# STOKKE® **PIPA**™ by Nuna CAR SEAT

**USER GUIDE** 





# **IMPORTANT! KEEP THESE INSTRUCTIONS** FOR FUTURE REFERENCE: READ CAREFULLY

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### Product Information

Model Number:	 	
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### **Product Registration**

Please fill in the above information. The model number and the manufactured in date are located on a label on the bottom of your child restraint. Fill out the prepaid registration postcard attached to the seat pad and mail it today.

Child restraints could be recalled for safety reasons. You must register this restraint to be reached in a recall. Send your name, address, e-mail address if available and the Child Restraint's model number and manufacturing date to:

Nuna Baby Essentials Inc. 70 Thousand Oaks Blvd. Morgantown, PA 19543 or call 1.855.NUNA.USA or register online at: www.nuna.eu/register-car-seat

#### Recall Information

For recall information, call the U.S. Government's Vehicle Safety Hotline at:

1.888.327.4236 (TTY: 1.800.424.9153) or go to http://www.NHTSA.gov

#### Warranty

We have purposely designed our high-quality products so that they can grow with both your child and your family. Because we stand by our product, our gear is covered by a custom warranty per product, starting from the day it was purchased. Please have the proof of purchase, model number and manufactured in date available when you contact us.

For warranty information please visit: www.nuna.eu/warranty

#### Contact

For replacement parts, service, or additional warranty questions, please contact our customer service department.

In the USA:

infousa@nuna.eu

www.nuna.eu

1.855.NUNA.USA

### **Child Usage Requirements**

This child restraint is suitable for use with children who meet the following requirements:

Weight: 4 to 32 lbs (2 to 14.5 kg)

Height: less than 32 inches (81 cm)

It is recommended to keep your child rear facing as long as possible, until at least 2 years old.

## 🕰 WARNING

Failure to follow these warnings, instructions and labels on the child restraint could result in serious injury or death.

- A child's safety is your responsibility. **NEVER** leave your child unattended.
- Read all instructions before use of this child restraint or installation in a vehicle. In addition, read the vehicle owner's manual for information on child restraint installation.
- Use the bottom of the base for storage of the instruction manual.
- Register your child restraint with the manufacturer.
- This child restraint can ONLY be used in a rear facing position when using in a vehicle.
- The child restraint cannot be properly secured in a forward facing position, and will be unsafe. Use only with children who weigh between 4 and 32 pounds (2 and 14.5 kg) and whose height is 32 inches (81 cm) or less. Exceeding these height and weight limits is unsafe.
- Cover the child restraint when your vehicle is parked in sunlight. Parts of a child restraint can become very hot if left in the sun, and can burn a child's skin. Check for hot parts before putting your child in the child restraint.
- Secure this child restraint with the vehicle's child restraint anchorage system if available, or with a vehicle belt.
- Replace this child restraint if it has been involved in a crash, even if it was minor and there appears to be no damage to the child restraint.
- Snugly adjust the belts provided with this child restraint around your child. If straps are not snugly adjusted, child may be ejected from seat in the event of an accident.
- A snug strap should not allow any slack. It lies in a relatively straight line without sagging. It does not press on the child's flesh or push the child's body into an unnatural position.

- **EXPIRATION DATE** Check the label on the underside of the base or child restraint for expiration date information.
- FALL HAZARD Child's activity can move carrier. NEVER place carrier on counter tops, tables, or any other elevated surface. Always stay within arm's reach whenever carrier is not on floor/ground. Be sure handle locks into position before lifting carrier.
- STRANGULATION HAZARD Children have strangled in loose or partially buckled harness straps. Fully restrain the child even when carrier is used outside the vehicle. ALWAYS use the harness cover and secure the harness cover between seat and attachment bars.
- SUFFOCATION HAZARD Infant carrier can roll over on soft surfaces and suffocate child. Never place carrier on beds, sofas, or other soft surfaces.
- ALWAYS check child restraint to base connection.
- ALWAYS check child restraint to Stokke stroller frame connection.
- DO NOT allow anyone who has not read the instruction manual to install
  or use this child restraint.
- **DO NOT** allow child restraint or handle to contact the vehicle interior (side of car door or seat in front) when installed on base.
- DO NOT use child restraint if it has frayed or cut harness straps, or is damaged in any way. To find out if damaged parts are replaceable, call 1-855-NUNA-USA.
- DO NOT use any products or accessories with this child restraint unless
  they are approved by Nuna for use with this child restraint. Doing so may
  be unsafe and may void the warranty.
- DO NOT leave child restraint and base in vehicle when uninstalled, even when unoccupied. In a crash, it could become a projectile and injure other vehicle occupants.
- **NEVER** modify any part of the child restraint.
- NEVER use clothing or blankets that interfere with providing a properly tightened harness. An unsecured or improperly harnessed child can come out of the restraint during a crash. Place blankets over child AFTER harness has been properly tightened.

