

WALKIN' WHEELS MINI FRONT WHEEL ATTACHMENT ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS for the B1

The Walkin' Wheels Front Wheel Attachment gives mobility to dogs with front leg weakness or weakness in all four legs. It is ideal for helping disabled pets get exercise and for rehabilitation while they are healing. Like the rest of the Walkin' Wheels products, the Front Wheel Attachment is adjustable, so it will fit the Walkin' Wheels wheelchair for any size dog from 2 to 10 pounds and can easily be removed at any time.

Note: Your dog's fold of flank rear leg measurement determined the Front Wheel Attachment size you received.

The Front Wheel Attachment is easy to assemble. You won't need any tools.



Preparing Your Rear Mini Wheels for Front Attachment

(This must be done secondly)

1. Remove the rear clamps, leg rings, and front harness from the rear wheelchair.

2. Remove adjustment knob and small washer from the knuckle.

3. Pull out the strut/wheel assembly.

4. Remove both sides of the black round knuckle.

5. Remove the two side extenders and flip them so that the square hole is lined up with the knuckle. Attach the knuckle on each side. (Make sure the line indicators on the side extenders still face outward on each side.) (See Diagram 1)

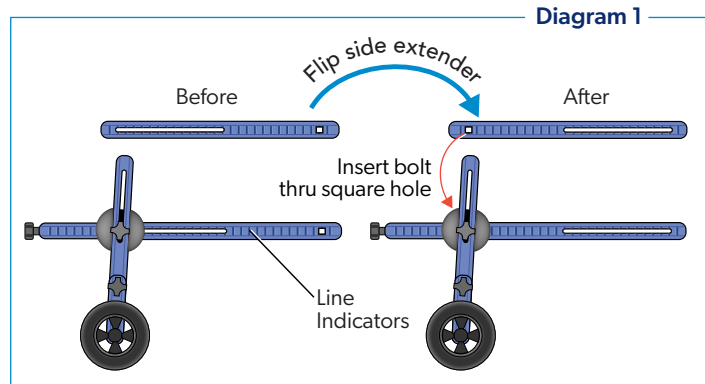
6. Insert the bolt through the middle square hole on the frame and through the side extender square hole.

7. Reinstall the knuckle by placing half of it over the bolt. Make sure the arrow is pointing to front of the wheelchair, teeth on the outside.

8. Attach outside half of knuckle making sure the arrow is pointing upwards, teeth on inside.

9. Insert strut in knuckle at correct height for your dog.

10. Attach washer to bolt then screw on the adjustment knob and tighten.



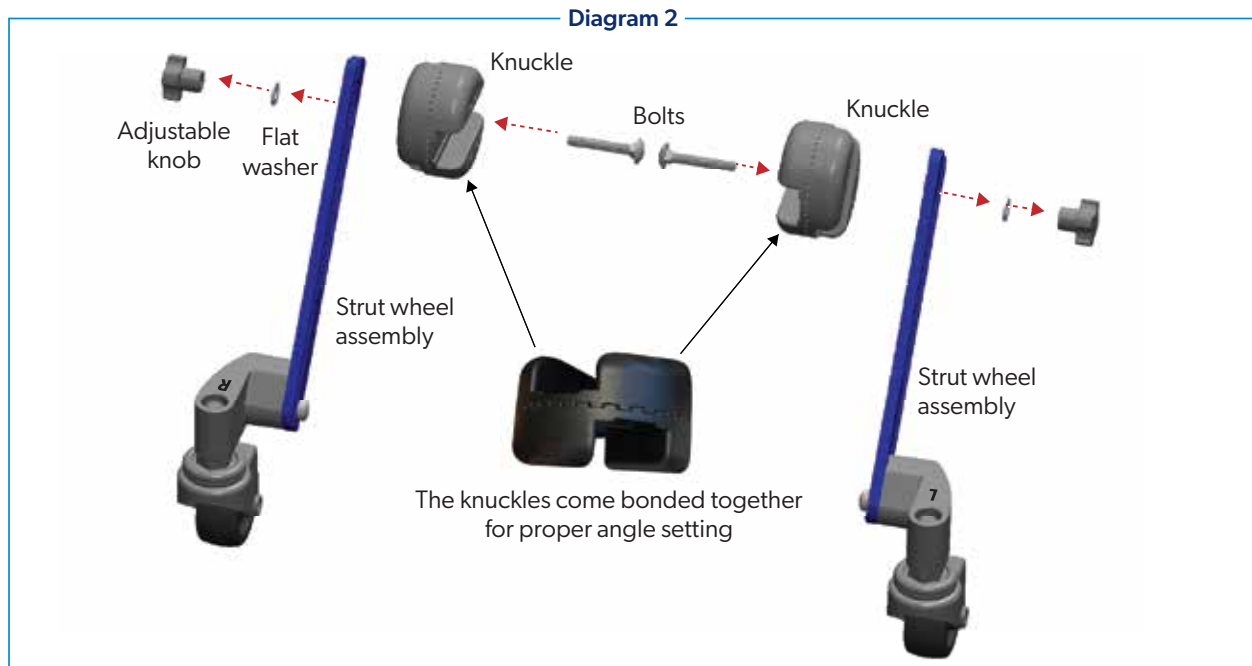
Installing the FRONT Wheels to the Frame

(see Diagram 2)

Note: You won't be using the front harness that came with the rear kit. Instead you will use the Leg Rings that came with the front wheel kit.

