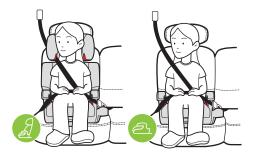




### **Oobr Instruction Manual**

This belt-positioning booster seat (booster seat) is designed for use in either full back mode or backless mode by children who meet all of the following requirements:



Height	Weight
101–145 cm	18–45 kg
40–57 in.	40–100 lb



- Read and understand product labels and all instructions in this manual and in your vehicle owner's manual before installing or using this booster seat.
- Failure to properly install or use this booster seat or follow these warnings and those on this booster seat's labels can result in serious injury or death to the child in a sharp turn, sudden stop or crash.

## Checklist for Proper Use

**IMPORTANT:** This is only a checklist – you must read and understand all of the warnings and instructions on this booster seat's labels and in this manual before installing or using this booster seat.



When Using This Booster Seat in Full Back Mode (with Seat Back)

- ✓ Child weighs between 18 and 45 kg (40 and 100 lb), and height is between 101 and 145 cm (40 and 57 in.)
- $\checkmark$  Child is sitting in the booster seat in a forward-facing location in the vehicle rear seat
- ✓ Vehicle seat belt is correctly routed beneath Armrests and through the Shoulder Belt Guide
- ✓ There is no slack in the vehicle seat belt
- ✓ Vehicle lap belt sits low and snugly on the child's hips and is not twisted. The shoulder belt MUST be at or above the child's shoulder, lie snugly across the midpoint of the child's chest and across the center of the shoulder, and MUST not be twisted
- ✓ Child is sitting upright and is not slouching
- $\checkmark$  The tops of the child's ears are below the top of the booster seat Headrest
- ✓ Booster seat is securely installed with both UAS Connectors attached to vehicle's UAS Lower Anchors, if available



### When Using This Booster Seat in Backless Mode (without Seat Back)

- ✓ Child weighs between 18 and 45 kg (40 and 100 lb), and height is between 101 and 145 cm (40 and 57 in.)
- $\checkmark$  Child is sitting in the booster seat in a forward-facing location in the vehicle rear seat
- $\checkmark$  Vehicle seat belt is correctly routed beneath Armrests and shoulder belt is properly positioned on child's shoulder
- $\checkmark$  There is no slack in the vehicle seat belt
- ✓ Vehicle lap belt sits low and snugly on the child's hips and is not twisted. The shoulder belt MUST be at or above the child's shoulder, lie snugly across the midpoint of the child's chest and across the center of the shoulder, and MUST not be twisted
- $\checkmark$  Child is sitting upright and is not slouching
- $\checkmark$  The tops of the child's ears are below the top of the vehicle seat back or headrest in its highest adjustment position
- ✓ Booster seat is securely installed with both UAS Connectors attached to vehicle's UAS Lower Anchors, if available

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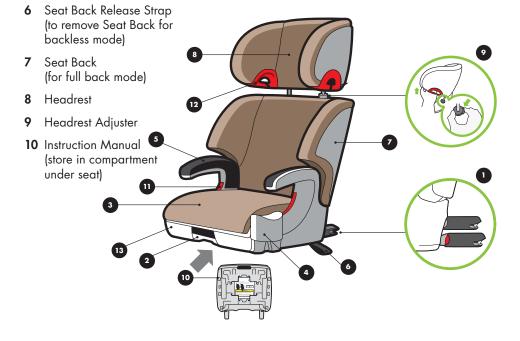
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### **Booster Seat Features**

- 1 UAS Connectors
- 2 Recline Handle
- 3 Seat Cushion
- 4 Cup Holder (drink-thingy<sup>™</sup>)
- 5 Armrests

- 11 Lap Belt Guides
- 12 Shoulder Belt Guides
- 13 Seat Base



## **Registration & Recall Information**

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• Child restraints could be recalled for safety reasons. You must register this restraint (booster seat) to be reached in a recall.

Model Name: Oobr
Serial Number:
Date of Manufacture:
(yyyy/mm/dd)

Date of Purchase: \_

#### Registering Your Booster Seat

Please fill in the information on the previous page for your records. The model name, serial number and manufacturing date can be found on a label affixed to the underside of this booster Seat Base.

#### Fill out the prepaid registration postcard attached to the seat and mail it today.

Child restraints could be recalled for safety reasons. You MUST register this restraint (booster seat) to be reached in a recall. Send your name, address, e-mail address if available, and the restraint's model number and manufacturing date to:

Clek Inc. 226 Lesmill Road Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M3B 2T5

or call 1-866-656-2462

or register online at: www.clekinc.ca/register

For recall information, call Transport Canada's Road Safety Information Centre at 1-800-333-0371, or go to: www.tc.gc.ca/en/services/road/defects-recalls-vehicles-tires-child-car-seats/stay-informed.html

### Warnings

# WARNING – DEATH or SERIOUS INJURY can occur

Failure to properly install or use this booster seat or follow these warnings and instructions and those on this booster seat's labels can result in serious injury or death of the child in a sharp turn, sudden stop or crash.

- Do not install or use this booster seat until you read and understand the instructions in this manual and in your vehicle owner's manual. Do not let others install or use this booster seat unless they understand how to correctly install and use it.
- This booster seat must be installed by an adult.
- NEVER allow the child to buckle themselves in this booster seat.
- Failure to choose the correct booster seat mode (full back or backless) and to properly secure your child can increase the risk of injury or death.
- Use only the vehicle's lap and shoulder belt system when restraining the child in this booster seat.
- NEVER use with only a lap belt to restrain a child in this booster seat. Use without a lap and shoulder belt can result in serious injury or death.

