



# orbit™ Bassinet Manual



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# Before You Begin

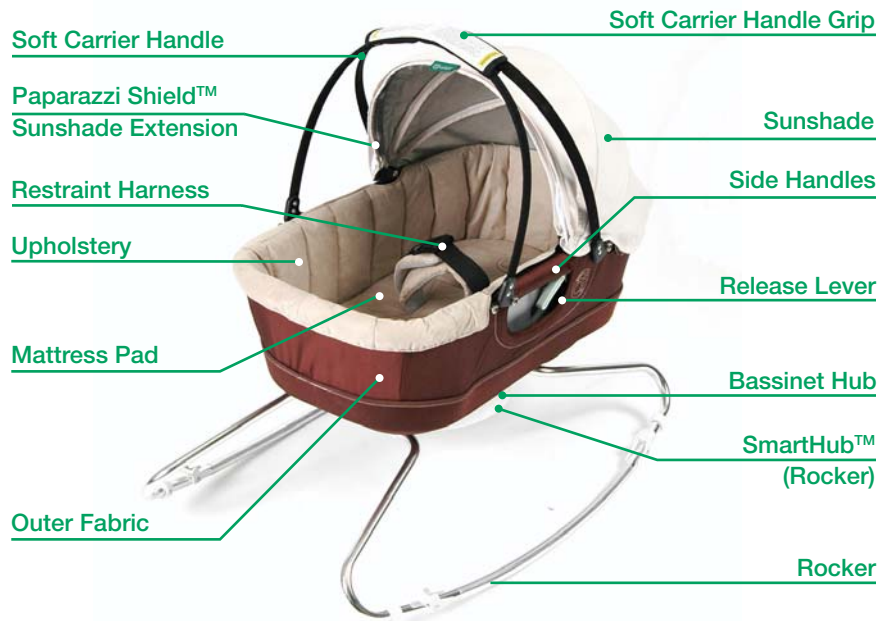
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Welcome to the Orbit Baby family!

Congratulations on the purchase of your Orbit Bassinet. Please read through this instruction manual carefully. For the safety of your child, as well as others, make sure anyone else using the Bassinet reads and understands these instructions as well.

Not all photos in this manual include the most up-to-date product specifications.

## Terms You Need to Know: Bassinet



## Your Child's Safety Depends On You

Orbit Baby wants everyone to be safe while using our products. Proper use of the Bassinet reduces the risk of injury to yourself, your child and others. This instruction manual guides you in detail about proper use of the Bassinet's features. Please follow these instructions and the appropriate instructions for other Orbit products that you use with the Bassinet.

Adhering to the following safe practices will also help to ensure your child's safety.

- 1. Make sure the Bassinet is properly assembled.**  
Adult assembly of the Bassinet is required before use.
- 2. Always dock safely.**
  - Only dock one Orbit seat at a time, and only attempt to dock approved Orbit seats.
  - Listen for an audible CLICK when docking the Bassinet, which indicates that the Bassinet is correctly installed.
  - Always check that the Bassinet is securely locked by pulling upwards and turning. The Bassinet should not release unless you are pulling the Release Levers.
  - Always make sure that the Bassinet is locked in rear-facing position on the Stroller before moving. The Bassinet cannot be used in the forward facing position on the Stroller, and the side facing positions are for stationary use only.

**3. Always Secure Your Child.**

Always secure your child with the Restraint Harness when your child is in the Bassinet.

**4. Never leave your child unattended.****5. Always Keep the Hub Area Clean.**

Keep all metal and plastic surfaces clear of objects, debris, and liquids to allow proper and safe function. Never place the Bassinet in sand or other surfaces with fine, loose particles.

**6. Make sure the Bassinet is stable whenever placing or removing your child.**

For example, with the Stroller, engage the Parking Brakes and check that the Stroller is on a stable, level surface. With the Rocker, engage the Anti-Rock Arms.

**7. Make sure you have a firm hold when carrying the Bassinet.**

With the Side Handles, grasp the Bassinet by BOTH Side Handles, as the weight inside may be off-center. With the Soft Carrier Handle, secure the Soft Carrier Handle Grip to lock into position relative to the Bassinet. ●

## Registering Your Bassinet

Register your Bassinet so that we can keep in touch with you in the future.

Send your name, address, the product's model number and its manufacturing date to:

Orbit Baby, Inc.  
8445 Central Ave.  
Newark, CA 94560

or log onto:

**[www.orbitbaby.com/register](http://www.orbitbaby.com/register)**

or email:

[support@orbitbaby.com](mailto:support@orbitbaby.com)

or call:

1-877-ORB-BABY  
(1-877-672-2229)



The Product Information Label is located on the bottom of the Hub

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## **WARNING** Death or Serious Injury can occur

**▲ FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS AND THE PRODUCT LABELS CAN RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH TO YOUR CHILD. DO NOT let others install or use the Bassinet and other associated or connected Orbit products unless they understand how to properly use them.** Keep this instruction manual for future use. If the instruction manual is missing, call Orbit Baby at 1-877-ORB-BABY for a replacement manual.