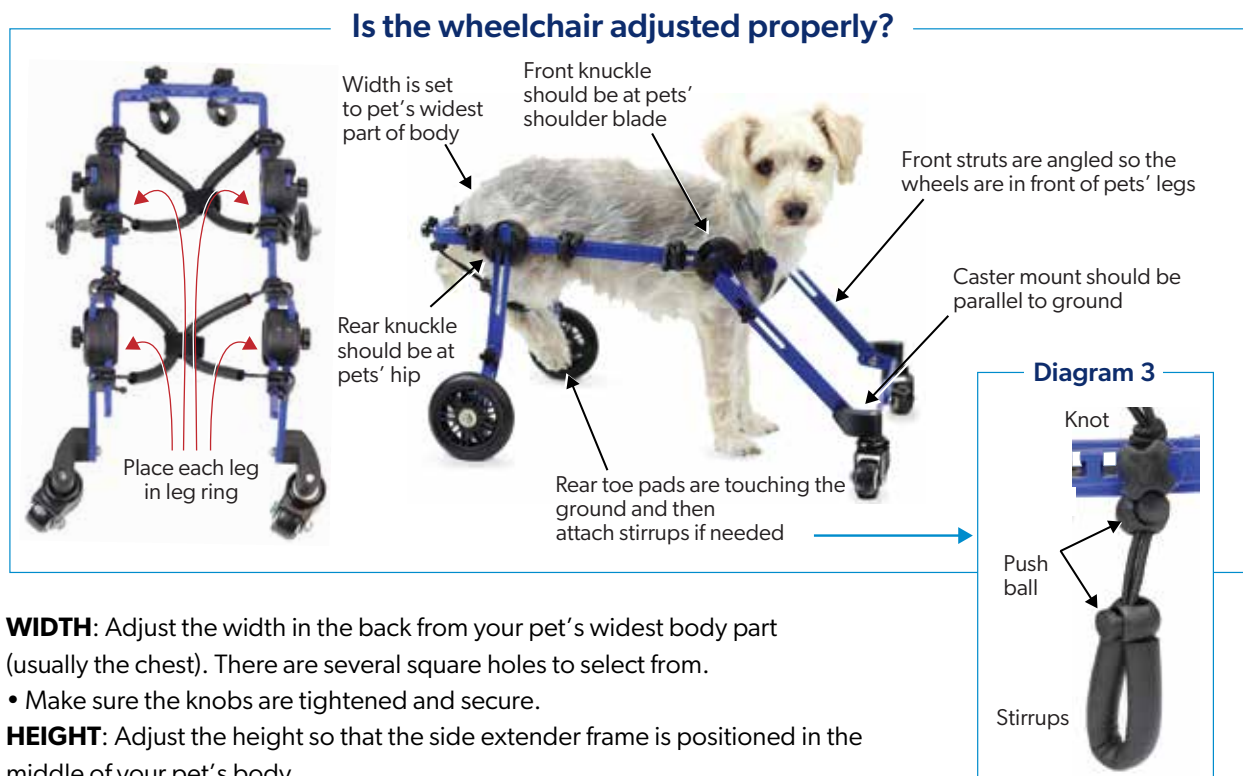
On top of the caster wheels you will see the letter "R" or "L". The "R" is for the dog's right leg, and the "L" is for the dog's left leg.

Please watch instructional video here: hpets.net/mfwa



Installing the FRONT Wheels to the Frame (continued)

1. Remove the adjustment knob and washer on the front knuckle, holding the bonded knuckle together in one piece, remove bolt. Attach knuckle to the side extender open slot approximately 2" from the front end. Keeping the bonded knuckle in one piece, which will insure the correct angle for caster mount and wheel. (caster mount top should always be parallel to ground).
2. Insert bolt through the side extender and knuckle, then attach the front wheel strut so it lines up in the slanted slot on the outside of the black knuckle, then the flat washer and adjustment knob, screw on tightly.
3. Do the same for the other front wheel. Adjust the height so that the side bars would be in the middle of the dog's body and parallel to the ground. Also adjust the side extenders so the dog's front legs line up with front black knuckle.
4. Attach the 8 clamps on both sides of the 4 knuckles with the hole channels on the outside. Shimmy them on the side extenders until it is locked in place. (single clamp, single bar), (double clamp, double bar)
5. Attach the front and rear leg rings by threading the leg ring wire down through each of the leg ring clamp channels, and then wrapping the wire up and around the frame to secure it. Front leg rings should hang slightly lower than rear leg rings to accommodate the dog's chest.



WIDTH: Adjust the width in the back from your pet's widest body part (usually the chest). There are several square holes to select from.

- Make sure the knobs are tightened and secure.

HEIGHT: Adjust the height so that the side extender frame is positioned in the middle of your pet's body.

- The paws should be touching the ground
- Knobs should be tightened to secure the strut to the frame.
- The leg rings should hang down about 3" below the blue frame like a seat, with the connector piece holding the two soft tubes together. Front leg ring will be slightly lower than the rear one.

LENGTH: Adjust the length by loosening the knob on the front knuckle and sliding the knuckle to the correct position. Each leg ring wire will be close to the black knuckle on each side.

- Your pet's front legs will be lined up with the black knuckles in the front and rear.

STIRRUPS: If your dog's rear legs are paralyzed, you will need to use the stirrups to hold the feet up so they don't drag on the ground.

- Secure the end with the knot over the adjustable knob and tighten with the push button to hold it tightly. (see Diagram 3, above)

If you are still unsure about the fit, please email rear and side view photographs of your pet in the wheelchair to: helpme@walkinpets.com. Remember to put your order number on the subject line!