• **NEVER** place carrier on top of a shopping cart. Carrier will not be properly secured and could fall.

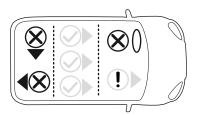


• **NEVER** lift the infant carrier by the handle when attached to the Stokke stroller frame.

#### Vehicle Compatibility

You MUST read and understand ALL child restraint related instructions and warnings in your vehicle owner's manual to correctly and safely use this child restraint in your vehicle.

This child restraint can ONLY be installed on vehicle seats that face forward. DO NOT install in seats that face to the sides or rear of the vehicle.





**NEVER** install this child restraint rear facing in a vehicle seating position with a frontal air bag unless it is turned off. Airbags inflate with great force and can cause severe injury to a child's neck and spine. If your vehicle is equipped with passenger side air bags, check your vehicle owner's manual for child restraint installation instructions.

According to accident statistics, children are safer when properly restrained in the rear seating positions than in the front seating positions.

Refer to your vehicle owner's manual to determine if the belts in your vehicle lock by switching the seat belt's retractor OR if they have a locking latch plate that locks the vehicle's seat belt so they will hold the child restraint tightly without loosening.

Vehicle belts that **CANNOT BE USED** with your child restraint:

1 Motorized Belts (Automatic)

These should not be used unless the shoulder belt can be removed, the lap belt is locked and use is allowed by the vehicle manufacturer.

(2) Dual Retractor Lap/Shoulder Belts

If allowed by the manufacturer, the lap belt only may be used to secure the child restraint in accordance with this manual and the vehicle owner's manual.

(3) Non-Locking (ELR) Lap Belts

This belt locks in a crash or sudden stop and should only be used with a belt shortening clip. Contact your vehicle manufacturer if needed.

(4) Airbag/Inflatable Belts

This belt cannot be used to install this child restraint.

(5) Door Mounted Belts

This belt cannot be used to install this child restraint.

(6) Lap Belts forward of Seat Bight

This belt (Where the seat bottom and seat back meet) should not be used to install this Child Restraint.









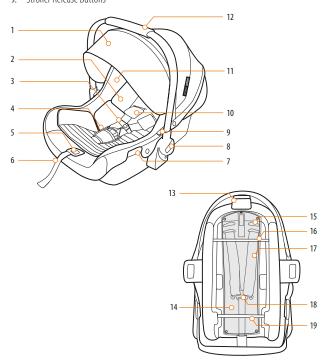




### Parts List

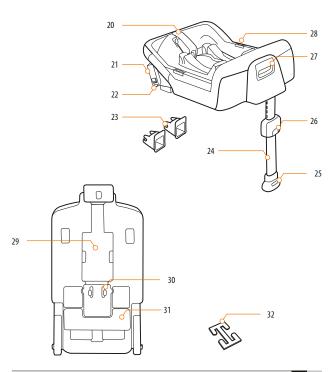
- 1. Canopy
- 2. Infant Insert
- 3. Chest Clip
- 4. Buckle and Crotch Belt
- 5. Adjuster Button
- 6. Adjuster Strap
- 7. Lap Belt Guides
- 8. Handle Button
- 9. Stroller Release Buttons

- 10. Shoulder Pads
- 11. Seat Cover
- 12. Handle
- 13. Shoulder Belt Guide
- 14. Harness Cover (mesh)
- 15. Harness Slots
- 16. Base Attachment Bar
- 17. Harness Straps
- 18. Splitter Plate
- 19. Base Attachment Bar



- 20. Lock Off
- 21. Rigid LATCH (lower attachments)
- 22. Secondary Rigid LATCH Release Button
- 23. Rigid LATCH Guides
- 24. Stability Leg
- 25. Stability Leg Indicator
- 26. Stability Leg Adjust Button
- 27. Carrier Release Button
- 28. Bubble Indicator

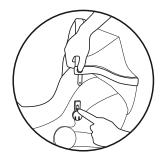
- 29. Instruction Manual Storage
- 30. Stability Leg Storage
- 31. Recline Adjustment
- 32. Locking Clip



### Product Overview

### Canopy

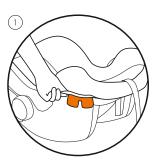
• To remove the canopy, press the button in the canopy mount and pull the canopy bow out.



