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# R82 Flamingo Curo

Modern and adaptable toileting and bathing chair

# Supporting toilet training with children

Flamingo Curo is a versatile hygiene chair designed to meet a wide range of needs, making it suitable for toileting, showering and bathing.

With five different mounting options, either on one of the three available frames, mounted on a toilet or in a bathtub, this chair adapts seamlessly to various hygienic tasks, providing flexibility for both users and caregivers.



# Toilet training and child development

Initiating toilet training is a significant milestone in a child's development, requiring careful consideration of their mobility and ability to sit independently. For typically developing children, being able to access a potty or toilet and to sit without support are essential factors in starting this process.

The age at which children start the process and achieve continence varies widely. Among other things, it is based on when a child shows signs of readiness for training, when parents initiate training, gender and cultural norms. Toilet training is started as early as six months of age in some countries and between 18 and 36 months of age in other countries.

Children with disabilities often depend on assistive devices and postural support when starting toilet training. To establish daily routines that can lead to achieving both

day and night-time continence, a collaborative approach is crucial, with professionals supporting both the child and their parents or caregivers.

Children requiring postural support to maintain a seated position during toileting often also need additional support in other settings. For those experiencing constipation or difficulties with defecation, achieving the squatting position can prove beneficial.

The Flamingo Curo offers tailored solutions to ease the passing and help improve postural stability. The toilet and bath seat features a backrest angle of  $-20^{\circ}$  to support a forward-leaning posture, height-adjustable foot support for optimal knee placement and a comfortable PU tray for upper body support. Furthermore, an open frame at the back assists the caregiver with the necessary hygiene support after toileting.

[Learn more about toilet training](#)



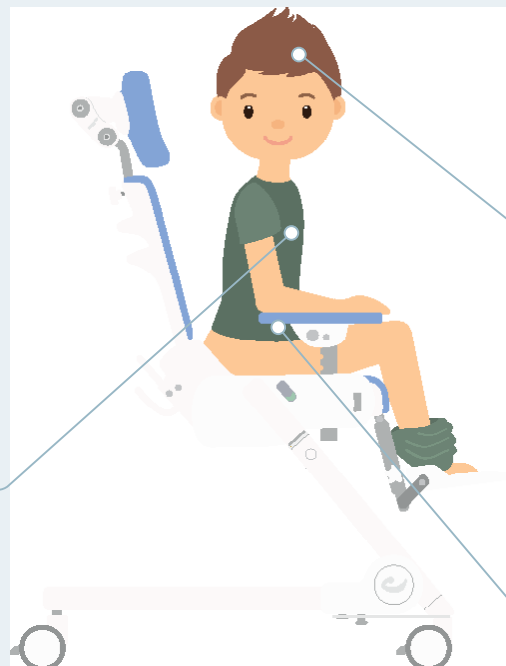
## Supporting seated positioning in toilet routines

Toilet training can be a significant milestone in a child's development, requiring careful consideration of their mobility, and children with disabilities are often depending on assistive devices and postural support when starting toilet training.



### Independence and quality of life

Participation in daily toileting routines and developing personal hygiene skills significantly enhance self-care abilities, a sense of dignity and overall quality of life. It is vital to foster independence and comfort, ensuring that the child's dignity is respected and caregiving is as straightforward as possible.



### Readiness for toilet training

Toilet and bath chairs can positively influence a child's involvement in self-care activities, empowering them to actively engage in their daily routines, promoting independence, self-esteem, and overall well-being.



### The pooping position

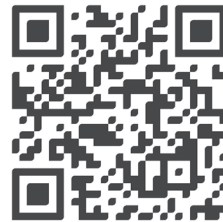
Achieving a squatting position can aid with constipation and defecation. Forward-leaning posture, knees raised, and upper body support are essential for improved toileting comfort and effectiveness.

# Potty frame

The Flamingo Curo Potty Frame is a supportive and adaptable frame option designed specifically for the size 1 Flamingo Curo seat. It offers assistance for children with disabilities as they work toward achieving toileting independence.

