



Instruction for use

Amfora

6200 4015

hydraulic shower trolley

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Important:

Read these instructions carefully before using the Amfora!

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All of the aids produced by Lopital comply with the applicable standards for Class I medical products (MDR (EU) 2017/745).

Explanation of symbols in 'instruction for use' and on labels			
	Note		Follow the instructions for use.
	Date of production		Read cleaning and disinfecting protocol.
	Manufacturer information		Antibacterial
	Article number		Temperature
	Serial number		Air pressure
	Conformité Européenne		Humidity level
	Medical device		Maximum load

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1. Introduction

1.1. Introduction

The Amfora shower trolley is a medical device for caring for and washing clients in an ergonomically responsible manner. Comfort is the primary consideration for both the client and the carer. The shower trolley is multi-functional in use and corresponds to the use of other devices such as beds, wheelchairs and shower chairs, hoisting equipment and sliders such as the EasySlide. These are the essential functions of a shower trolley.



The frame of the Amfora has an antibacterial coating. The coating contains silver ions. Antibacterial coating based on silver ions prevents dangerous micro-organisms such as bacteria, fungi and algae from multiplying and spreading. The effectiveness was confirmed in several tests. Germs were demonstrably reduced in a short time to 99.99%. The coating only affects bacteria that are found on the surface and not on airborne micro-organisms. The coating protects users or others from disease-causing bacteria, germs, viruses or other harmful organisms. On a dirty surface, the coating loses its antibacterial properties. So proper cleaning and disinfection is still a must.

The expected technical lifetime of the Amfora is 10 years, provided that daily and periodic maintenance is carried out according to the specified maintenance schedule (*See chapter 5. Cleaning and maintenance*).

The Amfora is a Class I medical device with CE marking. This marking is in accordance with the regulation MDR (EU) 2017/745.

1.2. Safety



A failure to comply with the following safety points and the further definitions in these instructions for use could lead to hazardous situations. Please read carefully before use.

Use

- It is not permitted to load the shower trolley with more weight than 150 kg / 330.7 lbs.
- Only use the original parts, supplied by Lopital.
- Use the shower trolley in a clean and tidy working environment.
- Only verifiable qualified personnel is allowed to work with the shower trolley.
- Swimming pool locations are not considered to be 'normal conditions' and will substantially shorten the lifespan of certain components.
- The shower trolley cannot be used on a surface with a gradient over 5 degrees laterally.
- The shower trolley cannot be used on a surface with a gradient of over 10 degrees forwards / backwards.

- The shower trolley must be used / cleaned using water that is below 43°C (109°F).
- Make sure that the shower trolley brake is applied before transferring clients.
- Notify the client before moving the shower trolley.
- The Amfora may only be used indoors.
- Only relocate and move the shower trolley in the lower position.
- When moving the shower trolley, do not adjust upwards or downwards.
- The shower trolley may not be used to transport loads other than people.
- Be aware of obstacles when moving upwards and downwards.

Maintenance

- The shower trolley must be inspected and serviced at least once a year.
- If the lying surface is damaged, replace the lying surface for hygiene reasons.
- Service and maintenance of the shower trolley may only be carried out by persons qualified by Lopital.
- Constructive components of the shower trolley may only be replaced by suitable qualified Lopital personnel.
- If erroneous use, transport, an accident or improper maintenance leads to deformation of the shower trolley, it may no longer be used and you must contact the supplier.

In the event of breakdowns, you must contact Lopital or your local supplier.

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The Amfora shower trolley should only be operated by competent personnel who have experience in working with the user target group and have watched the instruction / training videos on the Lopital website.



The Amfora shower trolley has been developed and produced for use in professional care environments.



Making changes to the construction may affect the safety of the Amfora. Furthermore, the liability and guarantee conditions of Lopital lapse. As a result, the Amfora no longer complies with the MDR (EU) 2017/745 regulation for medical devices.



If a serious incident occurs related to this medical device that affects the caregiver or the client, it must be reported to Lopital or the distributor of the medical device.

1.3. Warranty

All Lopital products are supplied with a 5-year warranty, on construction and / or material faults, unless otherwise stated . In the event of varying warranty terms, the exact period will be indicated on your invoice; this also serves as the warranty itself . Components and batteries that are subject to wear and tear will not fall under warranty unless there are clear construction and / or material faults.

