



# Buckle Carrier - User's manual



LITTLE FROG



## **IMPORTANT! READ CAREFULLY AND KEEP FOR FUTURE USE & REFERENCES!**

### **WARNINGS:**

- Constantly monitor your child and ensure the mouth and nose are unobstructed.
- For pre-term, low birthweight and children with medical conditions, seek advice from a health professional before using this product.
- Ensure your child's chin is not resting on its chest as its breathing may be restricted which could lead to suffocation.
- To prevent hazards from falling, ensure that your child is securely positioned in the carrier.
- Your balance may be adversely affected by your movement and that of your child.
- Take care when bending or leaning forward or sideways.
- This carrier is not suitable for use during sporting activities.

### **REMEMBER!**

#### **Read all instructions before assembling and using the soft carrier**

- Check to assure all buckles, snaps and adjustments are secure before each use.
- Check for ripped seams, torn straps or fabric and damaged fasteners before each use.
- Stop using the carrier if parts are missing or damaged.
- Ensure proper placement of child in product including leg placement.
- Premature infants, infants with respiratory problems and infants under 4 months are at greater risk of suffocation.
- Never use a soft carrier when balance or mobility is impaired because of exercise, drowsiness, or medical conditions.
- Never use a soft carrier while engaging in activities such as cooking and cleaning which involve a heat source or exposure to chemicals.
- Never wear a soft carrier while driving or being a passenger in a motor vehicle.
- Never use a soft carrier during sport activities e.g. running, cycling, swimming and skiing.
- Be aware of the increased risk of your child falling out of the carrier when becomes more active.
- Until your child sits independently, the panel should cover its back to provide support for the spine along the entire section.
- Never unbuckle the waist belt with the child in the carrier.
- The optimum height for your baby in the carrier is where you can "kiss them on the forehead".
- The panel should reach from one knee pit to the other. It cannot be set too wide or too narrow.
- In the correct position, knees should be placed above the bottom, in the position "M". It is the best position for the development of hip joints.
- Be aware of hazards in domestic environment (heat sources, spilling or hot drinks).
- All washing and care instructions can be found on the carrier (textile label).
- Keep this carrier away from children when it is not in use.

**Prime baby carrier is intended for babies weighing from 4 kg (9 lbs) to 20 kg (45 lbs) and age up to 36 months.**

**XL Toddler Carrier is intended for children from 24 to 98 months, with minimum height 98 cm (3,2 ft).**

**Thank you for choosing Little Frog Prime Carrier. We hope you will enjoy it.**

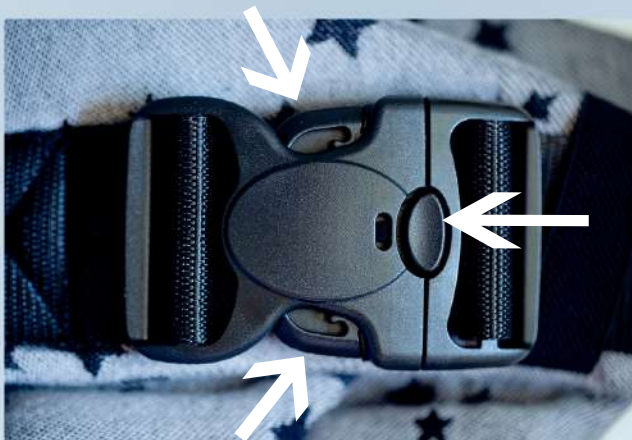
- Before trying out the carrier, read the manual and familiarize yourself with the carrier. Try it first without the baby, in order to learn how the buckles and strap tightening system work. Then, adjust the shoulder straps, waist belt and a panel.
- If possible, stand in the front of a mirror. It will help you with your first attempts.
- We suggest your baby is fed and relaxed before placing them up in the carrier.
- The carrier is something new for the baby, so at the beginning child may fidget and feel unsettled. Talk to them and move/sway, so your baby feels more secure and safe. When the carrier is buckled up and tightened, a short walk is recommended - indoor or outdoor. This movement will help your child get used to the carrier and the new situation.
- Remember, the carrier adds an additional layer of fabric. Consider it, when preparing an outfit for your baby. When it is cold, protect your child's head and feet. However, on sunny days it is good to cover the head against the sun.
- This carrier has been designed for 2 positions: in the front (belly-to-belly) and on the back.