As toilet training is a major developmental milestone, it requires careful attention to a child’s mobility, posture, and readiness. While typically developing children may begin training as early as six months to three years, depending on cultural practices, parental approaches, and individual readiness, children with physical or developmental challenges often need assistive devices to participate in this process.

The Flamingo Curo Potty Frame provides a stable, adjustable, and safe seating environment, enabling children to engage in daily toileting routines with greater comfort and independence. Designed to be used with the Flamingo Curo seat, it includes a supportive inlay and a wide range of accessories that allow for customized positioning to suit the child’s needs. This ensures optimal posture, which is essential for both safety and success during potty training.



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## Measurements

Flamingo Curo		Size 1
	Effective backrest height	14.75-17.5" (375-445 mm)
	Effective seat depth	9.25-11.6" (235-295 mm)
	Effective seat width (with upper leg supports)	7.28-10.43" (185-265 mm)
	Maximum user mass	77 lbs (5 kg)
Flamingo Curo Potty Frame		Size 1
	Effective foot support to seat distance	8.66-11.2" (220-285 mm)
	Seat surface height at front edge	11.4"/12.2"/13" (290/310/330 mm)



Watch Alma enjoy  
bath time with her mom



## Bath time

Bath time for children with special needs can be both a calming and challenging experience, requiring a thoughtful and adaptable approach to meet their unique sensory and physical needs. Creating a safe and comfortable environment is essential, as some children may be sensitive to water temperature, textures or sounds. Simple tools like handheld showerheads or favourite toys can make the process less overwhelming and more engaging.

For children with mobility challenges, adaptive equipment such as a bath chair or transfer lift can enhance safety and accessibility. Above all, patience and empathy are essential. By approaching bath time with understanding and tailored solutions to suit the child's preferences, you can transform it into a comforting moment of care, connection and relaxation.

Assistive devices, such as bathing chairs, play an important role in ensuring safety and comfort during bath time for children with mobility challenges. Bathing chairs, such as the Flamingo Curo, are designed to provide stable support, reduce physical strain on caregivers and promote the child's independence.

The Flamingo Curo, comes with adjustable features, such as a reclining backrest, adjustable supports and tilt-in-space, to accommodate varying needs and provide stability. By incorporating such equipment into a child's daily hygiene routines, caregivers can focus more on fostering a sense of reassurance and ease, making the experience more pleasant for everyone involved. Additionally, using adaptive equipment helps to enhance a child's sense of dignity and encourages them to engage more actively in their daily hygiene routines.

# Your choice for daily hygiene routines

Flamingo Curo is a versatile hygiene chair designed to meet a wide range of needs, making it suitable for toileting, showering and bathing. With five different mounting options, this chair adapts seamlessly to various hygienic tasks, providing flexibility for both users and caregivers.



## Ready for everyday life

The Flamingo Curo is a versatile hygiene chair usable for both toileting, showering and bathing. With five different mounting options it is tailored to meet the needs of your child in all hygiene situations.

## Growing with your child

The Flamingo Curo is adjustable in back height, seat depth and width. It has a wide range of accessories adapting the chair to match the needs and growth of your child.



## Comfortable support

The toilet and bathing chair comes with thoughtfully shaped PU inlays with a slight curvature, providing a comfortable and stable support for your child during their hygiene routines.

## Caregiver usability

Our Flamingo Curo is designed with easy accessibility and one-handed operation to make it as easy as possible to carry out all the necessary hygiene tasks while allowing you to interact with your child.

# Product highlights

The Flamingo Curo is a toileting and bathing chair designed to meet a wide range of needs. The possibility of using different frames or other mounting options, along with the wide range of accessories, makes it the perfect choice for your child.

## Head support

A wide selection of head supports including a comfortable curved cushion and the option of different bar systems. All providing support for different situations.

## Fixed or swing-away side supports

Providing postural support for the child with limited trunk control, side supports help to maintain alignment and add comfort. The swing-away version makes transfer easier.

## Arm supports

Adding extra postural support for the child. The arm supports can easily be removed for sideway transfers using the click system.

