

Safety and Product Care Instructions, Safety and Product Care

Please read this information carefully before using your Floatsation product and retain for future reference as of 06/10/2020. Please check the web site to see if this has been updated.

Floatsation is a device to enable everyone to enjoy floating on water and at the same time developing aquatic skills while in the water. It is not a swim device.

The following should always be observed.

It's is recommended that this device should be used in conjunction with appropriately qualified staff.

How to use Floatsation.

Getting on

- This device has been designed to be used on the surface of water only; it should first be placed in the water before anyone gets on it.
- Then holding onto the device the person should either be placed on it or it can be slipped under the person with help from others.
- You can also get on it by just pulling it down under you and laying back on it.
- **Floatsation Bath Aid** – if using this device in a bath/hot tub then please ensure that the unit is floating in the water before anyone gets on it. Do not get on this unit with no water under it.

Getting Off

- The people can either sit-up and allow the device to support them in a sitting position before standing or being helped to stand.
- The person can be hosted direct off the Floatsation Aid with the use of a sling being placed between them and the Floatsation aid.
- You can-not host them on the Floatsation Aid into the air.
- Floatsation Aid are not Slings.
- The device can then be held on to enable them to use it as a steadying device before moving away.

Training:

To get the best use out of Floatsation then it is recommended that you book on to a Floatsation Training course which is CPD linked as well. For more information on Floatsation training course then please go to our web site <https://floatsation.com/product/floatsation-training-courses>.

Moving and Handling/Health and Safety:

- Floatsation should not be used as a moving, lifting or handling device in or out of water.
- Floatsation devices should be rinsed in clean water after use. If you feel it necessary, a Micobacterial solution can be used for a higher level of hygiene
- All ways allow the Floatsation Aid to dry **Thoroughly** before storing to avoid any build- up of mildew or mould which could lead to discolouration.



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Floatsation is a completely unique swimming aid.

Follow these instructions to avoid drowning or potentially serious injury.

- Enjoy safely. The Floatsation product is not a lifesaving device.
- Use only in shallow water, within the depth of the user. Never use in open water.
- For use under supervision by a trained adult.
- Never allow diving/jumping onto this product.
- Do not leave in or near water when not in use.
- To be used in water only. Avoid contact with hard or abrasive surfaces which may damage the unit.
- Never store any items on top of the unit.

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BEFORE EACH USE please complete the following checks:

- Make sure the netting and all stitching is intact, with no loose threads or abrasions.
- Make sure the balls are free from holes, cracks or indentations.
- Make sure no foreign items are lodged on or within Floatsation.

DURING USE please be aware of the following:

- Users of Floatsation must be supervised by a trained adult at all times. It should be recognised that every user is individual and the method of use of the product will depend on the needs and abilities of the individual. Use of the product should always be in accordance with the advice of trained personnel.
- Special care and attention should be exercised when lifting users on and off the unit, or when any user adopts the 'face down' position on the product.
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AFTER USE please follow these instructions to prolong the life of your unit.

- Rinse the product carefully under a cold shower to remove all chemicals. Floatsation devices should be rinsed in clean water after use. If you feel it necessary, a **Micobacterial solution** can be used for a higher level of hygiene.
- Allow to drain before storing in any bag or container. Place a towel in the bottom of any container to absorb excess moisture during transit.



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24-month Warranty

- The Floatsation devices carry a 24-month Guarantee from date of order against manufacturing defects when used in accordance with these instructions.

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- **Confidence**
 - **Increase Self Esteem**
 - **Independence**
 - **Aquatic Skills**
 - **Water awareness**
 - **Spatial awareness**
 - **Team Skills**
 - **Relaxation in water**
 - **General relaxation**
 - **Safe exercise in water for all abilities and ages**
- Designed for**
- **SAFETY**
 - **STABILITY**
 - **FUN FOR ALL**
 - **EXERCISE**
 - **RELAXATION**
 - **THERAPY**
 - **ALL ABILITIES**
 - **ALL AGES**

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