



## Keeping our mob healthy

## Leg board

After the orthopaedic surgery bub needs to spend the next few weeks with their leg(s) out straight.

A leg board is made for bub and has a strap to attach it to the wheelchair.



## Using the leg board

- Place the leg board on the base of the wheelchair seat, touching the back of the seat.
- Undo the buckle on the strap and put the strap under the wheelchair seat.
- When bub is sitting in the wheelchair, attach the buckle and tighten the strap so the board is held in place.
- You will need to remove the leg board if you need to fold the wheelchair.



## Care instructions



It is important to use the brakes when bub is moving on or off the seat



Wheelchairs can tip, sit right back in the seat



Tighten all belts and straps

Phone: (08) 6456 0406

If you see any rough edges, torn foam, flat wheels, loose straps call the Equipment Consumables Service at PCH on (08) 6456 0406

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If you have any questions about your legboard please call your Occupational Therapist:	



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