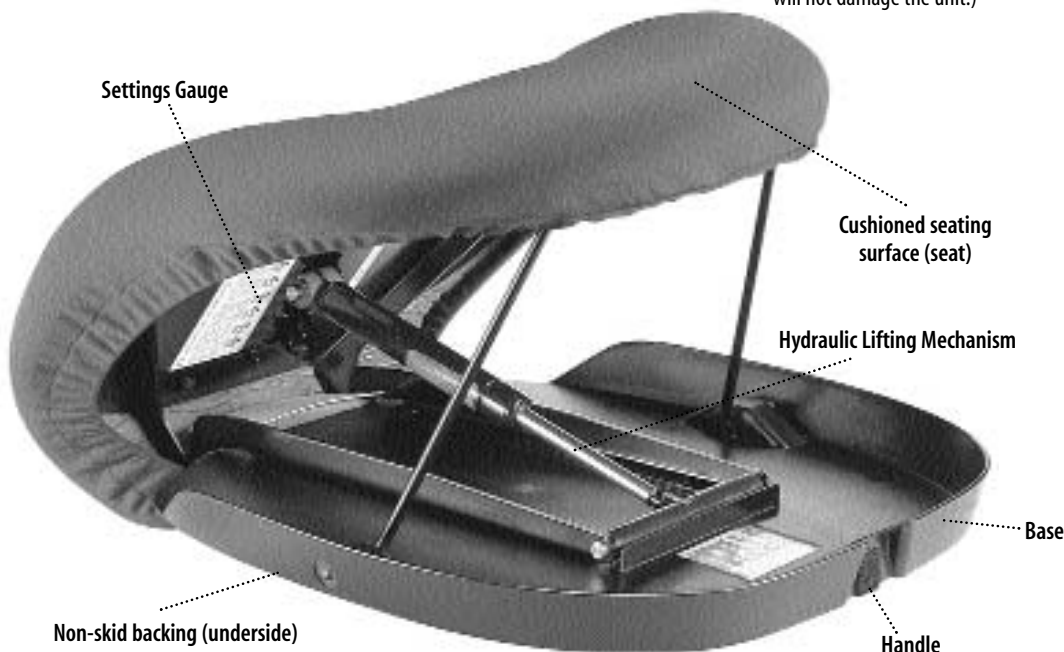
1. Make sure you have something to hold on to when getting up. The Uplift Seat Assist is designed for use on chairs with arms that offer a suitably stable seating surface. Using the Uplift on soft chairs, sofas or couches is usually O.K. Uplift is not recommended for use in wheel-chairs, automobiles, lazyboy chairs or office chairs with non-lockable wheels.
2. Always make sure that the chair the Uplift is to be used on will not slide on the floor. When in doubt, place the chair with its back against a wall or other fixed object.
3. **When bending over to pick something up, do not put any weight on your feet – otherwise the Uplift will start to activate.**



*Push down, flexing the upholstered part of the seat*

## Adjusting Weight Settings

1. Stand Uplift on the end opposite the handle.
2. Unhook the velcro strip around the handle to open the Uplift.
3. Push down on the upholstered part of the seat surface, causing it to flex outward. This allows the piston to swing free. (The Uplift cushion is designed to flex this way thousands of times. Flexing will not damage the unit.)
4. Select a weight setting. Center the piston pin between the two grooves for user's appropriate weight setting. Make sure it is fitted securely in the center of the weight slots. (The printed numbers on the setting gauge are only a guideline. The setting you choose should be according to the user's ability and preference. Choosing a weaker setting will still allow a gentle lowering into the chair but will not provide as much force on rising.)



*Select a position on the cylinder suited to the user and center piston between slots*

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## Placement in the Chair

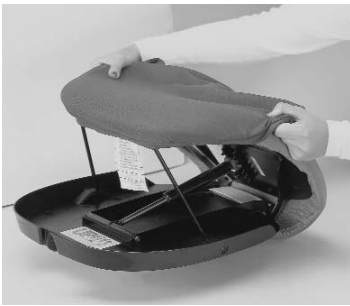
Generally, the Uplift should overhang the front of the chair as shown. On chairs which are very deep and have sufficient cushioning it is permissible to position the Uplift further back. When using the Uplift, keep both hands on the arms of the chair (or other suitable support).



Uplift should overhang as shown when used on a hard chair.

## Removable Covers

The Uplift Seat Assist is shipped with a navy blue, machine washable cover. Covers are also available in forest green, grey, tan and burgundy.



