

#### **USER MANUAL**

# **Walking Cane**

### Strong and functional cane designed for the bariatric user.

Walking Cane is intended for users weighing up to 270 kg.

The cane can be used outdoors and indoors in institutions, care centers and in private homes.







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## 1. Safety



### **WARNING**

Do not use the Walking Cane without prior thorough instructions by trained staff or by persons who have received instructions in the use of the cane. Improper operation may cause injury to the user.

If the Walking Cane is used for persons weighing more than the maximum user weight, the risk of damaging the Walking Cane increases.

Carefully study these instructions before using the Walking Cane. Pay attention to Safety Instructions indicated by a warning triangle A.

Cobi Rehab accepts no responsibility for damage caused to the product nor for personal injury caused by improper installation, assembly or use of the Walking Cane.

Contact Cobi Rehab immediately in the case of damaged or missing parts. Never use your own spare parts.



### **SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

The Walking Cane can be damaged if used by a user weighing over 270kg.

Walking Cane must not be used until the two height adjustment release buttons are fully pressed into place. The inner tube may come loose if the clip is not fitted correctly, which means that the inner tube can slide down into the outer tube.

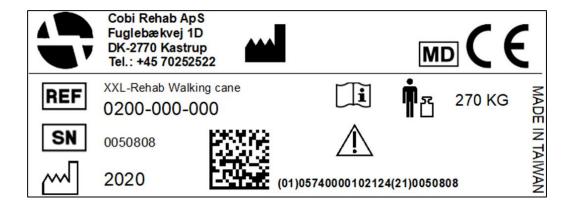
Failure to inspect the dual button may cause malfunction.

Always remember to disinfect Walking Cane when transferred to a new user. This is done to avoid cross-contamination and infections.

Lack of maintenance can damage the product, shorten the life, or affect the performance of the Walking Cane.

# 2. Symbols

The following symbols are used in this user manual and/or on the product label.			
$\triangle$	Caution!		
C€	Declaration of conformity, Medical Device Regulation, EU 2017/745		
REF	Cobi Catalogue number		
SN	Serial number		
	Date of manufacture		
	Manufacturer		
MD	Medical device		
۴ß	Body weight		
[]i	Consult instructions for use		
CE-Label on the product is located on the shaft. See example of label below.			



### 3. General

This user guide contains important information about the use of Walking Cane and the target group for the cane. It also includes a wide range of specifications on Walking Cane.

The most recent version of this user guide can be found on our website. Check if the version you are reading now is the most recent.

If you need a user manual that is written in a larger font size, the guide is available in PDF format at cobirehab.com, which can be scaled up to the required font size.

You can always contact Cobi Rehab on + 45 7025 2522 or cobi@cobi.dk if you want more information about Walking Cane.

Cobi Rehab reserves the right to change the product specifications without providing prior notice.

The UDI number of the cane appears on the label, which is located on the side of the shaft.

Product safety notices and product recalls can be viewed on the website.

https://www.cobirehab.com/kunde-hos-cobi/vigtig-produktinformation/

## 4. Using the Walking Cane

Walking Cane is an extra reinforced bariatric cane designed to provide support and safety while walking for users up to 270 kg.

 Malking Cane may break or be damaged if used by a user weighing more than 270 kg.

Walking Cane is used at hospitals, care centers and in private homes. Walking Cane should only be used on level ground and accessible terrain, indoors as well as outdoors. Always consult a therapist before assigning a walking cane to a user.

#### **Contraindications**

The user of Walking Cane must have physical and cognitive resources to operate the cane in a safe manner.

### 5. Settings

Walking Cane is supplied with two release buttons on the shaft for height adjustment.

Before use, the height of Walking Cane must be adjusted by pressing the two release buttons.

▲ Walking Cane must not be used until the two height adjustment release buttons are fully pressed into place.

⚠ The inner tube may come loose if the clip is not fitted correctly, which means that the inner tube can slide down into the outer tube.

### 6. Long-term storage

Walking Cane should be stored at temperatures between -10°- 50°C.

## 7. Cleaning and maintenance

Walking Cane can be cleaned with water and ordinary detergent.

The dual button height adjustment should be regularly inspected and if necessary, replaced.

⚠ Failure to inspect the dual button may cause malfunction.

#### Disinfection

Walking Cane can be disinfected with ethanol 70-85% or a chlorine product 1000-1200 ppm.

⚠ Always remember to disinfect Walking Cane when transferred to a new user. This is done to avoid cross-contamination and infections.

Local cleaning and disinfection procedures must always be followed.

## 8. Disposal

Products that can no longer be used are to be disposed of in a sustainable way. Please contact the relevant authorities for information on proper disposal.

#### Recycling

Parts of Walking Cane can be reused. Contact Cobi Rehab for more information.

### 9. Warranty

When delivered, the Walking Cane is free from defects. Should there be any defects or damage to the Walking Cane, contrary to all inspections, please contact Cobi Rehab immediately.

The Walking Cane is covered by a 1-year warranty from the date of purchase. The invoice serves as warranty certificate.

The warranty does not apply to:

- products whose serial number, batch number etc. have been removed or considerably damaged
- products that have been repaired by unauthorized staff
- normal wear and tear, for example cleaning, adjustment, lubrication and update of equipment or parts.

The warranty is void if Cobi Rehab assesses that the Walking Cane has been used for purposes other than its intended use, for example, if its weight capacity is exceeded.

In case of incorrect use, both service and spare parts will be invoiced.

The warranty described above is the only valid warranty.

Cobi Rehab may not be held liable for damages of any kind.

▲ Lack of maintenance can damage the product, shorten the life, or affect the performance of the Walking Cane.

#### 9.1 Unintended incident

Report any incidents related to the use of Walking Cane to Cobi Rehab.

### 9.2 After the expiry of expected service life

After the expected service life, it is important that an overall assessment of the product is made before continued use.

After the expected service life, Cobi Rehab cannot guarantee the suitability and safety of the product, as Cobi Rehab has no control over how the product is used and wear and tear.

The overall assessment of the product must be carried out by qualified professionals, and as a

minimum, consideration must be given to how the product has been used, the condition of the product and its components.

Cobi Rehab can always make such an assessment.

# 10. Specifications

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Maximum user weight	270 kg		
Height adjustable	71-93 cm		
Height adjustable	0.9 kg		
Reflex on grip	Yes		
Material	Chrome molybdenum steel /SAE41-30		
Grip	TPR - Thermoplastic rubber		
ISO - classification	ISO 12 03 03 - 05		
Expected product service life	7 years		
Risk class	1		
UDI-DI	5740000102810		
Basic UDI	5740000100010MV		
The surface temperature of the Walking Cane can increase or decrease when exposed to external sources of heat or cold.			

# 11. Ordering

Model	Height adjustable	Item number
Bariatric Walking Cane	71-93	0200-000-000





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