Aquaroo

Baby Carrier

Instruction Manual

BEFORE USING THE AQUAROO

For 12-30 lbs

Read and follow all instructions and warnings before assembling and using Aquaroo. Keep instructions and warnings for future use.

- Only use the Aquaroo in still, calm water.
- Only go into water depth where you can maintain control.

Never use Aquaroo when:

- In moving or rough water, such as waves or strong currents.
- Balance or mobility is impaired because of exercise, drowsiness, or medical conditions.
- Engaging in activities such as cooking and cleaning which involve a heat source or exposure to chemicals.
- Driving or being a passenger in a motor vehicle.

Premature infants, infants with respiratory problems, and infants under 4 months are at greatest risk of suffocation.

The Aquaroo neoprene material can trap heat. Monitor your child for signs of overheating at all times. Limit time used out of water.

If you are uncertain of instructions for safe use or if product appears damaged, discontinue use and contact AquaRoo for assistance. Use only as directed.

For questions or concerns, please contact: help@aquaroobabycarrier.com





PUTTING ON THE AQUAROO

- Wear Aquaroo in front of you so you can see that your baby's head and shoulders are above water at all times.
- Never wear on your side or back. • Check for ripped seams, torn straps or fabric and damaged fasteners before each use.



Connect Waist Belt buckle at your back.



(Side View)



Tighten strap until snug



Roll up excess strap and place under elastic loop



Locate and loosen both **Shoulder Straps**. They will form a crisscross (X) on your back and will be straight in the front. Buckle **Right**



Slide LEFT arm through Right Shoulder Strap. Pull strap over your head so strap sits on right shoulder.



(Completed)



Buckle Left Shoulder Strap.



Slide RIGHT arm through Left Shoulder Strap. Pull strap over your head so strap sits on left shoulder. Tighten both Shoulder Straps until snug and comfortable.



(Completed)



Putting On The Aquaroo (Completed)



Keep a good grip on your baby until ALL buckles are connected and secure.

PUTTING

IN THE

YOUR BABY

AQUAROO



Pick up and position your baby. Child must face towards you until he or she

can hold head upright.



Hold baby to your chest. Position baby's bottom at the **Waist Belt**. (Side View)



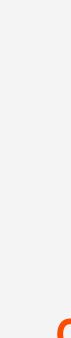
Lift the **Front Panel**. Straddle baby's legs at front panel seat.



Connect the **Left** and **Right Leg** Supports near baby's legs. FIRST connect the **VELCRO®** Brand hook and loop.



(Baby Outward Facing)



Connect **Left** and **Right Shoulder Buckles** near the baby's shoulders.



Tighten or loosen strap to position baby's arms and shoulders under the buckles.



(Baby Outward Facing)

07 **HEAD SUPPORT**

If baby is facing you and requires head support: Raise the **Head Support**. Connect the upper left and right snaps located under the elastic strip. If baby is facing out: Lower the **Head Support** and connect the 3 lower snaps.

08 **BABY'S POSITION**

Raising and Lowering Baby's Position. A. To lower baby's position, loosen **Shoulder Straps** located on your back. **B.** To raise the baby's position, tighten **Shoulder Straps** located on your back. Adjust Waist Belt as needed to reposition baby.

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MONITOR CHILD IN AQUAROO

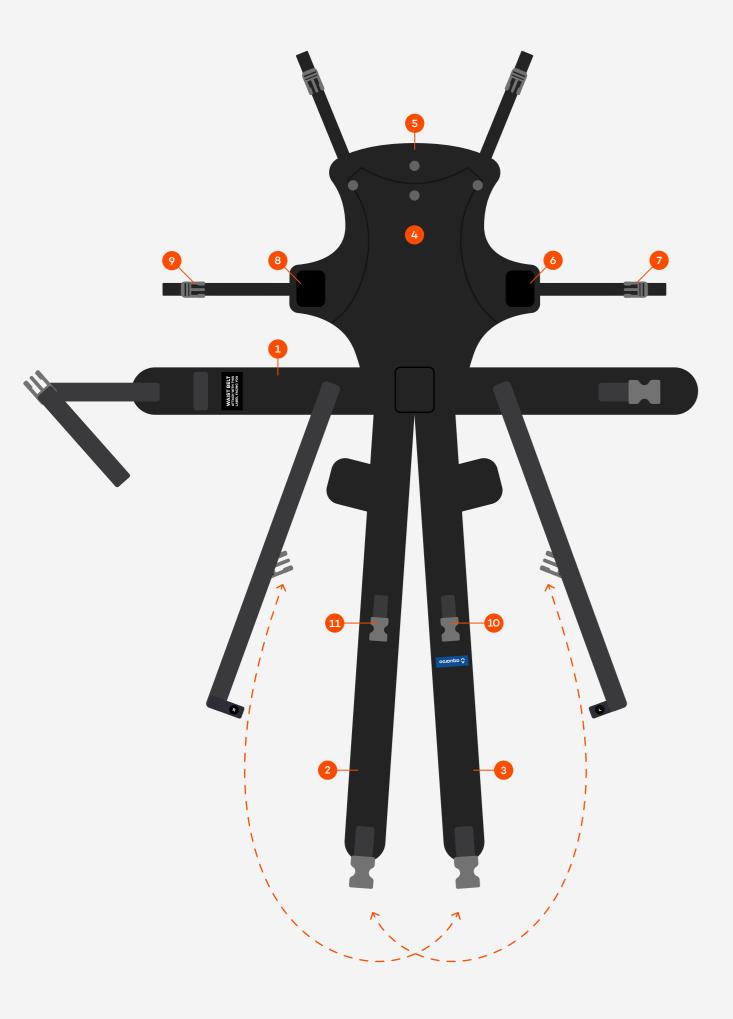
Check to assure all buckles, hook and loops, straps, and snaps are secure before each use. Ensure proper placement of child in Aquaroo including leg placement.

