



GLOBEX

EVACUATION CHAIRS





There is a common misunderstanding that it is the responsibility of the emergency services to ensure everyone evacuates from a building safely, it is not !

It is a legal requirement in many countries for employers and service providers to ensure the safe evacuation of mobility impaired persons in the event of an emergency





FACTS (in many countries):

Today's law stipulates that it is no longer the duty of the Fire Service to make sure the workplace is safe. The duty now lies with 'the responsible person'

The responsibility is clearly with the building management or service providers to ensure there are suitable procedures in place to evacuate everyone including disabled people without relying on the fire service.

The responsible person must nominate a sufficient number of competent persons to implement procedures in so far as they relate to the evacuation of relevant persons from the premises

Building managers should not be contemplating refusing entry to disabled people but should have plans in place that ensure the safe evacuation of all building users whether or not the fire service is available.

There is no document which states that disabled people should be left in a building to wait for the fire service during a fire. In fact, current legislative documents and standards state that it is the responsibility of building management to ensure their safe escape by introducing suitable escape plans

Where equipment is provided to assist in the evacuation of disabled people (e.g. evacuation chairs), it is important to ensure that its operational capability is maintained.

The GLOBEX Evacuation Chair is a cost effective method of ensuring the safe evacuation of non-ambulant persons from the upper or lower levels of buildings in the event of an emergency or when lifts can not be used due to maintenance





APPLICATIONS:

The **GLOBEX** Evacuation Chairs can be used on virtually all types of staircases where access is provided to upper and lower levels to safely evacuate non-ambulant persons.

- Public buildings
- Offices
- Retail premises
- Hospitals
- Educational establishments
- Aviation industry
- Marine industry
- Shopping centres
- Care industry
- Event management
- Emergency Services
- Personal use





ADVANTAGES OF THE GLOBEX EVACUATION CHAIR:

- Easily operated by one person
- Minimal training required
- Ready to use in seconds
- Four fixed wheels (no secondary wheels to deploy)
- No need to balance the chair at landings (improves safety)
- Simple deployment (no complicated clips or fastenings)
- Sturdy yet lightweight stylish design
- Descent is controlled by friction controlled custom-made high resistance belts in canvas reinforced with rubber
- Safety brakes on wheels
- Adjustable / removable headrest
- Adjustable / removable seat
- Quick release for lowering the handle
- Freestanding facility
- Cover and wall bracket available
- Assists with compliance and good management practice
- Medical Devices Agency approved
- Additional back supports can be provided
- Adjustable / removable head and seat belts





GLOBEX

EVACUATION CHAIRS



Compact storage either freestanding or wall mounted



Robust easy grip handle

Adjustable padded headrest

Telescopic handle

Quick release for lowering the telescopic handle

Adjustable strengthen seat (removable for cleaning)



Telescopic front carrying handles (GEC2 & 3) only

Lockable swivel wheels

Friction controlled custom-made high resistance belts in canvas reinforced with rubber

Deployed and ready for use within seconds



INSTRUCTIONS (LOCATED IN THE BACK OF THE HEADREST)

PREPARING FOR USE

Place the chair in a vertical position

Pull the headrest handle upwards until it locks into position

Unfasten the belt to free the seat

With one hand hold the back of the chair and with the other hand pull the seat fully open

If locked, release the front wheels

The chair is now ready for use



DOWNSTAIRS

With the chair open:

It is recommended that two operators are present for complete safety

When the user is safely in the chair approach the stairs

At the top of the stairs tilt the chair backwards and manoeuvre the chair over the top step and proceed downwards with the tracks resting on the stair nosings

Keeping a straight back, push downwards on the handle to control descent

Stand the chair upright on all four wheels to make turning easier and travelling on a flat surface

CARRYING (GEC2&3 ONLY)

With the chair open:

At least two operators are required

Open and engage the carrying handles

Lift the chair using an appropriate lifting technique



CLOSING

With the GEC2&3 models secure the handles in the closed position

Lower the handle using the two spring catches

Fold the chair to the closed position

Secure the belt to secure the seat

Locate in the agreed location



Maximum Load 150Kg
GEC-IC-ENG

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

	GEC1 (down stairs only)	GEC2 (with carry option)	GEC3 - Aviation (with carry option)
Construction:	Aluminium	Aluminium	Aluminium
Open height (mm):	1600	1600	1600
Folded height (mm):	1140	1140	1140
Width (mm):	550	550	300
Folded dimensions (mm):	330	330	330
Weight (kg):	12.7	14.2	12.7
Loading weight (kg):	150	150	150





Khalifa Al-Jassim Street, Shuwaikh,
P.O. Box 4121, Safat 13042, KUWAIT
Tel: (965) 24 84 46 96 / 799 / 810
Fax:(965) 24 84 47 98
E-Mail: sales@safetyplusworld.com

 **GLOBEX**
authorised distributor

safetyplusworld.com