



1. Product Name

Connect-a-Scooter

2. Product Code

17812 & 20771

3. Colour

Colours may vary according to availability.

4. Brief Description

This scooter is versatile as it can be used on its own or connected to other connect-a-scooters to enable more than one user to enjoy them, or make these long enough length for one user to lie down on them.

5. Contents

1 x Connect-a-Scooter

6. Snoezelen® Stimulations

Vestibular

7. Best Use

- Kneel or sit on the board. Lie prone on one board/connected boards.
- Allow the user to push themselves by reaching the floor.
- A therapist or carer can manoeuvre the board to steer towards an activity or to provide vestibular input.
- This product could be used on an appropriate scooter slope.
- Use with "paddles" or "oars" to move the scooter board around the room and use different muscles and motor co-ordination.

Please note: These instructions are intended to encourage safe, easy and comfortable use of these products by a suitable experienced and qualified person. Provided that safety is always paramount, these instructions for use may be modified according to client need.

8. Compatible ROMPA® Products

ROMPA have a large range of sensory integration products suitable for therapeutic sensory circuits and therapeutic interventions, see www.rompa.com for more information.

There are a variety of items that could enhance the sensory experience depending on the clients' needs. For example, why not combine with other types of sensory input – e.g. create games to "collect" balls from around a room which will encourage the individual to utilise a variety of different skills (e.g. object recognition, hand/eye co-ordination/problem solving etc. Enhance visual input by using light up balls, textured ones, ones that have audible input or perhaps have olfactory value see www.rompa.com.

9. Starting Up

- Take product out of box.
- Check item has not been damaged in transit in any way before use (call ROMPA if there are any problems)
- Decide how the item is to be used (see best use section), individually, in pairs or in multiples connected firmly together.

10. <u>Detailed Description</u>

- Features tongue and groove interlocking edges allowing scooters to be joined together in a "train"
- The Connect-a-Scooter has robust safety handles to keep users in position and hands away from the wheels.
- Multiple use encourages communication between individuals and interrelated movements to successfully propel a group forward, backward, sideways or from a pivot point.

11. Safety

- Only to be used under qualified supervision, and use must be supervised at ALL times.
- Users must not stand on the board.
- Keep fingers away from the wheels when propelling the scooter.
- Use on a flat, stable surface unless specifically using on a compatible scooter slope.
- Store in a dry, safe place out of reach.
- It is the customer's responsibility to ensure that all safety equipment is used with this product including mats of an appropriate thickness and helmets.

12. <u>Technical Specification</u>

- 30.5cm x 30.5cm
- High-impact plastic board platforms.

13. Installation

• If multiple use is preferred, the "tongue & groove" channels connect scooters together by overlapping the channel of one scooter with the tongue end of another and press down. They will remain connected together unless deliberately separated.

14. Care and Maintenance

- Check rollers for free movement.
- Check board for damage
- Wipe with a damp cloth and a mild soap/disinfectant solution. Dry before use.

15. Troubleshooting

N/A

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