Rollz Motion Electric – Travel Guidance

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CE conformity

The Rollz Motion Electric fulfils the requirements of the EU-Directive 93/42 EEC for medical devices. Based on the classification rules set out in Attachment IX of this directive, the product is classified into class I. The declaration of conformity has been done under the own responsibility of Rollz-International BV based on the Attachment VII of this directive.

International standards

The Rollz Motion Electric is certified as a rollator according to ISO standard 11199-2:2005. The Rollz Motion Electric is also certified as a wheelchair in accordance with ISO standard 7176-8: 2014 (Cor. 2015-09). The Rollz Motion Electric is certified as a class A electric wheelchair in accordance with ISO 12184:2014. The battery of the Rollz Motion Electric is certified as passenger travel safe according to UN38.3.

Flight regulations for electrical aids

Traveling with the Rollz Motion Electric is possible, but due to the battery of the Rollz Motion Electric you must take a few safety precautions into account. A battery qualifies as dangerous goods, which means that it must be handled with care. This guide describes a step by step process of important information for traveling with the Rollz Motion Electric by air.

It is important to mention that within the European Union; airlines, tour operators and airports are required by law to assist people with reduced mobility to make normal use of the air travel systems, provided this can be done safely.

Please first read this document and follow all the steps listed to prepare for air travel with the Rollz Motion Electric.

The battery pack

The main reason for the stricter flight procedures is because of the battery system. The Rollz Motion Electric makes use of Lithium-Ion batteries (Figure 1) with a capacity of 288 watt-hour. The battery used in the Rollz Motion Electric is UN38.3 certified (Figure 2), meaning that they are safe to be transported by passenger airplanes. The full certificate can be downloaded from our website (Table 1 contains references).



Figure 1: Rollz Motion Electric Battery pack



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Model/Type reference/型号:	BBS-2412-2	
Ratings/规格:	24V 42Ab 200M/b	

Figure 2: Front page of the Rollz Motion Electric UN38.3 certificate

Register the Rollz Motion Electric

To go on a flight with an electrical aid, you must always first contact the company through which you booked the trip. This concerns the airline, the tour operator, or the travel agency. Together you will walk through the registering process, and they will take the necessary steps to inform the airport authorities of your request.

Make sure to have the correct information about the Rollz Motion Electric ready, like table below and the certificate for safe transport ready (see table for reference).

Table 1

Table 1	
Important information about travelling with the Rollz Motion Electric	
Required data	Rollz Electric Specifications
Manufacturer	Rollz International
Model version	Rollz Motion Electric
Special Service Request code	WCLB
Contains a battery	Yes
Battery type	Lithium-lon
Battery power	288 Wh (watt-hours)
Battery designed for disconnection	Yes
Total weight mobility aid	26 kg (excluding accessories)
Foldable	Yes
Dimensions (folded)	71 x 44 x 90 cm (d x b x h)
Dimensions (unfolded without parts)	110 x 74 x 91-96 cm (d x b x h)
Removable or adjustable parts	Yes: footrests, joystick, push support controller, seat,
	battery & possible purchased accessories.
User manual	
UN38.3 certificate	

It is mandatory to register traveling with your Rollz Motion Electric at least 48 hours before the flight. If you fail to do so and report it after the 48 hour deadline, there is little chance that the Rollz Motion Electric will be accepted on the flight.



Please note that only a limited amount of (electrical) aids can be taken on each flight. The earlier you register, the higher the chances for a place for your Rollz Motion Electric.

The specific procedures differ by airlines. To be fully prepared for your trip, always consult their website. When registering the Rollz Motion Electric by phone, always ask what is expected of you upon arrival at the airport.

Preparations before leaving to the airport

Before departing to the airport, it is important to have several products and documents ready. If you're traveling with the Rollz Motion Electric for the first time, you may need to purchase some parts in advance, so make sure to allow enough time for this. The necessary products and documents include:

- Information or documents you received when registering your device. This differs per airline.
- Rollz Motion Electric Manual (either online or physical).
- Rollz Motion Electric Travel Guidance (either online or physical).
- UN 3480 certificate (either online or physical).