If you don't feel confident putting your child into the carrier on your own, ask someone to help and additional back up.

**REMEMBER - you are responsible for yourself and your child during putting and using this carrier.**

## **FITTING AND ADJUSTING THE CARRIER**

Try fastening and unfastening the buckle on the waist belt. It offers triple protection. To open it, you need to press the side ratchets together with the center button. Every time you put on the carrier, make sure, you hear the characteristic "click" - which means that buckle has been correctly fastened.





## Regulation of shoulder straps

You will find 3 ways to regulate shoulder straps, which makes carrying comfortable for you and your baby.



1. Front regulation - to adapt carrier to your height.
2. Two-side regulation with buckle fasteners.

## Bottom fasteners (only in Prime Carrier)

For newborn and unsitting babies - we recommend to use bottom fasteners, to minimize tightening of fabric on baby's back. You can quickly attach/detach bottom buckles.

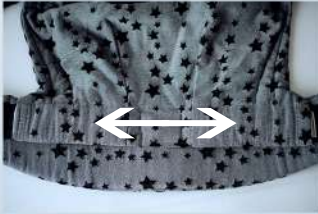


When attaching bottom fastener, make sure, that Velcro is firmly "sticked" to the waist belt. After that, use the snap - for additional protection. Both fasteners should be placed symmetrically on both sides, as a slight angle.



### How to adjust width of panel?

Width of panel should always fit the size of the child, so that it reaches from one knee pit to the other. Adjustment can be found on the waist belt. Unfasten the Velcros located under the panel to widen/narrow, and fasten again.



You will find there textile label with sizes of baby, to help you with widening/narrowing panel symmetrically. These sizes are only reference, so make sure it fits your child.

### How to adjust height of panel?

Use the regulation stripes (on left and right side of panel) to adapt panel to baby's size, by pulling them gently down. When panel is shorter, fold loose fabric.



Top of panel is flexible to suit baby's neck. If needed - use the hood to provide support when the baby falls asleep. You can also detach it easily.



## Front Carry

1.

Before the first use - take a careful look at the carrier and have a go wearing it, without the baby, in order to learn how the buckles and strap tightening system work. Then, adjust the shoulder straps, waist belt, and the panel.

2.

Grab the carrier by the belt and place it at the level of your waist. The height of the belt depends on the child's size and your height. With smaller children, it is recommended to place the belt over your waist - so that the child's head is at the "kiss on the forehead" level. With an older child, it is definitely more comfortable to fasten the belt below your waist, on the hips.

3.



Put the buckle under the protective elastic and fasten it to hear the characteristic "click" (to make sure that it has been fastened correctly).

4.



Pull the band so that the waist belt tightens the waist.

5.

Move the panel forward and make sure it is symmetrical.

6.



Take your child and hug them in the vertical position, just over the panel. The child's legs should be positioned on either side, so the panel reaches from one knee to other.

7.



Hold your child with one hand and the panel with the other hand from the bottom; gently draw the panel over the child's back, from their bottom up to their neck.

8.



When holding your child in the carrier with your left hand, place the shoulder strap over your opposite shoulder.

9.



Repeat from the other side. Keep holding your child until the second strap is on your shoulder.

10.



Fasten the chest-belt at the back, joining both shoulder straps. Adjust it by tightening or loosening it, until you feel the straps lie comfortably on your shoulders.



11.



Now - pulling the straps - adjust shoulder straps so that the panel hugs and draws the baby close to you. The fabric is to support the back of the baby so remember not to leave it too loose.

12.



Finally, check if your child is positioned symmetrically in the carrier (the panel reaches from one knee pit to the other) and if the child's bottom fits into the panel. If not - try to gently move the baby.

13.



In the correct position, knees should be placed above the bottom, in the so-called position "M"

14.



For newborn/unsitting babies - we recommend to use additional bottom fasteners (see: previous page)



## Front Carry - Straps Crossed

This way of carrying distributes the child's weight much better and places less strain on the wearer's back. It is especially recommended for longer walks.

