

# General User/Safety Guide WALL MOUNTED EVACUATION MATTRESS - HTE002





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# WARNINGS & CAUTIONS



#### READ THIS INSTRUCTION MANUAL AND SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS.



#### **WARNING**

- This system must be properly installed and operated as directed by this user manual.
- The storage bag is designed to store and protect the evacuation mattress. The storage bag must be kept in a dry environment and in an area where it can be located easily.
- Check evacuation mattress is stored away correctly so as not to cause an obstruction, or injury, e.g. strangulation or trip hazard.
- The evacuation Mattress should be checked regularly to see if it is still fit for purpose.
- Regular Training on how to use this system is recommended. Failure to do this could
  result in a delay in the evacuation process or a injury to the end-user or personal
  assisting in the evacuation.
- Do not store this item next to a heat source as it could damage this product.
- Always pull the evacuation mattress along the floor and do not attempt to lift.
- Do not allow sharp objects to puncture the mattress material.
- Do not modify the evacuation mattress in any way.
- Not for use in an outdoor environment.
- Store the system in a clean and dry environment.
- A risk assessment in which all hazards are to be considered, is required before using this product.

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### **DEFINITION OF THE GROUPS MENTIONED**

#### **USER/CARE PERSONNEL**

Users are persons who as a result of their training, experience or briefing are authorised to use this evacuation mattress.

#### PATIENT/OCCUPANT/SERVICE USER

The person in need of care, handicapped or infirm.

#### 2 **NON-COMPLIANT USE**

All uses deviating from the intended purpose, which may also be hazardous as a result. This includes for example:

- Incorrect installation
- Operation by persons who have not been instructed in its use.
- Using the evacuation system with no prior training.
- Using the system if any of the components are damaged or faulty.

#### 3 SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

#### 3.1 **GENERAL SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**



During the briefing, specific attention must be drawn to any potential dangers which can occur despite correct operation. Before putting the product into service for the first time, the Instruction Manual must be read conscientiously and in detail by the user / care personnel.

Contact Harvest Healthcare Directly if you discover a product defect or need advice on how to use this product.

With the help of this Instruction Manual, instruct each user in the safe operation of this system before it is put into service for the first time.

Advise the user of any hazards which may occur if not handled correctly. Only persons who have been properly instructed may operate this system. This also applies for persons who only operate the system on a temporary basis.

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# GENERAL INFORMATION

#### 3.2 SAFETY INFORMATION FOR THE OPERATOR



With the help of this instruction manual, instruct each user in the safe operation of this system before it is put into service for the first time.

Advise the user of any hazards which may occur if not handled correctly.

Only persons who have been properly instructed may operate this system. This also applies for persons who only operate the system on a temporary basis.

#### 3.3 SAFETY INFORMATION FOR THE USER

Ensure that the operator instructs you in the safe operation of this system.

In addition, pay particular attention to the Warnings and Cautions (**page 4**) and the general safety information as described in **3.1**.

If there is a suspected fault or damage, Remove from service an label "**Do Not Use Faulty**" Dispose of this item once it has been determined that it is not safe to use. Inform the person in charge without delay that this equipment has been removed from service.

#### 3.4 SYMBOLS USED



This symbol indicates general hazards. There is a danger to life and health.



Read instructions / consult manufacturers guide.

#### 3.5 SERVICING & MAINTENANCE

This product is not a serviceable item. A technical check and/or safety inspection must be conducted at least once a year to see if ti has been used or been damaged.

Any defects, damage or signs of wear this product must be removed from service and disposed of as general waste.

The HTE002 Evacuation Mattress is a low maintenance product. Regular inspections may be necessary.

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### 3.6 **CLEANING**

Harvest Healthcare recommends the following instructions should be followed when cleaning the HTE002 Evacuation Mattress:

- The HTE002 Evacuation Mattress is a one use product.
- The storage bag can be wiped with a damp cloth if required.
- If the HTE002 Evacuation mattress has been used the system should be replaced.
- Do not wash or clean the mattress and put it back into the storage bag.

#### WARRANTY 3.7

This is a single use product any warranty is void after use in evacuation. Please take care to avoid any sharp instruments which could pierce the fabric.



This product is strictly single use only. Any warranty of this product is void after use in evacuation.

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

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Harvest Healthcare recommends the Evacuation Mattress is to be used and maintained with the following instructions



#### 1 INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

The HTE002 Wall Mounted Evacuation Mattress is ideal for locations such as Nurse Stations. The mattress is stored in a wall-mounted bag (**D**) for easy access when needed.

During evacuation the mattress is pulled from the storage bag, unfolded and laid out. The patient can be positioned on the mattress. After laying the patient onto the mattress, tuck their feet into the pouch at the foot end (A); (Feet In Pocket Label)

Ensure the patient is secured using the chest and leg webbing straps  $(\boldsymbol{B})$  do not excessively tighten the straps.

Once the patient is secure, the operatives can pull on the webbing loops  $(\mathbf{C})$  and slide the patient along the floor to safety.

# TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

Product Code: HTE002

Minimum Patient Weight: N/A as this is not a lifting device.

Mattress Weight: 6 kg

Mattress Size: 2000 (L) x 900 (W) x 25 (H) mm

Bag Size: 800 (L) x 390 (W) mm

For Evacuation System full training please check our YouTube channel: https://youtu.be/hNrto5\_LkSE

# **NOTES**

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### ALSO AVAILABLE...

#### **HTE001 - EVACUATION SHEET**

Designed to be used in conjunction with standard foam mattresses. During evacuation the straps are secured around the mattress and the patient can be evacuated to safety.



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