6550 Portable Wheelchair Scale Operating Instructions

Caution! Do not drop scale from transport position, as load cell damage can occur.



DO NOT DROP!

1. From transport position, lay the scale on the floor.

   DO NOT remove the Storage Pin or operate the Column Release Lever prior to this operation.

   DO NOT USE SCALE ON CARPETED FLOORS!

2. Remove the Storage Pin.

3. Slide Column Release Lever to release column, and then lift to full up-right and locked position.





4. Press the **ON** key to turn the indicator on.
5. When the indicator reads Zero, press the **TARE** key, enter the wheelchair weight, then press the **ENTER** key. The indicator will show a negative weight equal to the weight of the wheelchair.
6. Position the patient on scale by pulling the wheelchair onto scale. **NEVER PUSH** the patient on or off scale. Lock the wheelchair wheels while weighing the patient.

> **WARNING! Never leave a patient unattended while on the scale platform. Failure to maintain control of the patient and/or wheelchair at all times can result in serious injury to the patient.**

7. When weight reading is steady, read the patient's weight.
8. Remove patient from scale by backing down the ramp.



Direction of Travel



Correct Storage Position

9. For storage, use column release to release column and fold down to locked position. Replace storage pin (*see warning label on scale base*). Store in an up-right position, preferably near a wall for maximum protection against damage.

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