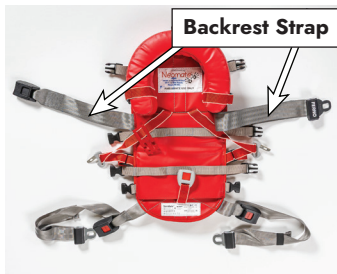


# NeoMate® Model 679

(Designed to secure infants from 5-14 lbs. (2.3 -6.4 kg))

## Positioning the device on the ambulance cot

1. Remove any restraints attached to the cot or secure them behind the cot's backrest so that they do not impede the ability to lower the backrest.
2. Raise the cot's backrest to an angle between **15 and 45 degrees**.
3. Unroll the NeoMate, extend all the straps, and center it on the cot.
4. Position the NeoMate so where the infant's hips can bend is at the cot's joint/fold and the backrest strap will be where the infant's shoulders are expected to rest.
5. Route the backrest straps around the cot's back. (For a Stryker cot, **route it between the cot back and the piston bar** that adjusts the recline). Buckle the backrest straps, leaving some slack for final adjustment.



## 7 Routing for Stryker

## Securing the NeoMate

6. Place the infant on the NeoMate with their back flat against the back of the device, and bottom at cot and device's fold. If the backrest strap is not at their shoulder level, slide the device to align with the shoulders, and then firmly tighten the backrest.
7. Fasten a mainframe strap by threading the free end downward between the cot main frame bar and the mattress, near the head end of the frame bar. Wrap the strap around the cot's main frame and buckle. Repeat with other main-frame strap.
8. Tighten each main frame strap.

## Securing the Infant

1. Wrap the upper, tan body strap (A) around the infant's chest and fasten the plastic buckle.
2. Wrap the lower, tan body strap (B) around the infant's waist and fasten the buckle. Tighten both body straps.
3. Pull the crotch strap/central buckle up through infant's legs and lay the strap on the infant's abdomen.
4. Thread infant's arms through the red shoulder straps, and buckle each shoulder strap into the central buckle.
5. Thread the shoulder strap on infant's left side through the chest clip and slide the clip to the infant's armpit level.
6. To snug the shoulder/torso straps:
  - a. Pull down on the shoulder strap while steadying the central buckle with your other hand.
  - b. Pull the slack through the central buckle towards the side.
  - c. Repeat with the other shoulder strap.
  - d. Pull the free end of each harness strap through the adjustment tabs to hold the harness lengths to desired snugness throughout the hip and shoulder harnesses.



Refer to the manufacturer's guidelines for complete installation instructions and information on the NeoMate's storage and maintenance.