2. Use

2.1. First use

Before using the shower stretcher, check that all of the components listed below are present. If any of these components are damaged, they may only be replaced by qualified personnel.



2.2. Working with Amfora

Step 1

Always apply the brake on the shower trolley when transferring clients (*See paragraph 3.1. Wheel blocking*).

Step 2

Place the shower trolley alongside the bed with the head-end aligned with the head-side of the client.

Step 3

Lower the side bar on the shower trolley (*See paragraph 3.2. Side bars*).

Step 4

Move the bed base on the shower trolley to just above the bed mattress and collapse the side bars downwards.

Step 5

Slide the shower trolley between the head and foot-end so that it protrudes as far as possible over the bed.

Step 6

Block the wheels on the shower trolley (*See paragraph 3.1. Wheel blocking*).

Step 7

Go to the other end of the bed and place the EasySlide between the client and the shower trolley.

Step 8

Use the EasySlide to slide the client from the bed to the shower trolley.

Step 9

Raise the horizontal surface of the shower trolley a few centimetres and close the side bars.

Step 10

Take the brake off the shower trolley and remove the EasySlide (*See paragraph 3.1. Wheel blocking*).

3. Operation

3.1. Wheel blocking

- The brake can be applied on the shower trolley by pushing the blue lip (1) on the wheel downwards (See figure 1).
- In order to take the shower trolley off the brake, the same lip on the wheel must be moved upwards by tapping the upper side of the lip (2) (See figure 1).

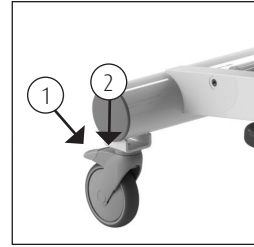


Figure 1. Wheel blocking.

3.2. Side bars

- The shower trolley is equipped with hinged side bars.
- The side bar is equipped with safeguards so that the client cannot raise the side bars himself.
- Before the side bar is collapsed downwards, the safeguard must be unlocked.
- Unlock the safeguard by removing the bolts on both sides of the side bar (1).
- Turn the unlocked side bar outwards (3).
- Move the side bar upwards in order to lock it in place again. The side bar is locked on the shower trolley by securing the bolts in the appropriate position.

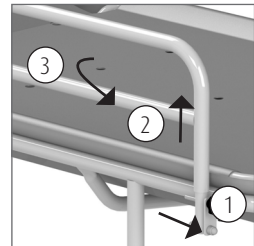


Figure 2. Side bar.

3.3. Backrest Adjustment

The Amfora is equipped with an adjustable backrest. To adjust the backrest, loosen the two adjustment knobs located underneath the back section on both sides. Move the backrest to the desired position, then firmly tighten both knobs to securely lock the backrest in place. Always check that the backrest is securely fastened before using the shower stretcher.

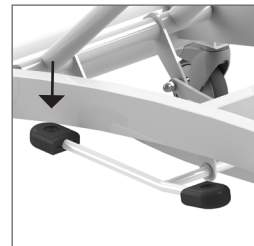


Figure 3. Moving upwards.



Always ensure that both adjustment knobs are fully tightened before providing care to a client on the shower stretcher. A backrest that is not properly locked can create an unsafe situation.

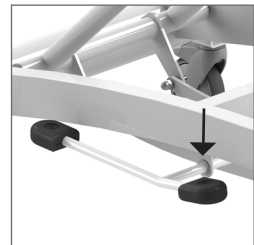


Figure 4. Moving downwards.

3.4. Moving upwards / downwards

Moving upwards

- If the client is lying on the shower trolley, first put the brake on the wheels and then move the shower trolley upwards.
- The shower trolley moves gently and evenly upwards as a result of tapping the long part of the foot pedal (See figure 3).
- During the lifting motion, the caregiver should position their upper body along the length of the shower stretcher so that they cannot twist their upper body relative to the feet.
- During the upward movement, maintain contact with the client.

Moving downwards

- The shower trolley moves downwards as a result of pushing the short part of the foot pedal downwards (See figure 4).
- The shower stretcher trolley lowers under the influence of gravity. The lowering speed can be modified by keeping the pedal gently depressed.
- During the downward movement, maintain contact with the client.