#### Seat Pad

1. Pull the fastening pieces underneath the edge of the seat out.

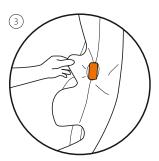
The best way to work this area (as some seat pads feel more tight in this area than others) is to pull the fabric towards the front of the seat at one corner. Once you have one corner out, you can easily work the other side out.



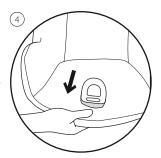
2. Remove the harness from the splitter plate.



3. Remove the seat pad from the stroller release buttons as shown.



4. Grasp the seat pad at the bottom of the adjuster button as shown and pull the seat pad out from under one edge of the adjuster button. Work around the adjuster button to release the remainder of the seat pad.



### **Shoulder Pads**

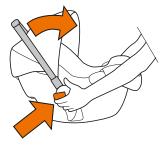
 Shoulder pads are removable and are not necessary for safety.



### Handle Adjustment



- The carrier handle can be adjusted to 3 positions.
- To adjust the handle position, squeeze handle buttons on both sides.
- Rotate handle until it clicks into any of the 3 positions. Handle can be used in vehicle in any locked position.

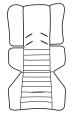


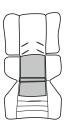


lack A Be sure handle is locked in the carry position before lifting carrier by handle. An unlocked handle could move unexpectedly, causing injury to child. Handle MUST NOT contact the vehicle interior when installed.

#### Infant Insert

The infant insert can be used as necessary
to provide a snug fit for small babies. The
low birth weight pillow (shown in grey)
can be used in the infant insert for even
smaller babies, but should be removed
once a snug fit can be achieved without it,
at approximately 11lbs.





#### **Shoulder Belts**

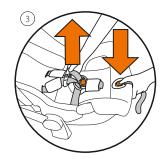
 Tighten harness to fit snugly on child's shoulders. It is snug if you cannot pinch a fold in the strap.



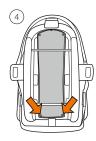
Harness straps must be at or just below shoulders.

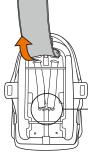


3. To adjust shoulder harness height, remove child and loosen harness.



4. Turn child restraint over and unsnap harness cover.





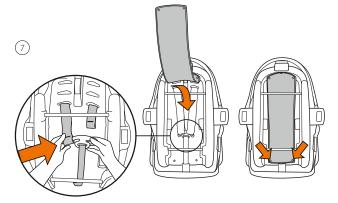


- 5. Remove one harness loop from metal splitter plate.
- 6. Pull loose ends of harness out through slots and place in correct slot.



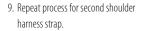
### A STRANGULATION HAZARD:

Child can strangle in loose harness straps. Always use this harness cover. Avoid improper attachment to base: ALWAYS secure harness cover between seat and attachment bars.



7. Re-attach harness loops to splitter plate and fasten harness cover.

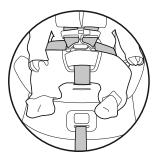




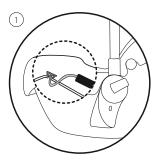


### Crotch Belt

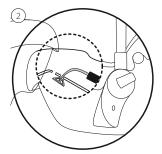
 Identify crotch belt slot that will achieve a snug fit. Three crotch belt positions are provided to achieve a snug fit as your baby grows. Change crotch belt slot as necessary.



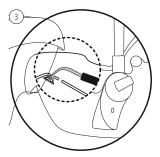
1. The position shown provides the smallest fit. Crotch belt is threaded through rear slot and up through front slot as shown.



2. This position provides a medium fit. Crotch belt is threaded into rear slot as shown.



This position provides the largest fit. Crotch belt is threaded through front slot as shown.



