





TW017 User Manual

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### Introduction

The Drive DeVilbiss Triwalker with seat is suitable for everyday indoor and outdoor use, and is portable whilst offering stability and security to the user.

All Drive DeVilbiss Triwalkers are manufactured to the highest quality standards and are CE marked as Medical Devices.

The Triwalker with seat provides a robust and visually appealing product whilst being a cost-effective solution to some mobility problems.

The Triwalker comes with 7.5" (19cm) diameter wheels with solid grey tyres, and features arthritic friendly loop lock cable brakes.

The Triwalker features a pannier bags which fold with the Triwalker when not in use.

# Parts Description



## **Personal Safety**

- For your health and comfort, make sure that you adopt a comfortable posture and that you can operate the braking mechanism with ease. Ensure that the handles are at equal heights and securely locked in position.
- Ensure the Triwalker is always fully folded out and locked in position before using.
- Ensure that all the wheels are stable and are on the ground, and ensure that the braking mechanism is adequate and test before using.
- Ensure that the latest health and safety practice is used for carrying and lifting items, such as wheeled Triwalkers.
- Do not overload the pannier bags. Distribute the weight equally between the two bags.

# Transportation and Assembly



#### Assembling the Tri-walker:

Unpack the
Triwalker from the
carton. Pull the
Triwalker apart until
an audible click is
sounded, this will
signal the frame is
secure.



# 2. Inserting the Handlebars

Insert the handlebars in to the frame as shown in the photograph left.

Repeat for the other handlebar.

## Adjustments for Comfort



#### Setting the Handlebar Height

Set the handlebar to the required height and insert the tightening handle.

Turn the tightening handle clockwise to fasten the handlebar at that height.

Repeat for the other handlebar.

**To fully unfold** the Triwalker before using, push the folding mechanism down away from the seat.

**To fold** the Triwalker for transporting, pull the lever on the central folding mechanism at least 50mm (2 inches) then fold the Triwalker by pushing inwards from both sides.

NOTE: The brakes on the Triwalker are factory set and should not require adjustment. For technical assistance on the Triwalker brakes, contact your Drive DeVilibss dealer.

### **Brake Operation**

# To operate the arthritic friendly cable brakes:

- To apply the brakes to slow down whilst moving:
   Squeeze both brake levers up to engage
  - Squeeze both brake levers up to engage the brakes (in the direction shown the photo by the grey arrow).
- To apply the parking brakes when stationary:

To lock the brakes, push down on the brake lever until it locks (as shown by the black downwards arrow in the photo). To unlock the brakes, pull up on the brake levers until the lock removes (as shown by the black upwards arrow)



#### Care and Maintenance

- Ensure the Triwalker is used only as an aid for mobility.
- Ensure the Triwalker is kept clean. Wipe down the Triwalker with a damp cloth on a regular basis.
- Check the moving parts (e.g. wheels and height adjustment) regularly.
- All the fasteners (screws, nuts and bolts) are to be checked regularly to ensure they are securely tightened.
- Check that the front castor wheel swivels freely. Withdraw the Triwalker from use if it does not.
- Inspect the central locking mechanism regularly to ensure it is operating correctly
- Only use an approved Drive DeVilbiss dealer for any maintenance and repairs on your wheeled Tri-walker.
- Ensure the cable brakes operate safely. If the brakes are not fully stopping the wheels from turning, then contact your local dealer for adjustments.

### Specification

The Triwalker has a lightweight steel frame with choice of colours, 7.5" (19cm) diameter wheels with grey tyres and arthritic friendly cable brakes.

#### Weights and Dimensions:

Dimensions (cm) Inches	82-99cm H x 64 cm W x 57cm D 32"-39" H x 25" W x 22.5" D
Seat Height	53 cm
Seat Width	44 cm
Seat Depth	28 cm
Weight (kg/lb.) including bags	7kg 15.4 lbs.
Max User Weight	115kg (18 stones)

### Warranty

Your Drive DeVilbiss product is covered by a one-year warranty from date of delivery. Drive DeVilbiss will supply replacements for any parts which have failed as a result of manufacturing, design or material defect. Contact the retailer from you purchased the chair in the event of you needing to make a claim.

Failures as a result of accidental damage, misuse, modification or wear and tear are not covered by this warranty.

Contact the stockist from whom you purchased the chair to apply the warranty.

For full warranty conditions, contact your Drive DeVilbiss stockist or visit www.drivedevilbiss.co.uk

This does not affect your statutory rights.

The Team at Drive DeVilbiss develops its products to give our customers the freedom to live independently. This encompasses their daily home life and provides them with the opportunity to enjoy an outing with family and friends. Our goal is to develop a range that will provide individuals with a chance to enjoy every day life.

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