

***Brevard Medical Equipment***  
***SAFETY RULES***

To avoid damage to your scooter/electric wheelchair, and for your own safety, please observe the following:

- Do not carry passengers.
- Do not exceed inclines over 8 degrees (14% grade).
- Do not turn on steep inclines.
- Do not turn suddenly at high speeds.
- Do not get on or off the scooter/electric wheelchair unless the brake is on and the scooter/wheelchair has been switched off.
- Do not switch off the scooter/electric wheelchair while the scooter/electric wheelchair is moving.
- Do not attempt to drive over curbs greater than 2-3 inches (5 cm.) in height. Doing so could cause your scooter/electric wheelchair to turn over, causing injury or damage to the scooter/electric wheelchair. For curbs less than 2 inches, always approach them at an angle of 90 degrees and at a low speed.
- Do not drink or use a mobile phone when driving your scooter/electric wheelchair.
- Do not exceed the user weight limit. Doing so, could invalidate the warranty.
- Always keep your feet on the scooter/electric wheelchair when moving.
- Consult your doctor if there is any doubt about your ability to use a scooter/electric wheelchair safely.
- Always slow down and proceed carefully when traveling over rough or uneven ground.
- For individuals with balance problems, practice getting on the scooter/electric wheelchair with assistance of a qualified healthcare professional.
- If equipped, DO NOT operate the scooter/electric wheelchair without anti-tip wheels installed.
- Do not use an escalator to move a scooter/electric wheelchair between floors. Serious injury could occur.
- Do not drive the scooter/electric wheelchair on an incline that has an oil, water or ice film on it.
- Do not try to lift the scooter/electric wheelchair by its seat, tiller, rear chassis cover, or any removable parts. Any of these could cause injury to the user or damage to the scooter/electric wheelchair.
- Before sitting in or exiting the scooter/electric wheelchair, REMOVE the key from the ignition. This will insure the POWER is off and the scooter/electric wheelchair cannot move under its own power.
- As a general precaution, always remove the key from the ignition while the scooter/electric wheelchair is not in use. This will prevent use by untrained and unauthorized persons.
- Do not connect any medical device to the scooter/electric wheelchair battery. This could cause failure of the device, the scooter/electric wheelchair...and personal injury.
- Make sure the tiller is properly adjusted to the user or damage and injury could result.
- The Brevard Medical Equipment does not recommend that scooter/electric wheelchair users be transported in a vehicle WHILE they are in the scooter/electric wheelchair...and will not be responsible for any injury or damage that might result.
- Do not use the scooter/electric wheelchair in the rain, near a shower or in a damp bathroom. Direct exposure to rain or dampness could cause the scooter/electric wheelchair to electrically malfunction and prematurely rust.
- EMI (Electromagnetic Interference), such as citizens band radios, radio or TV stations can affect any electrically powered scooter/electric wheelchair.
  1. Do not operate CB radios, portable phones or cellular phones near the scooter/electric wheelchair while the power is turned on.
  2. Report any unintended scooter/electric wheelchair movement or brake release to your scooter/electric wheelchair that could possibly have been caused by EMI.

I have read, understand, and agree to follow the safety rules above.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