## Upper leg supports

Providing postural support by helping maintain the position of both the hip and upper leg.

## Mounting options

The Flamingo Curo has a variety of mounting options making it easy to adapt to various hygienic tasks.

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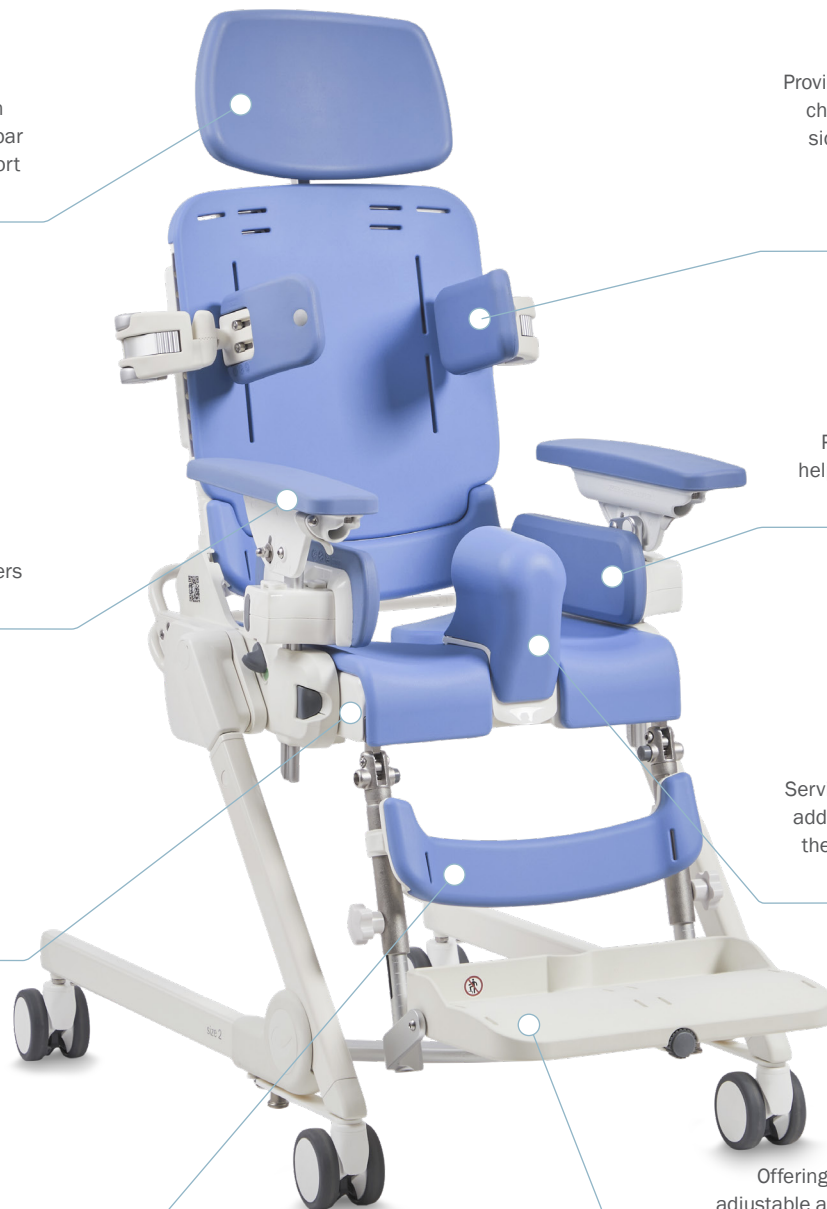
Serving a double purpose, it both adds support and helps position the legs as well as assist with a hygienic toileting experience.

## Calf support

Supporting the lower legs and preventing the feet from sliding backwards when the chair is in a tilted position.

## Foot support

Offering both height adjustment and adjustable angling of the feet and knees, the foot support can help obtain a squatting position for toileting. It is also easy to remove using the quick release function or flip up, making standing transfer easier.



Find out more about the Flamingo Curo





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