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Baby carrier
Newborn - Baby - Toddler

User Manual

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Front carry with 'H' / straight straps (from 3.2 Kgs / 7lbs)



- Adjust the height and width to fit your baby. The width should be as far as possible from kneepit to kneepit, the height should be till baby's ears or lower.
- Make sure that the shoulder straps are buckled onto the carrier body. Fasten the belt around your waist/hips and make sure to hear a 'CLICK' when you buckle the belt up on your back. Pull the webbing, so the belt is tight around your waist/hips.
- Hold your baby on your tummy, facing you, and move the carrier over its back upwards.
- Hook both arms through the shoulder straps, one by one, while holding your baby carefully with one arm.



- Fasten the buckles on your back, until you hear 'CLICK'.
- Pull the black webbing on the sides to adjust the shoulder straps, so your baby is nice and secure against your body.
- If necessary, pull down the webbing at the base of the shoulder straps to reduce carrier body height.

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Front carry with 'X' / crossed straps (from 3.2 Kgs / 7lbs)



- Adjust the height and width to fit your baby. The width should be as far as possible from kneepit to kneepit, the height should be till baby's ears or lower.
- Make sure that the ends of the shoulder straps are not buckled onto the carrier body. Put the belt around your hips and **CLICK** the belt at your back. Pull the webbing to tighten the belt.
- Place your baby on your tummy and move the carrier body over baby's back upwards and move the shoulder straps over your shoulder.
- Crisscross the straps on your back and clip them into the buckles on the side of the carrier body.



- Pull the black webbing on the sides to adjust the shoulder straps, so your baby is nice and secure against your body.
- If necessary, pull down the webbing at the base of the shoulder straps to reduce carrier body height.

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Back carry (from approx. 6 months - when baby has strong head and neck control)



- Adjust the width and height to fit your baby.
- Make sure that the shoulder straps are buckled onto the carrier body. Fasten the belt around the waist/hips and make sure to hear a 'CLICK' when you buckle the belt up on your front. Pull the webbing so the belt is tight around your waist/hips.
- Place your baby on your hip and move him onto your back.



- While bending forward pull the carrier body upwards and over your baby's back.
- Still forward leaning, hold your baby with one arm and hook your other arm through the shoulder strap. Do the same with the other arm.
- Fasten the buckles on your chest and pull the webbing on the sides if needed, so your baby is secure against your body.

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Attaching the sleeping hood

Attach the sleeping hood onto the two pop-snaps below the high extension (pic. A).

Place it over your baby's head (pic. B), and attach the webbing onto the snap on the shoulder strap (pic. C).

Pic. A



Pic. B.



Pic. C.



How to use the Back carrying strap (sold separately)

This strap helps you to carry your baby higher on the back, or lets you carry your baby on your back, while crossing the straps on your chest.



- Slide the back carrying strap (A) between the carrier body and the belt (B) and adjust the width of the strap to your child.
- Attach the shoulder straps to the buckles of the back carrying strap.
- CLICK the waistbelt high on your ribcage, just below the breast and follow steps for back carry to achieve a higher back carry.



- Carry your child on your back, follow the normal back carry instructions.
- When your baby is securely on your back, slightly bend forward and unbuckle one shoulder strap, cross it over to the other side and click it into the back carrying strap.
- Do the same with the other strap and tighten the shoulder straps if needed, so your baby is snug against your back.
- Make sure that the back carrying strap runs underneath - and not over - baby's knee.

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The **T.I.C.K.S** rule of safe babywearing

Tight - Slings and carriers should be tight enough to hug your baby close, as this will be most comfortable for you both. Any slack/loose fabric will allow your baby to slump down in the carrier, which can hinder their breathing and pull on your back.

In view at all times - You should always be able to see your baby's face simply by glancing down. The fabric of a sling or carrier should not close around them so you have to open it to check on them.

Close enough to kiss - Your baby's head should be as close to your chin as is comfortable. By tipping your head forward, you should be able to kiss your baby on the head or forehead.

Keep chin off the chest - A baby should never be curled so their chin is forced onto their chest as this can restrict their breathing. Ensure there is always a space of at least a finger's width under your baby's chin.

Supported back - In an upright carry a baby should be held comfortably close to you so their back is supported in its natural position and their tummy and chest are against you. If a sling is too loose, they can slump, which can partially close their airway. (You can test this by placing a hand on your baby's back and pressing gently – they should not uncurl or move closer to you.)

WARNING:

A) WARNING: Your balance may be adversely affected by your movement and that of your child;

B) WARNING: Take care when bending or leaning forward or sideways;

C) WARNING: This carrier is not suitable for use during sporting activities.

- When using the soft carrier monitor your child.
- This carrier is intended for children from birth, with a minimum weight of 3.2kgs, and a maximum weight of 20kgs.
- Ensure that there is free airflow around your baby's airways at all times.
- Do not overheat your baby.
- Do not use the carrier while driving or instead of a car seat.
- Do not use the carrier while in front of a hob, oven or open flame.
- Take extra care when consuming hot beverages when using the carrier.
- Do not undo the waist belt before taking your baby out of the carrier.
- For low birthweight babies and children with medical conditions, seek medical advice from a health care professional before using the product.
- Stop using the carrier if parts are missing or damaged.
- The Hana Expand Baby Carrier conforms to BS EN 13209-2:2015.

WASHING INSTRUCTIONS:

Machine wash, gentle cycle. Do not bleach. Line dry. Do not machine wash frequently. Spot clean when needed.

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