

BARIATRIC FOLDING SHOWER SEAT

PRODUCT CODE **7070**

SEPTEMBER 2016

<u>Installation and Maintenance Instructions</u>

Apinox Product Code 7070 BARIATRIC FOLDING SHOWER SEAT

Installation

Unfasten hinge arm brackets from shower seat legs, if they are not already loose. Release white plastic flange covers from all three mounting flange assemblies with a flat-blade screwdriver and pull them back to expose flanges. Remove large pivot

Unfasten bolt and nut from all three flange assemblies to remove them from the shower seat pivot assemblies.

Provide concealed wall fixing/anchor device(s) or backing as specified or required in accordance with local building regulations/standards/codes before wall is finished. Once desired mounting location and height is determined, position temporary mounting template against the wall, with template arrow facing forward and pointing up, and mark a level line on the wall. Remove adhesive strip covers (3) from rear of mounting template. Secure temporary template to wall with the adhesive strips, in its original orientation, using the level line as a guide to align it. Drill a small pilot hole at all twelve mounting bolt locations. Remove template from wall.

Four mounting bolt locations, per mounting flange, to be drilled to accept twelve 3" (75mm) long 5/16" (7.9mm) hex-head lag bolts supplied.

Securely mount all three mounting flange assemblies to wall and concealed wall fixing/anchor device or backing (not supplied) with hex-head lag bolts. Left flange assembly to be oriented with hinge arm bracket at lower right position. Right flange assembly to be oriented with hinge arm bracket at lower left position.

With white plastic flange covers pulled back, position shower seat with pivot assemblies near mounting flanges. Align the pivot assemblies with the lateral pivot holes of the flange assemblies. Thread the pivot bolts back through the flanges and pivot assemblies in their original orientation. Secure the assemblies together threading the nuts onto the pivot bolts. Tighten the pivot bolts and nuts to 5.6/6.7 Pounds (25/30N) of force. The shower seat should move up and down with a small amount of user effort, but should not move independently.

Refasten hinge arm bracket ends to vertical shower seat legs. Snap white plastic flange covers into place over mounting flanges. Adjust feet of vertical shower seat legs by rotating the feet clockwise or counter-clockwise until all three feet contact the floor securely.

Optional wall fixings/anchor devices and/or fasteners (not provided) may be used, subject to type of wall on which the shower seat will be mounted, but would also be subject to local building regulations/standards/codes for safe shower seat mounting.



Installation and Maintenance Instructions continued

Apinox Product Code 7070 BARIATRIC FOLDING SHOWER SEAT

SAFETY WARNING

Shower seats are no stronger than the wall fixings/anchor devices and walls to which they are attached and must be firmly secured in order to support the loads for which they are intended. Consult and comply with local building regulations/standards/codes. The unit will support static loads of up to 500 KG when properly installed and used. To avoid potential seat malfunction or potential injury, DO NOT use seat if weight exceeds 500 KG or if the shower seat is not adequately secured to the wall.

Cleaning & Maintenance

DO NOT USE abrasive liquid detergents. Chlorine bleach does not improve the aseptic aspect of the equipment and could lead to opacity and deterioration of the material.

DO NOT USE hot air with a temperature over 80°C (175°F) for drying the device.