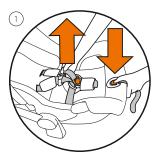
### Product Use

Top of child's head is at least 1" below top of child restraint.

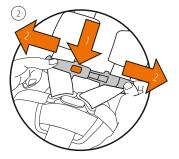


### Securing Child in Child Restraint

1. Loosen harness by pressing on adjuster button while pulling on the harness straps.



Press button to release the buckles. Separate chest clip and spread harness straps apart.





3. Place child in child restraint in seated position. The child should be seated against both the back and bottom of the seat with no gap behind the child. Do not allow child to slouch. Gently guide child's arms through harness loops.



- 4. Insert buckle tongues into buckle.
- 5. Listen for clicks. Pull on buckle to verify it is latched.
- 6. Snap the chest clip together and temporarily slide towards buckle for tightening of harness.

7. Tighten harness by pulling on the adjuster strap. Pull any excess harness webbing through the buckle towards the child's shoulders and pull on the adjuster strap. This may need to be repeated several times for proper fit.

Verify that the harness is snug around the child's waist and shoulders.



8. Position the chest clip so it is at child's armpit level.



#### Check that child is secure

- a) Buckle is fastened.
- b) Harness straps are not twisted.
- c) Harness is snug A snug harness cannot be pinched, and should not allow any slack.
- d) Chest clip is level with armpits.

Harness straps must be at or just below child's shoulders to avoid injury. If harness slots need to be moved, see Shoulder Belts section.



Make sure that nothing interferes with the harness. Make sure harness is snug around child and lays flat. Serious injury or death could occur to a child that is not secured properly.



If child is not secured properly, child could be ejected in a sudden stop or crash, resulting in serious injury or death.

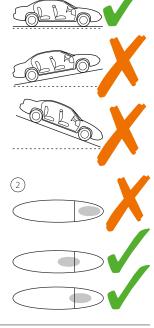
### Installation

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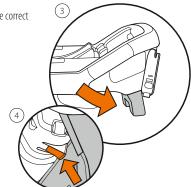
### Base Installation Using Rigid LATCH (Lower Attachments)

1. Place vehicle in park and on level ground.

2. Position base in a forward facing vehicle seat. Use recline adjustment to position bubble in indicator. Adjust base so bubble touches line.



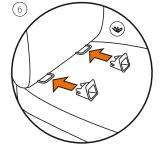
- 3. Use recline adjustment to achieve correct angle for installation. Recline adjustment locks into position.
- 4. To release press down on lock button.



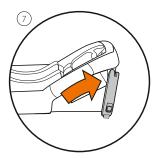
5. When installing with the base, additional stability can be achieved by using the stability leg. For instructions on using the stability leg when installing the base, see stability leg section.



If necessary, install plastic connector guides on vehicle LATCH lower anchor bars.



7. Rotate Rigid LATCH (lower attachments) down.



The Rigid LATCH (lower attachments) must be attached and locked onto the vehicle anchor points.

8. Hook Rigid LATCH onto vehicle I ATCH lower anchor hars

9. Confirm proper installation by pulling on the base AND also seeing that green is indicated on the connectors...

### Check Installation

- Base should not move side to side or forward more than 1" at belt path.
- · Bubble must be touching line. Use recline adjustment, if needed, to position bubble
- It is acceptable to install with both LATCH (lower attachments) and the vehicle belt.

### Attaching Child Restraint to Base

1. After child is properly secured in child restraint, press child restraint on base and listen for a click. Pull on child restraint to verify installation.



**A** DO NOT allow child restraint to contact the vehicle interior (side of car or seat in front) when installed.

2. To release the child restraint, squeeze the car seat release button (1) located on the base, while pulling the child restraint up (2).



1. To remove the base, first push the base toward the vehicle seat with a light force.



2. As you push the base toward the vehicle seat, squeeze the Secondary (1) and Primary Rigid LATCH Release Buttons (2). \*For ease of release, push the secondary button first, then the primary button.

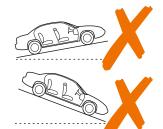


Then pull the base off of the lower anchor bars.



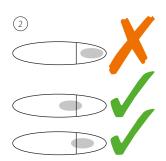
### Installation Using Lap & Lap/Shoulder Belt





1. Place vehicle in park and on level ground.

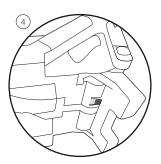
Position base in a forward facing vehicle seat. Use recline adjustment to position bubble in indicator. Adjust base so bubble touches line.