### WARNING – DEATH or SERIOUS INJURY can occur (continued)

- Do not use this booster seat with motorized or door mounted belt systems.
- Secure this child restraint with the vehicle's child restraint anchorage system if available or with a vehicle belt.
- Do not use this booster seat after an accident of any kind. An accident can cause damage to this booster seat that you cannot see.
- Do not use this booster seat after nine (9) years from the date of manufacture. The date of manufacture can be found on the label affixed to the underside of the booster seat cushion base.
- Do not attempt to make repairs to or otherwise modify or tamper with this booster seat.
- NEVER use this booster seat if it is damaged or has missing parts.
- Do not use accessories or parts with this booster seat other than those provided by clek inc. Use of accessories or parts from other manufacturers could alter the performance of this booster seat.
- Avoid burn injury ALWAYS touch the surfaces of the parts first before
  putting the child in this booster seat. This booster seat can become very
  hot if left in the sun and can burn the
  child's skin.

### WARNING – DEATH or SERIOUS INJURY can occur (continued)

- Keep this manual in the storage compartment located on the bottom of this booster seat for future use.
- NEVER use a second-hand booster seat or a booster seat whose history you do not know.
- To avoid injury, the child must remain buckled with the vehicle lap and shoulder belt properly positioned and snugly adjusted on child. If the child is unable to remain still enough to keep the belt properly positioned, they should be moved to a properly fitting harness seat.
- NEVER use a seat belt extender with this booster seat.
- Register your booster seat with Clek Inc.

## Certification

- This booster seat conforms to all applicable requirements of Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 213.2 and is certified for use in motor vehicles.
- This booster seat is not certified for aircraft use because aircraft seats DO NOT have shoulder belts.

## Vehicle Classification

This booster seat is for use only in the following classes of vehicle: Passenger Cars, Trucks, and Multi-Purpose Passenger Vehicles such as SUVs (sports utility vehicles).

### Size Limitations

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• Failure to choose the correct booster seat mode (full back or backless) for your child's height and weight may increase the risk of injury or death.

### American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) Recommendation

The AAP advises parents to keep their children in a car seat with a harness for as long as possible, until they reach the maximum height and weight limit for their seat.

Children who have exceeded the limits of their harnessed car seat should use a booster seat until the vehicle's lap and shoulder seat belt fit properly.

The child MUST meet ALL of the following requirements on page 10 through page 12 to use this booster seat:



When Using This Booster Seat in Full Back Mode (with Seat Back)

- Child's weight is between 18 and 45 kg (40 and 100 lb)
- Child's height is between 101 and 145 cm (40 and 57 in.)



• The tops of the child's ears MUST be below the top of this booster seat's Headrest, as shown in **Figure 1**. If the tops of the ears are above the top of this booster seat's Headrest in the highest adjustment position, your child is too large for using this booster seat in full back mode.



Figure 1

• The Shoulder Belt Guide MUST be at or above the child's shoulder, as shown in **Figure 2**. If the child's shoulder is above the Shoulder Belt Guide with the Headrest in its highest adjustment position, your child is too large for using this booster seat in full back mode.



Figure 2



### When Using This Booster Seat in Backless Mode (without Seat Back)

- Child's weight is between 18 and 45 kg (40 and 100 lb)
- Child's height is between 101 and 145 cm (40 and 57 in.)

• The tops of the child's ears MUST be below the top of the vehicle seat back or the vehicle seat's headrest in the highest adjustment position, as shown in **Figure 3**. If the tops of the child's ears are above the top of the vehicle seat back or headrest in the highest adjustment position, your child is too large for using this booster seat in backless mode.



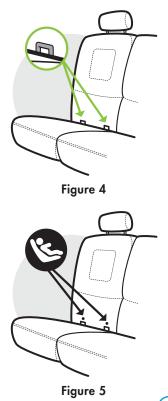


Figure 3

## Vehicle Information

### Vehicle Child Restraint Anchorage System (UAS)

- UAS stands for Universal Anchorage System (also referred to as LATCH in the United States). These terms refer to the anchors built into a vehicle for attaching child restraints and consists of two lower anchors at the crease between the vehicle seat back and vehicle seat cushion and a top tether anchor behind the vehicle seat. The Clek booster seat has been designed to attach securely to only the vehicle's UAS Lower Anchors.
- 2003 model year vehicles or newer have at least two seating locations with a Universal Anchorage System. Some 2001 and 2002 model year vehicles have Universal Anchorage Systems. 2000 model year vehicles or older DO NOT have Universal Anchorage Systems. See your vehicle owner's manual or visit: www.clekinc.ca if you are unsure if your vehicle is equipped with a Universal Anchorage System.
- The UAS Lower Anchors are located in the crease between the vehicle seat back and vehicle seat cushion, as shown in **Figure 4**.
- If not readily visible, the UAS Lower Anchors may be noted by a symbol located near the crease between the vehicle seat back and vehicle seat cushion, as shown in **Figure 5**.



