

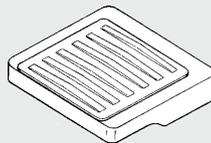
# MATRIX<sup>®</sup> Seat Rigidizer



Seat rigidizers are specifically designed to overcome the issue of hammocking in sling seats of wheelchairs. Sling seats, usually a panel of fabric or leatherette material, are most commonly found on folding wheelchairs. Despite improvements in the materials used, with a trend towards stiff, strong sailcloth now being more commonly utilised, there is still a possibility of sagging in the centre of the seat (hammocking). Hammocking can cause the user discomfort and even risks causing incorrect seating positioning and therefore subsequent pressure sores.

The flat rigid plastic seat rigidizer panels are designed to fit between the seat rails to provide level support for the wheelchair cushion. They eliminate the hammock effect, providing a firm, level base of support. This in turn ensures the cushion is optimally effective in providing the pressure care and postural functions for which it was designed. The result? A more comfortable seat for the user, a more effective cushion and less risk of pressure injuries.

- Lightweight plastic seat insert
- For use on sling seat wheelchairs
- Eliminates hammock effect of sling seat upholstery
- Fits between seat rails for level support
- Does not change weight limitation of wheelchair
- Securely fitted to underside of cushion foam using double sided tape
- Fits inside cushion cover
- Available in various widths and depths



"Hammocking" causes the wheelchair user to tend to lean to one side.



A level seat surface allows for correct positioning and allows the cushion to function effectively.

	Width	Depth	Height	Product Weight	S.W.L.
Rigidizer	40   45   50	40   45cm	-	-	-