

USER INFORMATION

CMC Rescue recommends separating the User Information from the equipment and retaining the information in a permanent record. CMC also recommends making a copy of the information to keep with the equipment and that the information should be referred to before and after each use.

INSPECTING THE EQUIPMENT

Inspect the tie-in system according to your department's policy for inspecting life safety equipment. The assembly should be inspected after each use by an inspector that meets your department's training standard for inspection of life safety equipment. Record the date of the inspection and the results in an appropriate equipment log. Each user should be trained in equipment inspection and should do a cursory inspection before each use.

When inspecting the equipment, check the webbing for cuts, worn or frayed areas, broken fibers, soft or hard spots, discoloration, or melted fibers. Check the stitching for pulled threads, abrasion, or breaks. Check the hardware for damage, or sharp edges. If any of the above are noted, or if the equipment has been subjected to any form of abuse other than normal use, or if there is any doubt about the serviceability of the equipment, remove the assembly from service and destroy it.

CARRYING, MAINTENANCE & STORAGE

During use, carrying, and storage keep the equipment away from acids, alkalis, exhaust emissions, rust and strong chemicals. Do not expose the equipment to flame or high temperatures. Carry the equipment where it will be protected as system components could melt or burn and fail if exposed to flame or high temperatures.

If the web becomes soiled, it can be washed in cold water with a mild detergent. CMC Rescue recommends the use of LifeLine Cleaner. Dry out of direct sunlight. Do not dry in an automatic dryer. Store in a cool, dry location.

REPAIR

All repair work shall be performed by the manufacturer. All other work or modifications may void the warranty and shall release CMC Rescue, Inc. from all liability and responsibility as the manufacturer.

SAMPLE LOG

The sample log suggests records that should be maintained by the purchaser or user of rescue equipment.

| Equipment Inspection and Maintenance Log | | | |
|--|------------------------|-----------------------|------|
| Item _____ # _____ | | Date in Service _____ | |
| Brand/Model _____ | | Strength _____ | |
| Date | How Used or Maintained | Comments | Name |
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IMPORTANT INFORMATION - PLEASE READ AND SAVE



Patient Tie-In System, Two-Piece Litter

Made in USA
of US and foreign components



WARNING

- **SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH MAY RESULT FROM THE IMPROPER USE OF THIS EQUIPMENT.**
- **THIS EQUIPMENT HAS BEEN DESIGNED AND MANUFACTURED FOR USE BY EXPERIENCED PROFESSIONALS ONLY.**
- **DO NOT ATTEMPT TO USE THIS EQUIPMENT WITHOUT PROPER TRAINING.**
- **USE, INSPECT, AND REPAIR ONLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS.**

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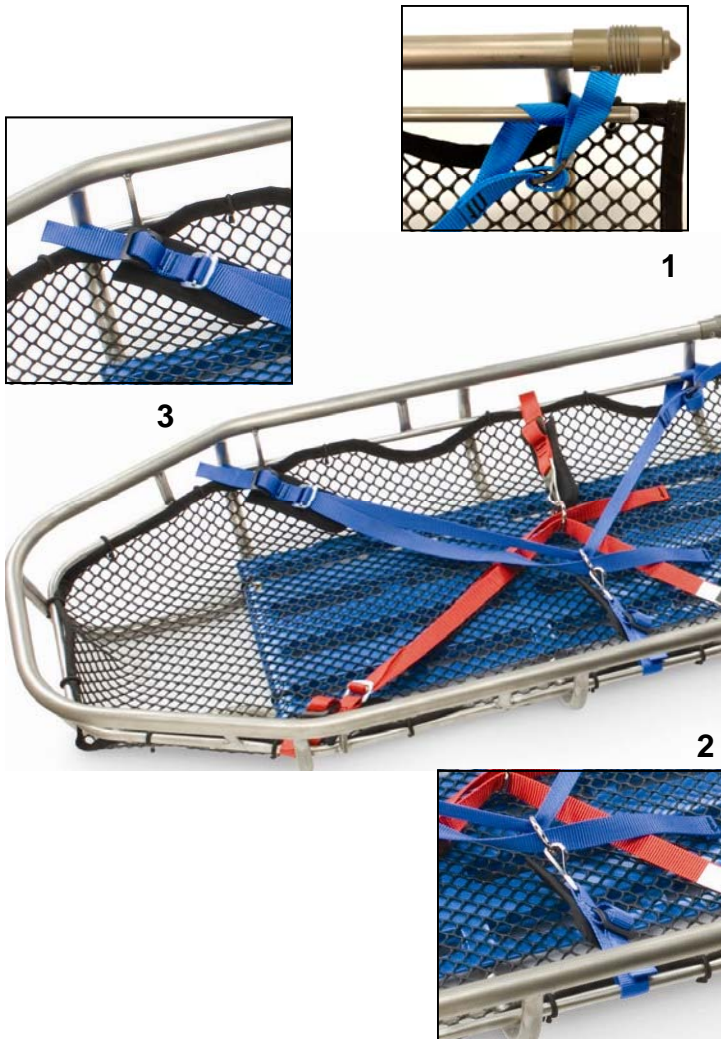
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SET UP