### Vehicle Seat Location Requirements



- According to accident statistics, children are safer when properly restrained in rear vehicle seating positions, rather than front seating positions.
- Improper placement of this booster seat in your vehicle increases the risk of serious injury or death. Some seating positions in your vehicle may not be safe for this booster seat. Some vehicles do not have any seating positions that can be used safely with this booster seat. If you are not sure where to place this booster seat in your vehicle, consult your vehicle owner's manual or call 1-866-656-2462.

Before using this booster seat please reference your vehicle owner's manual for information about air bags and booster seat use.

NEVER use this booster seat in a front vehicle seat location, as shown in **Figure 6**, unless recommended by your vehicle owner's manual,

Whenever possible secure this booster seat in the center position of the seat directly behind the front seats. However, this position is sometimes equipped with a lap belt only and cannot be used with this booster seat.



Install this booster seat only on vehicle seats that face forward. NEVER install this booster seat on vehicle seats facing sideways or backwards, as shown in **Figure 7**.



Only use this booster seat on vehicle seats with seat backs that lock in an upright position. Check that the vehicle seat back is locked in the upright position.

### Vehicle Seat Belt Requirements



- Use only the vehicle's lap and shoulder belt system when restraining the child in this booster seat.
- NEVER use this booster seat with a vehicle seat belt that is cut, damaged, frayed or inoperable.
- Using this booster seat with an unsafe vehicle seat belt system can result in serious injury or death. Pay careful attention to these systems; some of the seat belts that are not safe to use look very much like seat belts that are safe to use. If you are unsure, consult your vehicle owner's manual or call 1-866-656-2462.
- This booster seat may not be compatible with every inflatable lap/shoulder belt. Contact Clek Customer Service at 1-866-656-2462 for more information.

#### UNSAFE VEHICLE SEAT BELT SYSTEMS

DO NOT USE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING VEHICLE SEAT BELT SYSTEMS WITH THIS BOOSTER SEAT:

• NEVER use a lap-only belt, as shown in Figure 8.

- NEVER use a passive restraint lap or shoulder belt mounted on door, as shown in Figure 9.
- Inflatable vehicle belt lap/shoulder belt with a built-in airbag.
  - This booster seat may not be compatible with every inflatable lap/shoulder belt. Contact Clek Customer Service at 1-866-656-2462 for more information.
- NEVER use a passive restraint lap belt with a motorized shoulder belt, as shown in Figure 10.



## Installing/Removing Booster Seat Using UAS Connectors

**IMPORTANT:** This booster seat is designed to be used with the vehicle's Universal Anchorage System. ALWAYS secure this booster seat to the vehicle's Universal Anchorage System, if available. If your vehicle does not have a Universal Anchorage System, you can still use this booster seat. See "Installing Booster Seat WITHOUT Using UAS Connectors" on page 33.



- Failure to properly install or use this booster seat increases the risk of serious injury or death to the child and others in a sharp turn, sudden stop or crash.
- To avoid injury this booster seat must be installed by an adult.
- NEVER leave this booster seat unsecured in your vehicle. This booster seat must remain connected to the UAS lower anchors in the vehicle or secured by the vehicle's seat belt even when not in use. In a sharp turn, crash or sudden stop, an unsecured booster seat can be thrown around and could severely injure vehicle occupants.



### Installing Booster Seat in Full Back Mode When Using UAS Connectors

To install Seat Back, see "Installing/Removing Seat Back" on page 53.

#### Step 1

Select a forward-facing vehicle seating location which has a lap and shoulder belt and Universal Anchorage System.

If the vehicle seat back is adjustable, make sure the seat back is locked in the upright position. DO NOT allow the child to sit in this booster seat while the vehicle seat back is excessively reclined, as shown in **Figure 11**.

Locate the UAS Lower Anchors (as explained in the "Vehicle Child Restraint Anchorage System (UAS)" on page 13 in this manual and in your vehicle owner's manual).





### **M** WARNING

• Do not use the UAS connectors to secure this booster seat to the vehicle's universal anchorage system if the seat belt or seat belt buckle is not easily accessible with this booster seat latched in place or if the vehicle seat belt buckle is located in between the UAS lower anchors, as shown in **figure 12**, or if the vehicle seat belt is located in between the UAS lower anchors, as shown in **figure 13**.

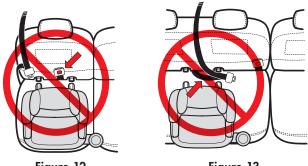
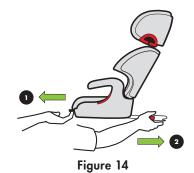


Figure 12

Figure 13

To connect to lower anchors, pull and hold Recline Handle on front of booster Seat Base **1** and pull UAS Connectors out **2**, as shown in **Figure 14**. Release Recline Handle.



#### Step 2

Place booster in the seating location selected with the UAS Connectors facing the vehicle seat.

Secure the UAS Connectors to the vehicle UAS Lower Anchors by aligning the UAS Connectors with the vehicle UAS anchors and pressing the UAS Lower Connectors against the UAS Lower Anchors until you hear each UAS Connector click, as shown in **Figure 15**.



Figure 15

**IMPORTANT:** If UAS Connectors fail to connect to the vehicle's UAS Lower Anchors, you can still use this seat. See "Installing Booster Seat in Full Back Mode WITHOUT Using UAS Connectors" on page 34. **Please notify Clek Inc. Customer Service if the UAS Connectors fail to latch by calling 1-866-656-2462.** 

#### Step 3

Once the UAS Connectors are connected to the UAS Lower Anchors, pull forward on this booster seat to make sure it is securely attached to the vehicle's UAS Lower Anchors on both sides. If not, start over at **Step 1**.