1. Before the first use - take a careful look at the carrier and have a go wearing it, without the baby, in order to learn how the buckles and strap tightening system work. Then, adjust the shoulder straps, waist belt, and the panel.

2. Grab the carrier by the belt and place it at the level of your waist. The height of the belt depends on the child's size and your height. With smaller children, it is recommended to place the belt over your waist - so that the child's head is at the "kiss on the forehead" level. With older child, it is definitely more comfortable to fasten the belt below your waist, on the hips.



Put the buckle under the protective elastic and fasten it to hear the characteristic "click" (to make sure that it has been fastened correctly).



Pull the band so that the waist belt tightens the waist.

5.

The shoulder belts should be unfastened and loosened and the panel should be positioned at the front, symmetrically.



Take your child and hug them in the vertical position, just over the panel. The child's legs should be positioned on either side so the panel reaches from one knee to the other.

Hold your child with one hand and the panel with the other hand from the bottom; gently draw the panel over the child's back, from bottom up to neck.



7.



Holding your child in the carrier with your left hand, place the shoulder strap over your opposite shoulder and fasten the buckle

8.



9.



Repeat with the second strap. Keep holding your child until the second buckle is fastened.

10.



Now – pull the straps down and adjust shoulder belts, so the panel hugs and draws the baby close to you. The fabric is to support the back of the baby, so remember not to leave it too loose

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Finally, check if your child is positioned symmetrically in the carrier (the panel reached from one knee pit to the other) and if the child's bottom fits into the panel. If not – try to gently move the baby.

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In the correct position, knees should be placed above the bottom, in the so-called position "M".

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For newborn/unsitting babies - we recommend to use additional bottom fasteners (see: previous page).

## Back Carry

1. Before the first use - take a careful look at the carrier and have a go wearing it, without the baby, in order to learn how the buckles and strap tightening system work. Then, adjust the shoulder straps, waist belt, and the panel.
2. Grab the carrier by the belt and place it at the level of your waist.

3.



Put the buckle under the protective elastic and fasten it to hear the characteristic “click” (to make sure that it has been fastened correctly).

4.



Pull the band so that the waist belt tightens the waist.

5.



Make sure the panel is located at the back, symmetrically - in the middle of the back.

6.



Put your child on your hip, hold the child's back with your hand.

7.



Lean forward and carefully slide your child on your back, holding baby's back and securing with the other hand.

8.



Place your child symmetrically over the panel (make sure the panel reaches from one knee to the other). Holding your baby with one hand, lift the panel up with the other one (continue leaning at all times). Make sure the panel covers your child's entire back.

9.



Holding your child in the carrier with your right hand, put your left hand in the arm of the shoulder strap.

10.



Repeat from the other side. As long as both straps are not placed on your shoulders, hold the back of your child all the time and remain in the leaning position.

11.



Fasten the chest-belt.

12.



Adjust it by tightening or loosening it, until you feel the straps lie comfortably on your shoulders.

13.



To take the baby out of the carrier, lean forward, supporting your baby with one hand and take off one of the shoulder straps with the other hand. Then hold your baby and slide her/him forward on your hip (from the side where you don't have a shoulder strap on).

## **WARNING!**

### **FALL AND SUFFOCATION HAZARD**

**FALL HAZARD:** Infants can fall through a wide leg opening or out of carrier.

- Adjust legs openings to fit baby's legs snugly.
- Before each use make sure buckles and fasteners are secure.
- Take special care when leaning or walking.
- Never bend at waist; bend at knees.
- Only use this carrier for children between:  
Prime - 4 - 20 kg, (9-45lbs)  
XL Toddler - 10 -30 kg. (22-67 lbs)

**SUFFOCATION HAZARD** - Infants under 4 months can suffocate in this product if face is pressed tight against your body.

- Do not strap infant too tight against your body.
- Allow room for head movement.
- Keep infant's face free from obstruction at all times.

Washing & care instructions:



Use lukewarm water and mild detergent for washing, do not bleach, do not iron, do not use washing machine or tumble dryer

Compliant with:

- EN 13209-2:2016 & CEN/TR 16512:2015 (E)
- ASTM F 2236-16a
- CPSIA

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