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ALTERNATIVE

Alternate Method for putting baby in Aquaroo: Adjust AquaRoo Before Placing Baby in Seat. **A.** Before picking up baby, connect **Left** and **Right** Leg Support Velcro® Brand hook and loop, then connect buckles. **B.** Carefully pick up baby and guide legs through leg openings. Readjust leg supports as needed. **C.** Follow steps 6–9 above.





Waist Belt Left Leg Support Buckle **Left Shoulder Strap** Right Leg Support VELCRO® **Right Shoulder Strap Brand Hook and Loop** Right Leg Support Buckle Front Panel Left Shoulder Buckle **Head Support** Left Leg Support VELCRO® Right Shoulder Buckle Brand Hook and Loop

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AWARNING

DROWNING HAZARD — Only go in water depth where you can maintain control. Use in calm water — do not use in moving or rough water, with waves or strong currents.

AWARNING

FALL AND SUFFOCATION HAZARD

FALL HAZARD — Infants can fall through wide leg opening or out of carrier.

- Adjust leg openings to fit baby's legs snugly.
- Before each use, make sure all buckles, hook and loop, and snaps are secure.
- Take special care when leaning or walking.
- Never bend at waist; bend at knees.
- Only use this carrier for children between 12lb and 30lb.

SUFFOCATION HAZARD — Infants under 4 months can suffocate in this product if face is pressed tight against your body.

- Do not strap baby too tight against your body.
- Allow room for head movement.
- Keep infant's face free from obstructions at all times.

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REMOVING YOUR BABY FROM THE AQUAROO

Always keep a good grip on your baby while removing from Aquaroo.

- 1) Unsnap the Left and Right Shoulder Buckles on the front panel and shoulder straps.
- 2) Carefully lift baby out of carrier and place in a safe and visible location.
- 3) Disconnect the left and right Leg Support buckles and Velcro brand hook and loop.

Alternate Method for removing baby:

- 1) While maintaining a good grip on baby, unbuckle front panel and shoulder straps.
- 2) Disconnect both Leg Support buckles and Velcro brand hook and loop.
- 3) Carefully remove baby from carrier and place in a safe location.



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REMOVING THE AQUAROO

- 1) Unbuckle Waist Belt.
- 2) Loosen and remove left and right Shoulder Straps. Note: If you cannot loosen Shoulder Straps, slide them off shoulders and step out of carrier.
- 3) Immediately rinse your Aquaroo (see Cleaning and Storing below).

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CLEANING AND STORING

- 1) Hand rinse with cold, fresh water.
- Sand, salt, and pool chemicals (such as chlorine) can shorten the lifespan of the Aquaroo.
- Never rinse with hot water. Hot water destroys neoprene's flexibility.
- 2) Hang inside out to drip dry. Dry and store away from direct heat and sun.
- UV rays ages neoprene more quickly.
- 3) Completely air dry before storing.
- 4) Store on a hanger or lying flat.
 - Folding or cramming the Aquaroo can weaken the neoprene.

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USEFUL TIPS

- Do not leave your Aquaroo in wet bag for an extended time. Storing the Aquaroo damp can fuel the growth of bacteria causing odors.
- Never use bleach or any harsh cleaners.
- Do not clean in a washer or tumble dryer.
- To remove strong odors:
- 1) Fill a sink or large bucket with cool water and a capful of baby shampoo or wetsuit cleaner.
- This will help remove salt, chlorine and organic residues.
- 2) Dip the carrier in and out of the water, then follow cleaning instructions.



INSTRUCTION **MANUAL**



You're about to get a lot more sand between your toes.



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