#### Step 4

Complete installation by adjusting this booster seat so the back of this booster seat contacts the front of the vehicle seat back or headrest, as shown in **Figure 16**.



Figure 16

To adjust, pull and hold the Recline Handle on the front of the booster Seat Base 1 and push the booster Seat Back towards the vehicle's seat back 2 until the back of this booster seat sits firmly against the vehicle seat back, as shown in **Figure 17**. Release Recline Handle.



Figure 17

Ensure that the booster seat Headrest is in contact with the front surface of the vehicle seat back or headrest. DO NOT allow a gap between the booster seat Headrest and the vehicle seat back or headrest, as shown in **Figure 18**. A gap between the booster Seat Base and the vehicle seat back is acceptable when being used in the full back mode.



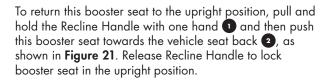
## ADJUSTING THE SEAT BACK RECLINE (FULL BACK MODE WHEN USING UAS CONNECTORS ONLY):



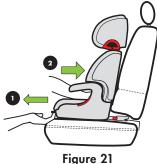
- Do not allow a gap between this booster seat headrest and the vehicle seat back or vehicle headrest, as shown in **figure 19**. Such a gap increases the risk of serious injury or death to the child in a sudden stop or crash.
- NEVER attempt to recline this booster seat while driving.
- ALWAYS ensure that the vehicle lap and shoulder belt is properly positioned and snugly adjusted on the child.

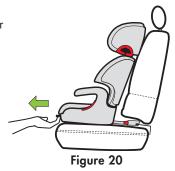


To adjust to reclined position, pull on the Recline Handle located on the front of the Seat Base and slide this booster seat towards you to the desired recline position, as shown in **Figure 20**. Release Recline Handle to lock booster seat in the recline position. Make sure the booster seat Headrest remains in contact with the vehicle seat back or headrest.



**IMPORTANT:** ALWAYS check vehicle seat belt fit on the child after adjusting the recline position of this booster seat. See **Step 7** of the "Securing Your Child in Booster Seat When Using Booster Seat in Full Back Mode (with Seat Back)" on page 43.







Removing Booster Seat in Full Back Mode When Using UAS Connectors

#### Step 1

Pull on the Recline Handle located on the front of the booster Seat Base and slide this booster seat towards you exposing the UAS Connectors **1**, as shown in **Figure 22**.



Figure 22

#### Step 2

Locate the red buttons on the front of the UAS Connectors. Releasing one UAS Connector at a time, use your thumb to press in on one button 2 while using the other hand to pull this booster seat forward 3, as shown in **Figure 23**. Repeat for the opposite UAS Connector.

To store the UAS Connectors when not in use, pull and hold Recline Handle on front of booster Seat Base and then push UAS Connectors into Seat Base.

#### Step 3

Remove this booster seat from vehicle.



Figure 23



Installing Booster Seat in Backless Mode When Using UAS Connectors



• When in backless mode, the back of this booster seat base must contact the vehicle seat back.

To remove Seat Back, see "Installing/Removing Seat Back" section on page 53.

#### Step 1

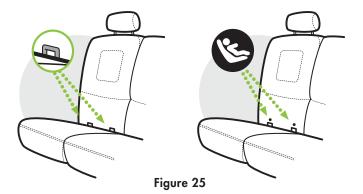
Select a forward-facing vehicle seating location which has a lap and shoulder belt and Universal Anchorage System.

If the vehicle seat back is adjustable, make sure the seat back is locked in the upright position. DO NOT allow the child to sit in this booster seat while the vehicle seat back is reclined, as shown in **Figure 24**.



Figure 24

Locate the UAS Lower Anchors, as shown in **Figure 25**. See "Vehicle Child Restraint Anchorage System (UAS)" on page 13 of this manual or refer to your vehicle owner's manual.



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• Do not use UAS connectors to secure this booster seat to the vehicle's universal anchorage system if the seat belt or seat belt buckle is not easily accessible with this booster seat latched in place or if the vehicle seat belt buckle is located in between the UAS lower anchors, as shown in **figure 26**. Or if the vehicle seat belt is located in between the UAS lower anchors, as shown in **figure 27**.

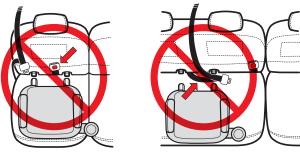
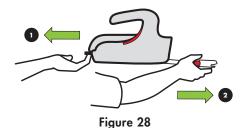


Figure 26

Figure 27

To connect to lower anchors, pull and hold Recline Handle on front of booster Seat Base and pull UAS Connectors out (2), as shown in **Figure 28**.



Step 2

Place this booster seat in the seating location selected with the UAS Connectors facing the vehicle seat.

Secure the UAS Connectors to the vehicle UAS Lower Anchors by aligning the UAS Connectors with the vehicle UAS Lower Anchors and pressing the UAS Connectors against the UAS Lower Anchors until you hear each UAS Connector click, as shown in **Figure 29**.