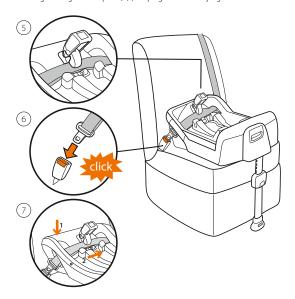
3. Use recline adjustment, if needed, to achieve correct angle for installation.



4. Recline adjustment locks into position. To release press down on lock button. When installing with the base, additional stability can be achieved by using the stability leg. For instructions on using the stability leg when installing the base, see Stability Leg section.



- 5. Route the vehicle belt through the opening in the base labeled 'belt here'.
- Buckle the vehicle belt. Both the shoulder AND lap belt must be under the white lock off and belts must lay flat.
- 7. While pressing the base into the vehicle seat (1), tighten the vehicle belt by pulling straight along the belt path (2), keeping both belts laying flat in the lock off.



8. While the shoulder belt is tight, hook the bottom of orange lock off and press to close the lock off on the shoulder and lap belt. If vehicle only has a lap belt, then put lap belt under white lock off.



#### Check Installation

- · Belts must be tight.
- Base should not move side to side more than 1" at belt path
- Bubble must be touching line.
- Belts and buckles must not interfere with attachment of carrier to base.
- Vehicle belts must lay flat under lock off.
- · It is acceptable to install with both LATCH (lower attachments) and the vehicle helt

· After child is properly secured in carrier, press carrier on base and listen for a click. Pull on carrier to verify proper installation.





DO NOT allow child restraint to contact the vehicle door or seat in front of it.

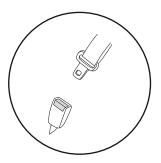
• To release the child restraint, squeeze the car seat release button (1) located on the base, while pulling the child restraint up (2).



• To remove the base, lift up on the lock off.



 Unbuckle the vehicle belt and un-route the shoulder and lap belt from the base. Then remove the base.



### Stability Leg

- Refer to vehicle owner's manual to determine if stability leg can be used over the vehicle storage compartment.
- Do not use if stability leg lifts base off seat.

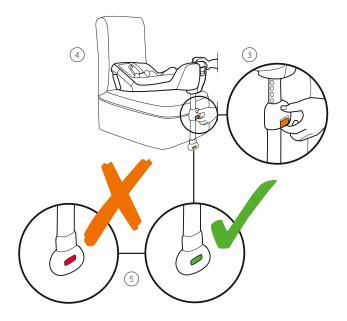
1. Unfold the stability leg from storage compartment.



2. Do not use if stability leg lifts base off seat.



Do not use stability leg to recline the base. The recline adjustment feature is meant to recline the base. Always store stability leg when not in use.



- 3. After correctly installing the base on the vehicle seat, press the stability leg adjust button to extend the stability leg to the floor.
- 4. Stability leg should make firm contact with the vehicle floor.
- 5. Indicators should show green.



Mhen the stability leg indicator shows red this means the stability leg is in the wrong position. Make sure the stability leg is secure and makes firm contact with the vehicle floor. The stability leg indicator shows green when it is properly contacting the floor of the vehicle

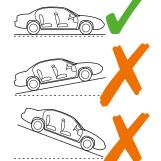
The stability leg has 12 positions.

This seat is safe to use with stability leg in use or stored for both rigid LATCH or vehicle helt installation

### Child Restraint Only Install

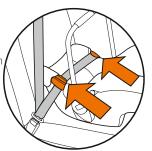
This child restraint can be installed without a base in 3 different ways.

• Place vehicle in park and on level ground. Position carrier so that child is facing the rear of the vehicle.



Only install in a forward facing vehicle seat.

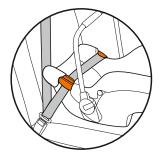
• Option 1: Route the vehicle lap belt under both lap belt guides and buckle the vehicle belt. Allow shoulder belt to lay against vehicle seat back as shown.



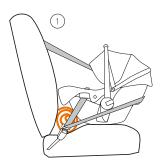
 Option 2: Route the shoulder belt around the back of the child restraint passing through the blue shoulder belt guide.



• Option 3: If your vehicle does not have a shoulder belt, the lap belt only can be used.