Depending on the airline, you may need to bring the following accessories (check beforehand):

- Travel cover or any other protective cover.
- Connector caps or non-conductive tape.
- Travel bag to store loose parts.
- Lithium-ion battery safety bag.

Airport procedure

You may need to arrive at the airport earlier than usual due to special procedure. This provides the staff at the check-in counter enough time to assist you in the process. Check the website of your airline or contact the company where you booked the trip.

Upon arrival at the airport, you will need to hand in the Rollz Motion Electric at the check-in desk of the airline. Depending on the flight you may be asked to check-in the Rollz Motion Electric or take it with you to the airplane. You may be asked to prepare your Rollz Motion electric for travel yourself, or to assist airport staff in getting it ready for travel.

Follow the steps below to prepare the Rollz Motion Electric for travel.

Disconnecting and putting away the battery

Turn off the system, apply the parking brake, do not have a person seated in the wheelchair and position the Rollz Motion Electric on a flat surface before removing the battery.

Find the battery cable and disconnect the battery cable by turning the metal ring on the connector anticlockwise. You can find the battery cable in the basket under the seat. After disconnecting the cable you can unwrap the Velcro strips to take out the battery (Figure 3).

When you have removed the battery from the Rollz Motion Electric, you will have to depolarize the connectors by using insulating tape. Afterwards put the battery in a protective bag.

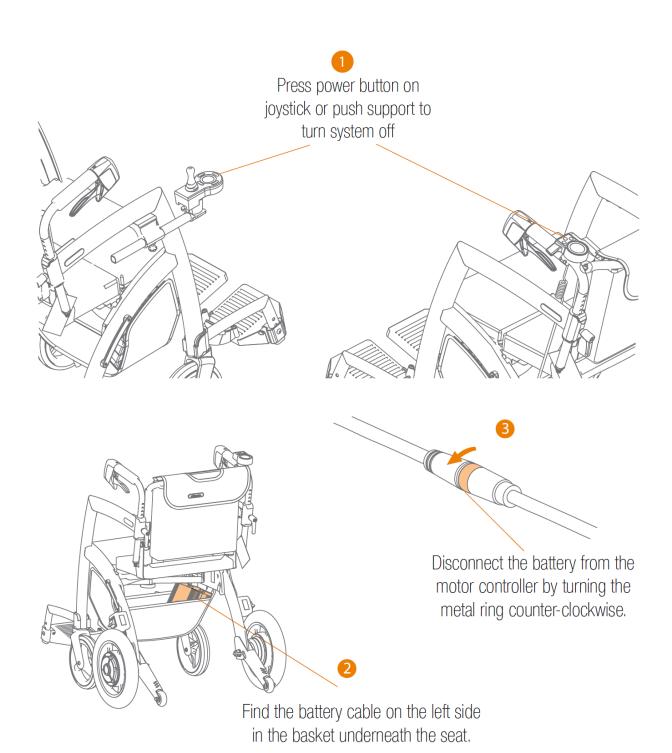


Figure 3

Putting down the wheelchair package

Follow these steps to turn the electric wheelchair into a rollator:

- 1. Remove the footrests. Slide the footrests up until released from the footrest holders. Put them back into the bag of the Rollz wheelchair package, mirrored to each other (Figure 4).
- 2. Grasp the handle of the wheelchair package and push the backrest forward until halfway up the frame. Then lower the backrest down until it folds behind the seat.
- 3. Loosen the adjustment handles anticlockwise and turn the handles outwards until they point straight forward. Set to the lowest hight and tighten the adjustment handles clockwise.
- 4. The wheelchair package stays in place when folded and the rollator can be used to walk.

Removing the wheelchair package

- 1. Pull up the red handle without force. This way the locking bolts are tied in, and the wheelchair package unlocked (Figure 5).
- 2. Hold the handle of the wheelchair package and pull it up without force.
- 3. Then push down the red handle.
- 4. The package can now be stored. The footrests remain inside the package.