Figure 29

**IMPORTANT:** If UAS Connectors fail to connect to the UAS Lower Anchors, you can still use this seat. See section titled "Installing Booster Seat in Backless Mode WITHOUT Using UAS Connectors" on page 36. However, please notify us if the UAS Connectors fail to latch by calling 1-866-656-2462.

#### Step 3

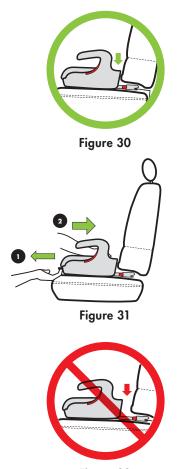
Once the UAS Connectors are securely connected to the UAS Lower Anchors, pull forward on this booster seat to make sure it is securely attached to the vehicle's UAS Lower Anchors on both sides. If not, start over at **Step 1**.

#### Step 4

Complete installation by adjusting this booster seat so the back of this booster seat contacts the front of the vehicle seat back, as shown in **Figure 30**.

To adjust, pull and hold the Recline Handle on the front of this booster Seat Base 1 and push this booster seat towards the vehicle's seat back 2 until the back of this booster seat sits firmly against the vehicle seat back, as shown in **Figure 31**. Release Recline Handle.

Ensure that this booster seat is in contact with the front surface of the vehicle seat back. DO NOT allow a gap between this booster seat and the vehicle seat back, as shown in **Figure 32**.





#### Step 1

Pull on the Recline Handle located on the front of this booster Seat Base and slide this booster seat towards you exposing the UAS Connectors **1**, as shown in **Figure 33**.

Figure 33

#### Step 2

Locate the red buttons on the front of the UAS Connectors. Releasing one UAS Connector at a time, use your thumb to press in on one button 2 while using the other hand to pull this booster seat forward 3, as shown in **Figure 34**. Repeat for the opposite UAS Connector.

To store the UAS Connectors when not in use, pull and hold Recline Handle on front of booster Seat Base and then push UAS Connectors into Seat Base.

#### Step 3

Remove this booster seat from vehicle.



Figure 34

## Installing Booster Seat WITHOUT Using UAS Connectors



- Failure to properly install or use this booster seat increases the risk of serious injury or death to the child and others in a sharp turn, sudden stop or crash.
- To avoid injury this booster seat must be installed by an adult.
- NEVER leave this booster seat unsecured in your vehicle. This booster seat must remain connected to the UAS lower anchors in the vehicle or secured by the vehicle's seat belt even when not in use. In a sharp turn, crash or sudden stop, an unsecured booster seat can be thrown around and could severely injure vehicle occupants.
- When not using UAS connectors, the back of this booster seat base must contact the vehicle seat back.



# Installing Booster Seat in Full Back Mode WITHOUT Using UAS Connectors

To install Seat Back, see "Installing/Removing Seat Back" on page 53.

## Step 1

Select a forward-facing vehicle seating location, which has a lap and shoulder belt.

If the vehicle seat back is adjustable, make sure the seat back is locked in the upright position. DO NOT allow the child to sit in booster seat while the vehicle seat is reclined, as shown in **Figure 35**.

Check that UAS Connectors are fully retracted.

To fully retract UAS Connectors, pull and hold Recline Handle on front of booster seat and push UAS Connectors into Seat Base.





Center this booster seat on the vehicle seat and position this booster seat firmly against seat back with UAS Connectors tucked into the crease between the vehicle seat back and vehicle seat cushion.

### Step 3

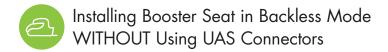
Ensure that the booster Seat Base is in contact with the vehicle seat back, as shown in **Figure 36**.





Figure 37

DO NOT allow gap between the booster Seat Base and vehicle seat back, as shown in **Figure 37**.



To remove Seat Back, see "Installing/Removing Seat Back" on page 53.

## Step 1

Select a forward-facing vehicle seating location, which has a lap and shoulder belt.

If the vehicle seat back is adjustable, make sure the seat back is locked in the upright position. DO NOT allow the child to sit in this booster seat while the vehicle seat is reclined, as shown in **Figure 38**.

Check that UAS Connectors are fully retracted.

To fully retract UAS Connectors, pull and hold Recline Handle on front of booster seat and push UAS Connectors into Seat Base.





Center this booster seat on the vehicle seat and position this booster seat firmly against seat back with UAS Connectors tucked into the crease between the vehicle seat back and vehicle seat cushion.

### Step 3

Ensure that the booster Seat Base is in contact with the vehicle seat back, as shown in **Figure 39**.







Figure 40

DO NOT allow gap between the booster Seat Base and vehicle seat back, as shown in **Figure 40**.

## Securing Your Child in Booster Seat



- Use only a vehicle's lap and shoulder belt system when restraining the child in this booster seat.
- Vehicle lap and shoulder belt must be properly positioned and snugly adjusted on child.
- NEVER use only a lap belt to restrain a child in this booster seat. Use without a lap and shoulder belt can result in serious injury or death.
- To avoid injury, the child must be secured by an adult. NEVER allow the child to buckle themselves in this booster seat.
- To avoid serious abdominal injury or death, a child must sit upright and not slouch in this booster seat. If the child cannot maintain an upright position in this booster seat with their back and buttocks in contact with the seat back, do not use this booster seat with the child.
- To avoid injury, the child must remain buckled with the vehicle lap and shoulder belt properly positioned and snugly adjusted on child. If the child is unable to remain still enough to keep the belt properly positioned, they should be moved to a properly fitting harness seat.
- To avoid burn injury ALWAYS touch the surfaces of the parts before putting the child in this booster seat. This booster seat can become very hot if left in the sun and could burn the child's skin.