Before adjusting the height of the shower stretcher, first check to make sure there are no people or objects underneath it.

3.5. Water drainage

- Water is drained away from the shower stretcher via a drainage hose.
- Take the hose off the hook and direct it to a drainage point that is as low as possible.
- During transport, always hang the hose on the hook otherwise it may leak and drip.

4. Cleaning and maintenance

The Amfora must be cleaned after every use, with water and regular household cleaning agents. Do not use any abrasive or other aggressive cleaning products. If necessary, the PUR components can be disinfected with a solution of 70% ethanol or propanol.

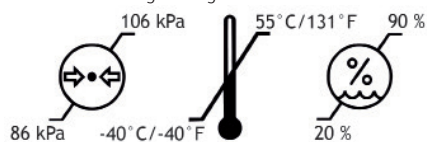
Check the wheels regularly for hairs, dust and soap residues and remove when necessary. Maintenance and repairs to the Amfora may only be carried out by qualified personnel.

Maintenance schedule	
After every use	• The shower trolley can be cleaned with water and regular household cleaning products.
Daily	• Clean and disinfect harness.
Weekly	• Clean frame. • Check wheels for hairs, dust and soap residues and remove if necessary. • Check that the shower trolley is still working correctly.
Annually	• According to the regulation MDR (EU) 2017/745 medical devices, a shower trolley must be maintained according to the manufacturer's guidelines. This process will preferably be carried out by Lopital or another authorised body. Lopital offers the option of having the chair thoroughly inspected and serviced once a year via Periodic Preventative Maintenance. For more information about the maintenance contract, please contact Lopital (info@lopital.nl) or speak to your supplier.

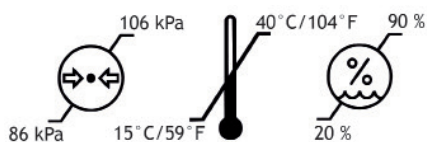
For a detailed explanation regarding cleaning and disinfecting, see the document 'Cleaning and Disinfection Protocol' on our website www.lopital.com/downloads.

5. Environmental conditions

Conditions during storage



Conditions during use



6. Removal of parts

All parts that are replaced or removed can be sent back to Lopital BV. You may also offer the parts to the engineer for destruction. We will ensure that all parts are processed in an environmentally-friendly manner.

7. Technical specifications

The shower trolley is splash-proof; this means that it can be used under the shower. This is indicated with instruction IPX4.

7.1. Structure

Subframe:	Aluminium + 2-layer powder coating
Upper frame:	Steel + 2-layer powder coating
Side bars:	Steel + 2-layer powder coating
Wheels:	Ø 12,5 cm, double blocking
Attachment equipment:	RVS + galvanised steel
Product weight:	63 kg
Maximum load:	150 kg

7.2. Dimensions

External dimensions (l x w x h):

190 x 74 x 50 to 100 cm

Water drainage hose:

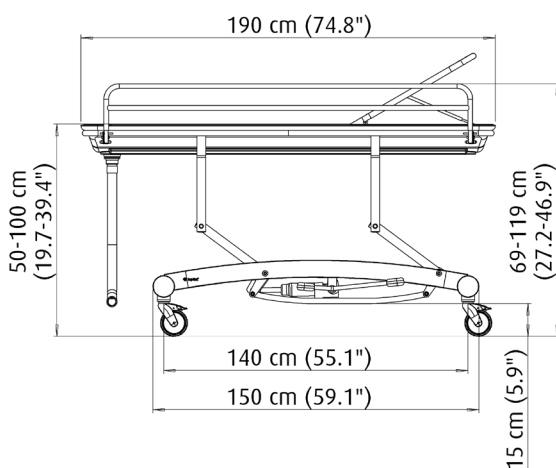
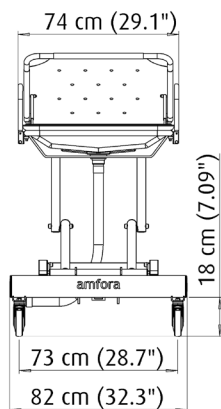
Internal Ø 4 cm

Wheel base:

120 cm

Track width:

65 cm





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