- Adjust the angle of the child restraint. A rolled up towel or foam pool noodle may be used to help adjust the amount of recline.
- 2. Angle is correct when blue line on child restraint (located on the label on the side of the child restraint) is level with ground.





 Tighten vehicle belt while pushing child restraint firmly into vehicle seat. Lock the vehicle belt. Refer to vehicle owner's manual for instructions. If you cannot lock the vehicle belt, you must use the provided locking clip. Tension the vehicle belt as much as possible, checking that it is not loose or twisted.

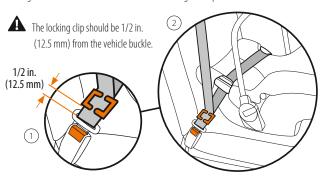


#### Check Installation

- Blue line must be level with ground.
- Vehicle belt must be buckled, tight and must stay locked.
- Child restraint should be stable and not move side to side more than 1 inch at belt path.

### Locking Clip Use

- If you determine that you need to use a locking clip, tighten the buckled belt by pushing down hard on the infant child restraint and pulling hard on the shoulder belt.
- While pushing down on child restraint, pinch the two straps together behind the buckle tongue. Unbuckle the vehicle belt without allowing it to slip.



- 1. Connect lap and shoulder belts with locking clip.
- Reroute vehicle belt if necessary. Check that lap belt does not move by pulling and pushing hard on infant restraint. If belt loosens or lengthens, repeat procedure.

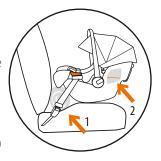
#### Installation in an Aircraft

• Position child restraint so that child is facing the aircraft seat back.

1. Route the aircraft lap belt under both lap belt guides and buckle.



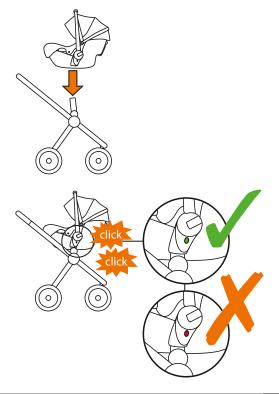
- 2. Adjust the angle of the carrier. A rolled up towel or foam pool noodle may be used to help adjust the amount of recline. The angle is correct when the blue line is level with the floor of the aircraft.
- · Tighten the aircraft belt while pushing the carrier firmly into the seat.
- · When installing in an airplane using a base, follow the instructions for vehicle installation with a base using lap belt only.



This child restraint is certified for use in commercial aircraft with or without the base. Be sure to contact your airline prior to travel to discuss their Child Restraint use policy.

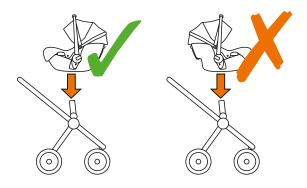
#### Installation on a Stroller

- Align the infant carrier attachment housings above the stroller attachment arms and move straight down, click (2x)! Green dots on both sides indicate that the infant carrier is properly fastened.
- The Stokke® PIPA™ by Nuna can only be used on the following strollers: Stokke® Xplory®, Stokke® Crusi™, Stokke® Scoot™ (only from serial no 118AA0040583) and Stokke® Trailz™.



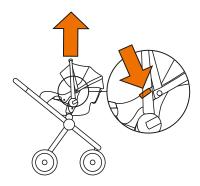
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The car infant carrier should always be facing the parent.



### Removing from a Stroller

- Move the carrying handle into carrying position.
- Push the stroller release buttons down at both sides while lifting the infant carrier vertically from the stroller.



### Cleaning and Maintenance

- Refer to the care label attached to the soft goods for washing and drying instructions.
- DO NOT attempt to remove the foam under the seat pad.
- Use only mild detergent, water and a soft cloth to clean the infant carrier shell, handle and harness straps. Air dry.
- To clean the buckle: rinse using warm water. DO NOT use any soaps, solvents or lubricants. Using anything other than water can cause the buckle to malfunction. Air dry.
- Remove the child restraint from the vehicle seat if not in use for a long period of time. Put
  the infant carrier in a cool, dry place and somewhere your child cannot access it.
- It is normal for fabric to color from sunlight and to show wear and tear after a long period
  of use, even when used normally.
- Check regularly if everything functions properly. If any parts are torn, broken, or missing, stop using this product.

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