### To put on the cover:

1. After adjusting the weight setting on your Uplift, place it on a table with the open end facing away from you.
2. Place the end of the cover with the tag over the "back" or "top" of the Uplift and pull it down and under the front edge for the cushion.

Note that the back or top end of the cover is made wider than the front to ensure proper fit. It is best to leave all or part of the tag on your cover so that it is easy to identify this back/top end in future.

## Sitting Down with Uplift

After adjusting the weight settings and placing the Uplift on your chair, sit down on the flat part at the top of the Uplift. Uplift will ease you slowly and gently into your chair. (Note: If your Uplift does not go down when you sit on it, re-adjust the weight setting to a lower weight.)



## Caring for your Uplift

The surface of your Uplift Seat Assist cushion is coated with a special fire retardant, water-proof coating. The surface of the cushion may be sponge cleaned with mild soap or detergent. **(Never totally immerse the Uplift in water.)** The removable cover is made of 100% polyester and can be machine washed and dried.

## Also available for your Uplift

- **5 color covers** (forest green, navy blue, burgundy, tan and gray)
- **Uplift Carry Bag**  
Ask your dealer for details.

## Closing for Transport



1. Using the method for adjusting the weight settings, allow the piston to swing below the bottom setting.



2. Close the Uplift and wrap the velcro strip around the Velcro pad located on the carrying handle.

## Getting Up with Uplift

When you are ready to get up, simply start to get up like you normally would, by leaning forward and pushing off with your arms and legs. Uplift will sense you are getting up and give you a slow and gentle lift up.

## Warranty

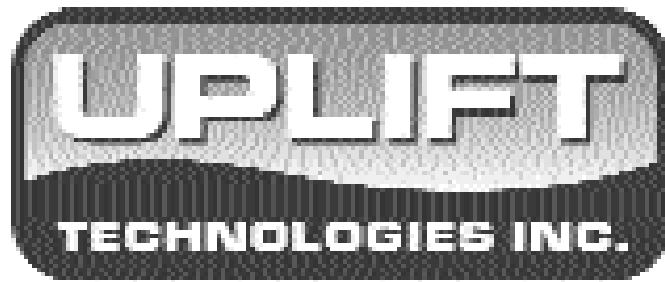
### Warranty Provisions

- Uplift Technologies, Inc. guarantees that the Uplift Seat Assist will be free from defects in material and workmanship for two years from the date of its original purchase.
- The warranty does not cover damage due to normal wear and tear, neglect or misuse, nor is it transferable.
- Please note that if you try to repair the Uplift in anyway yourself, the warranty becomes void.

### To Return a Product

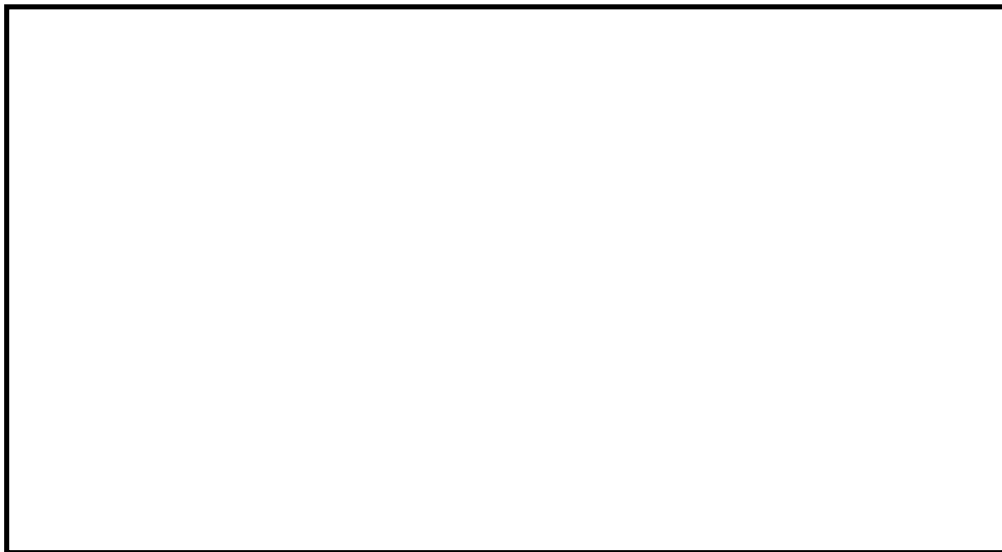
If the Uplift fails to function as warranted (see Warranty Provisions), contact the original place of purchase.

If for any reason you cannot contact the place of purchase, please call Uplift Technologies at **1-902-422-0804** or email at **export@up-lift.com**.



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