When Using Booster Seat in Full Back Mode (with Seat Back):

Height	Weight
101–145 cm	18–45 kg
40–57 in.	40–100 lb

## American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) Recommendation

The AAP advises parents to keep their children in a car seat with a harness for as long as possible, until they reach the maximum height and weight limit for their seat.

Children who have exceeded the limits of their harnessed car seat should use a booster seat until the vehicle's lap and shoulder seat belt fit properly.



The child MUST sit in this booster seat with their back flat against the Seat Back, as shown in **Figure 41**.



Figure 41

## Step 2

Position the lap belt underneath the Armrest on the side opposite the vehicle seat belt buckle, as shown in **Figure 42**.

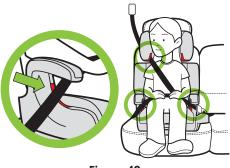


Figure 42

Pull the lap and shoulder belt over the child while positioning BOTH the lap and shoulder belt underneath the Armrest on the vehicle seat belt buckle side and buckle the seat belt, as shown in **Figure 43**.



Figure 43

## Step 4

Route shoulder belt through the Shoulder Belt Guide on the side that the vehicle shoulder belt will contact the child's shoulder, as shown in **Figure 44**.



Adjust Headrest height.

The bottom of the Shoulder Belt Guide should be at or above the top of the child's shoulders, as shown in **Figure 45**.



Figure 45

The tops of the child's ears MUST be below the top of this booster seat's Headrest, as shown in **Figure 46**.

To adjust Headrest height, see "Adjusting the Headrest" section of this manual on page 46.



Figure 46

Pull on shoulder belt to remove all slack out of the lap and shoulder belt and snugly adjust the vehicle seat belt onto the child.

**IMPORTANT:** Design and operation of vehicle seat belt systems vary from vehicle to vehicle and from seating location to seating location within the same vehicle. Refer to your vehicle owner's manual for proper use, placement and adjustment of the vehicle's lap and shoulder belts.

### Step 7

Check vehicle seat belt fit on the child:

- Vehicle seat belts MUST fit snugly and lay flat against the child and MUST not be loose or twisted. A snug seat belt does not allow any slack. It lies in a relatively straight line without sagging.
- The lap belt MUST sit low and snugly on the child's hips. Pull on the shoulder belt to tighten.
- The shoulder belt MUST be at or above the child's shoulder, lie snugly across the mid point of the child's chest and across the center of the shoulder in the GREEN zone, as shown in **Figure 47**.

If the shoulder belt is not positioned properly, adjust the Headrest to change the shoulder belt position. (See "Adjusting the Headrest" on page 46.)



Figure 47

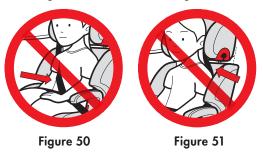
**IMPORTANT:** If the shoulder belt is off the child's shoulder, not centered on the child's chest, or the ears are above the top of the headrest in the highest adjustment position, then your child is too large to use this booster seat in full back mode.

• DO NOT position any part of the vehicle seat belt over the top of the Armrest, as shown in **Figure 48**, behind the Armrest, as shown in **Figure 49**, under the child's arm, as shown in **Figure 50**, or behind the child, as shown in **Figure 51**.

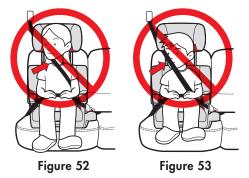




Figure 49



DO NOT use with the vehicle shoulder belt touching the child's neck, as shown in **Figure 52**, or face, as shown in **Figure 53**.



To avoid serious abdominal injury or death, a child MUST sit upright and not slouch in this booster seat, as shown in **Figure 54**. If the child cannot maintain an upright position in this booster seat with their back and buttocks in contact with this booster Seat Back, move child to a properly fitting harness seat and DO NOT use this booster seat.



## ADJUSTING THE HEADREST:

## Step 1

With child sitting in this booster seat, have your child lean forward.

## Step 2

Press the button on the Headrest Adjuster on the right-hand side of the seat (when facing front of seat) 1 and raise or lower the Headrest into one of the 11 height positions 2, as shown in **Figure 55**. Release button on the Headrest Adjuster to lock in place.

## Step 3

Check to make sure the Headrest is locked in place by pulling up on the Headrest.

## Step 4

Check for proper shoulder belt fit. See **Step 7** of the "Securing Your Child in Booster Seat When Using Booster Seat in Full Back Mode (with Seat Back)" on page 43.



Figure 55



When Using Booster Seat in Backless Mode (without Seat Back):

Height	Weight
101–145 cm	18–45 kg
40–57 in.	40–100 lb

## American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) Recommendation

The AAP advises parents to keep their children in a car seat with a harness for as long as possible, until they reach the maximum height and weight limit for their seat.

Children who have exceeded the limits of their harnessed car seat should use a booster seat until the vehicle's lap and shoulder seat belt fit properly.



• Discontinue use of this booster seat in backless mode if tops of the child's ears are above the vehicle seat back or headrest in the highest adjustment position. Severe head or neck injuries could result without proper head support.

