## Instructions on using your Evacuation Chair

## **SET UP & PREPARE**

1. Hold chair upright with both hands whist standing behind it and put one foot on the bottom frame







- 2. Raise the handle until spring clips have "clicked and locked" in place.
- 3. Slide the head restraint down fully.







- 4. Unbuckle seat belt to release skis.
- 5. Pull skis towards you.
- 6. Pull seat frame up for full deployment in readiness for passenger use or transfer.

## SEATING OCCUPANT

1. Hold chair upright with both hands whist standing behind it and put one foot on the wheel axle.





2. Keep upright for passenger to be seated or given assistance to be seated.





- 3. Passenger to fasten seat belt, if necessary seek assistance.
- 4. Keep upright and deploy rear support wheels.





- 5. Move towards the stairs.
- 6. When you reach the stairs, close the rear support wheels.

## **DESCENDING**

- 1. Stop a safe distance from the top step and tilt chair slightly backwards to a balanced position and wheel to the top of the stairs.
- 2. Skis must be in contact with top 2 step edges before moving.
- 3. Slide and reposition your hands to grip across the handle.



- 4. Press down in the vertical direction as descent progresses.
- 5. When the wheels reach the end of the stairs or landing, pause, slide and reposition your hands to grip both handles.







6. Tilt chair forward to a balanced position and pivot chair in direction to proceed. Repeat 1-6 until you reach ground floor.