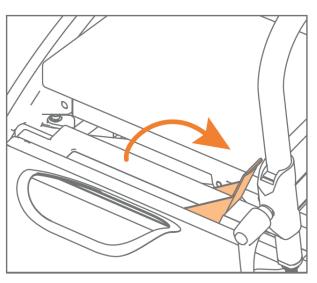


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Disconnect the loose parts

Before you can store the Rollz Motion Electric for your flight, the removable parts must be disconnected and put away. Otherwise, these parts may be damaged during transport.



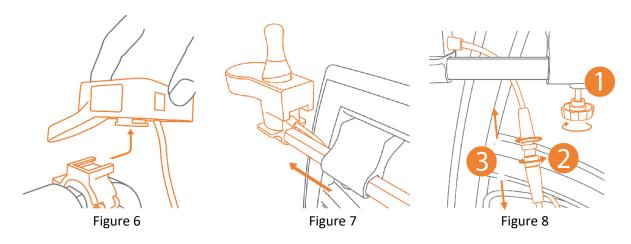
You will likely be held responsible for transport these loose parts, so make sure to bring a bag to safely transport them.

Disconnecting the push support controller

Disconnect the push support controller (Figure 6).

Disconnecting the joystick controller

- 1. Make sure to disconnect the joystick controller wiring before removing the joystick holder. Disconnect by loosening the metal rings and untighten the controller (Figure 7).
- 2. Slide the disconnected joystick controller through the hole in the holder (Figure 8).



Disconnecting accessories

Do you use Rollz accessories? Then you will also have to disconnect these parts from the Rollz Motion Electric. Consult the manual of the corresponding accessory for an disassemble explanation.

Folding of the walker

- 1. Before you fold the frame, the under seat basket should be emptied, cables and motor controller must stay in the under seat basket.
- 2. Pull the seat cushion away, turn it 90 degrees and place it crosswise on the side of the red handle (Figure 9).
- 3. Push the red release handle under the seat (Figure 10) and lift the seat partially (Figure 11).
- 4. Push the sides of the frame towards each other until the rollator is completely folded (Figure 12).

NOTE

When you fold the frame, the under seat basket should only contain the cables, battery pack and motor controller, and the wheelchair package should be detached.

Only lift the Rollz Motion Electric by frame parts as shown in Figure 13.

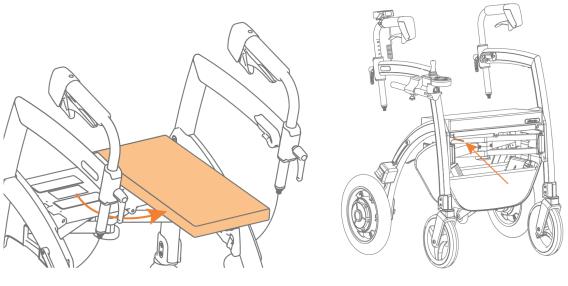


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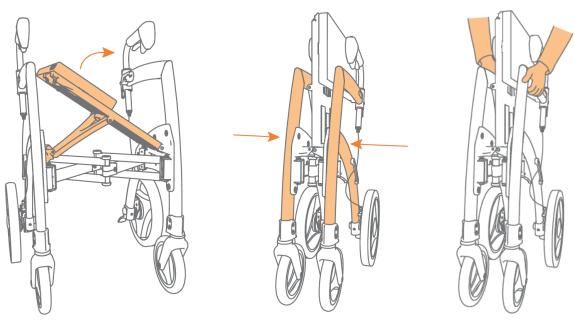


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Checking in the Rollz Motion Electric

Check in the Rollz Motion Electric at the check-in counter of the airline. You can then use the airport's special aid facilities.

Tip: Arrange your airport transportation in advance through the contact centre. They will discuss the options with you. Are you specifically dependent on the Rollz Motion Electric to get to the gate? This is possible with some airlines, so please contact us for the possibilities.

It is important to note that in most cases you will be asked to bring the bag of loose parts and battery to the gate yourself. If in a specific case your Rollz Motion Electric is transported in the cabin, you could also be held responsible for transporting it to the gate. So keep in mind that you may need to take more carry-on baggage. The rules can vary per flight.

For assembly of your Rollz Motion Electric, please read the original Rollz Motion Electric user manual.