The child MUST sit in this booster seat with their back flat against the vehicle seat back, as shown in **Figure 56**.



#### Step 2

Ensure that the vehicle seat back or headrest is high enough to support the child's head. See your vehicle owner's manual on how to adjust the vehicle headrest.

The tops of the child's ears MUST be below the top of the vehicle seat back or headrest in the highest adjustment position, as shown in **Figure 57**. Severe head or neck injuries could result without proper head support.





Position the lap belt underneath the Armrest on the side opposite the vehicle seat belt buckle, as shown in **Figure 58**.



Figure 58

### Step 4

Pull the lap and shoulder belt over the child while positioning BOTH the lap and shoulder belt underneath the Armrest on the vehicle seat belt buckle side, as shown in **Figure 59**. Buckle the seat belt.



Figure 59

Pull on the shoulder belt to remove all slack out of the lap and shoulder belt and snugly adjust the vehicle seat belt onto the child.

**IMPORTANT:** Design and operation of vehicle seat belt systems vary from vehicle to vehicle and from seating location to seating location within the same vehicle. Refer to your vehicle owner's manual for proper use, placement and adjustment of the vehicle's lap and shoulder belts.

### Step 6

Check vehicle seat belt fit on the child:

- Vehicle seat belts MUST fit snugly and lay flat against the child and MUST not be loose or twisted. A snug seat belt does not allow any slack. It lies in a relatively straight line without sagging.
- The lap belt MUST sit low and snugly on the child's hips. Pull on the shoulder belt to tighten.
- When sitting on this booster seat, the shoulder belt MUST lie snugly across the mid point of the child's chest and across the center of the shoulder in the GREEN zone, as shown in **Figure 60**.

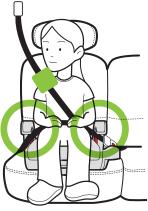


Figure 60

**IMPORTANT:** If the shoulder belt is off the child's shoulder, not centered on the child's chest, or the ears are above the top of the vehicle seat back or headrest in the highest adjustment position, then your child is too large to use this booster seat in backless mode.

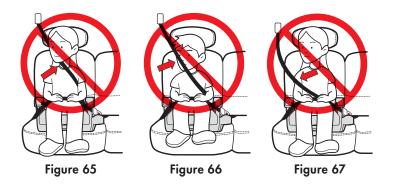
• DO NOT position any part of the vehicle seat belt over the top of the Armrest, as shown in **Figure 61**, behind the Armrest, as shown in **Figure 62**, under the chlid's arm, as shown in **Figure 63**, or behind the child, as shown in **Figure 64**.



Figure 63

Figure 64

• DO NOT use with the vehicle shoulder belt touching the child's neck, as shown in **Figure 65**, or face, as shown in **Figure 66**, or off their shoulder, as shown in **Figure 67**.



• To avoid serious abdominal injury or death, a child MUST sit upright and not slouch in this booster seat, as shown in **Figure 68**. If the child cannot maintain an upright position with their back in contact with the vehicle seat back and their buttocks in contact with this booster seat, move child to a properly fitting harness seat and DO NOT use this booster seat.



## Installing/Removing Seat Back

## To Remove the Seat Back:

## Step 1

Facing the front of this booster seat, tilt this booster seat counter-clockwise, resting it on its side, as shown in **Figure 69**.

#### Step 2

Locate the Seat Back Release Strap on the bottom right side of seat.

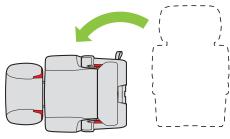


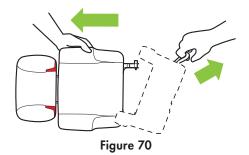
Figure 69

### Step 3

While holding the top of the Seat Back, pull and hold the Release Strap and then slide the Seat Back out of the Seat Base, as shown in **Figure 70**.

### Step 4

Once the Seat Back leg is released, complete removal by rotating the opposite Seat Back leg out of opening in the Seat Base.



To Install the Seat Back:

Step 1

Facing the back of the Seat Base, align the Seat Back legs in the openings in the Seat Base behind the Armrests, as shown in Figure 71.

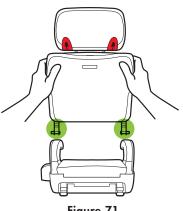


Figure 71

#### Step 2

Lower the Seat Back leg on the right and slide into the opening to engage the back leg, as shown in Figure 72. Rotate the left side of the booster Seat Back down and align the Seat Back leg with the opening in the Seat Base.

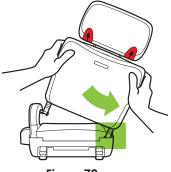
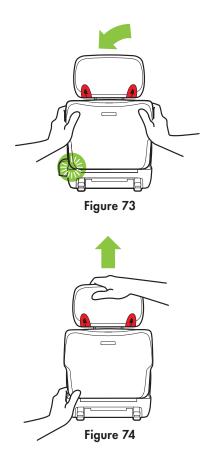


Figure 72

Press the left leg into the Seat Back lock (listen for audible click), as shown in **Figure 73**.



## Step 4

Once the Seat Back is installed, pull up on the Seat Back to ensure it is securely locked in place, as shown in **Figure 74**.

## Step 5

If Seat Back is not locked, repeat **Steps 1–4**, above.