The **CMC Rescue Patient Tie-In System** provides a fast and easy means of safely securing a subject in a Split-Apart Litter. For optimal results, we recommend that all points be connected to the lower litter rail. Secure the adjuster buckle assembly at the head and at the foot end of the litter halves.

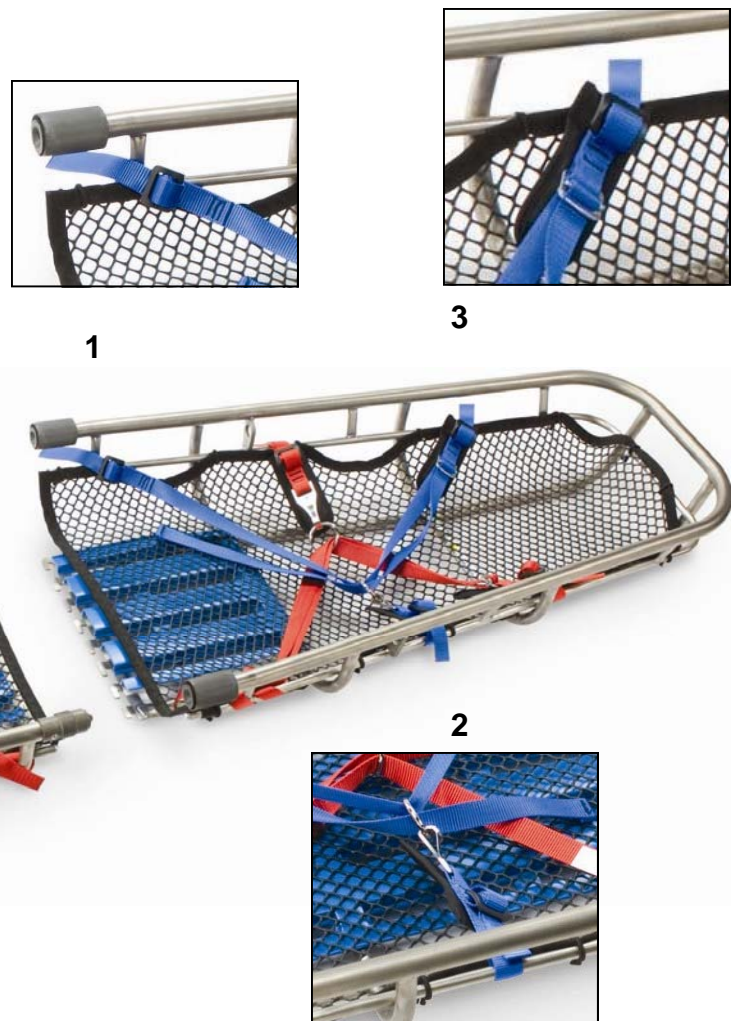
1. Using the double pass buckle, attach each blue web strap to the rail at the middle section of the litter. An extra wrap around the rail will help keep it secure during storage or transport.
2. Attach the blue snap assembly to the rail on the opposite side of the litter.
3. Connect the adjuster buckle assembly on the side you started on.
4. Finish by connecting the red web assembly opposite of the blue so the set up on each side is a mirror of the other. The setup may vary depending on user preference and/or the style or construction of the litter.



PATIENT LOADING

Prior to placing the subject in the litter, the straps should be loosened and folded outside the litter rails. After the subject has been properly placed in the litter, simply connect the O-Rings to the opposing snap hooks, resulting in the web forming "X-patterns" on the subject's torso and legs. The straps should then be pulled snug through the adjuster buckles.

Double check subject comfort and strap placement before continuing with the operation. If a vertical lift is being performed, consider using the CMC Rescue Patient Tie-In System Pelvic Harness for additional security. The straps should be pulled snug and properly stowed when not in use.



Note on Plastic Litters and Toboggans

Use caution if using a litter without tubular frame members. Manufacturer's instructions should be followed and the Patient Tie-In assembly secured only to structural load bearing points (example shown at right).