## Installing/Removing Cup Holder **(drink-thingy™)**

## To Install Cup Holder (**drink-thingy**<sup>™</sup>):

## Step 1

Remove Seat Cushion from Seat Base and set Seat Cushion to side. (See section titled "Removing/Installing Seat Cushion & Seat Cushion Cover," on page 58.)

## Step 2

Locate Cup Holder slots on front corners of Seat Base, as shown in **Figure 75**.

## Step 3

Align tabs of Cup Holder to slots in Seat Base, as shown in **Figure 76**.

## Step 4

Slide Cup Holder tabs into slots ensuring top and bottom tabs are fully engaged, as shown in **Figure 77**.

## Step 5

Install Seat Cushion back onto Seat Base. (See section titled "Removing/Installing Seat Cushion & Seat Cushion Cover," on page 58.)



Figure 75



Figure 76



Figure 77

## To Remove Cup Holder (**drink-thingy**<sup>™</sup>):

## Step 1

Remove Seat Cushion from Seat Base and set Seat Cushion to side. (See section titled "Removing/Installing Seat Cushion & Seat Cushion Cover," on page 58.)

## Step 2

Holding onto the outside of the Cup Holder, slide Cup Holder tabs out of slots in Seat Base.

## Step 3

Install Seat Cushion back onto Seat Base. (See section titled "Removing/Installing Seat Cushion & Seat Cushion Cover," on page 58.)

## Instruction Manual Storage

After carefully reading and following these instructions, keep this manual for future use and store in the compartment located on the bottom of the Seat Base, as shown in **Figure 78**.

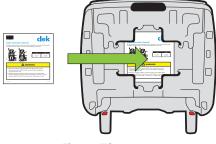


Figure 78

## Care & Cleaning

Removing/Installing Seat Cushion & Seat Cushion Cover



• NEVER use booster seat without seat cushion in place.

## To Remove Seat Cushion Cover:

## Step 1

To remove Seat Cushion Cover, you must first remove the entire Seat Cushion from the Seat Base.

## Step 2

Pull up on bottom front edge of Seat Cushion to release it from the front of the Seat Base, as shown in **Figure 79**.

## Step 3

Pull the Seat Cushion forward to fully release it from the Seat Base, as shown in **Figure 80**.

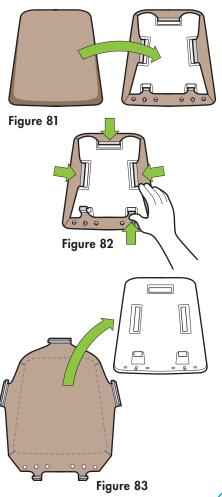


Figure 79



Figure 80

Turn Seat Cushion over to locate the Seat Cushion Cover attachments, as shown in **Figure 81**.



## Step 5

Using your thumb, push inward on each Seat Cushion Cover attachment one at a time to release the Cover from the Seat Cushion, as shown in **Figure 82**.

## Step 6

Remove Seat Cushion Cover from Seat Cushion, as shown in **Figure 83**.

## To Install Seat Cushion Cover:

## Step 1

Place Seat Cushion Cover on a flat surface with Seat Cushion Cover attachments facing up, as shown in **Figure 84**.

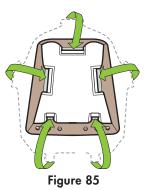
## Step 2

Place Seat Cushion into Seat Cushion Cover, aligning the seat cushion with the Seat Cushion Cover attachments.

## Step 3

Reattach Seat Cushion Cover attachments to Seat Cushion by wrapping the Seat Cushion Cover sides around the entire Seat Cushion, as shown in **Figure 85**.





## To Install Seat Cushion:

## Step 1

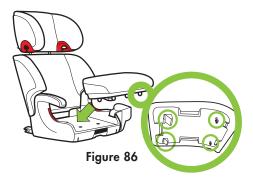
Place Seat Cushion onto top surface of Seat Base.

## Step 2

Slide Seat Cushion rearward underneath Seat Back to align snaps in Seat Base, as shown in **Figure 86**.

## Step 3

Press down on rear and front of Seat Cushion to engage front snaps to Seat Base.



## Washing Instructions

## FABRIC WASHING INSTRUCTIONS

**IMPORTANT:** The booster Seat Back Cover and Headrest Cover are not removable for washing. DO NOT wash foam pad underneath Seat Cushion Cover.

## Step 1

If the spot has dried, try lightly brushing or scraping off the residual. Wipe surface with water.

## Step 2

If a spot still remains, apply a mild detergent to fabric with a light mist.

## Step 3

Work area using soft brush or edge of spoon from outside of spot towards the middle.

## Step 4

Allow solution to work for approximately one minute.

## Step 5

Remove with clean water or blot with clean soft towel.

## Step 6

Repeat Steps 3-5 as necessary until spot is removed.

## Step 7

Rinse with clear lukewarm water and blot with clean soft white cloth as final step.

## SEAT FRAME (EXTERIOR PLASTICS ONLY) WASHING INSTRUCTIONS

Use a soft cloth with warm water and soap. Apply light pressure with cloth in small circular motions.

## Accessories

Optional trim covers and accessories for this product may be purchased at: *www.clekinc.ca/accessories* 

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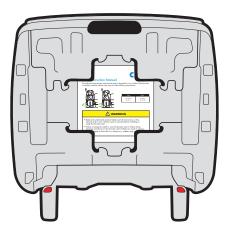
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