**▲ NEVER use the Bassinet for your infant in motor vehicles.**

**▲ Adult assembly of the Bassinet is required before use.** Be sure the Bassinet is fully locked open before placing your child inside.

**▲ Avoid injury to your child during Bassinet use:**  
Never leave your child unattended.  
Always fasten the Restraint Harness snugly around your child whenever your child is in the Bassinet.

## **WARNING** Death or Serious Injury can occur

**▲ Avoid serious injury from falling or tipping with the Bassinet:**

Be sure the Bassinet and the SmartHub product it is docked into (e.g. the Orbit Stroller) are fully open and locked, before placing your child inside. Always make sure the Bassinet is securely locked into the SmartHub by pulling upwards and turning. The Bassinet should not release unless you are pulling the Release Levers.

Always have the Bassinet locked into position before moving. On the Stroller, the Bassinet must be locked into the rear-facing position before moving. On the Rocker, always make sure that the Bassinet is locked into any of the four rotational positions. Do not rotate the Bassinet when the Stroller or Rocker is in motion.

Avoid unstable conditions, never position your child all the way to either end of the Bassinet.

Your child's movement can slide the Bassinet. Never place the product on countertops, tables or other elevated surfaces.

Do not use the Bassinet when your child begins to push up on hand and knees, or when your child weighs more than 20 lbs (9.0 kgs), whichever happens first.

Bags and other items should not be attached or hung from Bassinet. Use only Orbit tested and approved accessories with the Bassinet.

**▲ Do not use the Bassinet if any parts appear to be damaged, broken, or missing.**

## Weight and Use Limitations

The Bassinet is designed only for use with children from birth to 20 lbs (9.0 kgs), approximately 0 to 6 months in age. Do not carry more than one infant in the Bassinet at a time.

The Bassinet is not recommended for children who can sit up by themselves, or who can get up on their hands and knees, because of fall hazards. Since a child's ability to sit up varies from individual to individual, it is important that you evaluate this criteria often, rather than adhering to any specific weight and age limitations. ●

## Questions? Missing Parts?

Visit our website at [www.orbitbaby.com/support](http://www.orbitbaby.com/support), email [support@orbitbaby.com](mailto:support@orbitbaby.com), or call us at 1-877-ORB-BABY (1-877-672-2229).

Please have the model number, serial number and manufacture date ready when you contact us. This information can be found on the product label on the bottom of the Bassinet Hub. ●

## Using Your Bassinet

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### WARNING



**Failure to follow these warnings and instructions could result in Serious Injury or Death**

**SUFFOCATION HAZARD: Your infant can suffocate in soft surfaces.** Make sure there are no gaps between the Mattress Pad and the sides of the Bassinet. Use only the Mattress Pad provided. Never add additional padding or sheets unless they are specifically designed to fit the Bassinet and its Mattress Pad.

To reduce the risk of SIDS, pediatricians recommend healthy infants be placed on their back to sleep, unless otherwise advised by your physician.



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## Assembling the Bassinet

Assemble the Bassinet before docking it to any Orbit product and before placing your child inside.

1. Loosen the silver fabric underneath the Upholstery of the Bassinet (Photo A). Pull the strap on the Support Bar towards the end of the Bassinet until the Support Bar snaps underneath the hooks. It may help to slide the strap to one side of the bar to lock in one hook at a time (Photo B).
2. Repeat Step 1 with the Support Bar at the other end of the Bassinet.
3. With both Support Bars snapped into place, push downward on the top of the Bassinet to CHECK that it is securely locked open.
4. Wrap the elastic edging of the Upholstery over the frame and secure the ends in place with the hook and loop fasteners (Photo C).
5. Flatten the Pad inside the Bassinet. ●

## Docking & Undocking the Bassinet



### WARNING



**Death or Serious Injury  
can occur**

**Avoid pinch hazards:** Keep hands and fingers, especially of children, clear of moving parts and the SmartHub area.

**Avoid tipping or falling:** Never position your child all the way to either end of the Bassinet. Grasp BOTH Side Handles firmly when rotating or undocking the Bassinet.

Make sure that any receiving Orbit Product is locked in place and stable before docking the Bassinet.

### To dock the Bassinet:

1. Before you dock the Bassinet, make sure the receiving Orbit Product is stable and locked in place. Check that the SmartHub area is clear of any debris.



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### Docking & Undocking the Bassinet **cont'd**

2. Grasp the Bassinet by the Side Handles, align the Hub (Photo D), and squeeze the Release Levers. Press the Bassinet firmly into place onto the SmartHub until you feel and hear a **CLICK** (Photo E).
3. Rotate the Bassinet into one of its rotational locking positions.
4. **CHECK** that the Bassinet is docked securely by pulling upwards on it. Unless you are pulling the Release Levers, the Bassinet should not rotate out of position or come free of the SmartHub.

#### To undock the Bassinet:

1. Grasp the Bassinet firmly by **BOTH** Side Handles.
2. Lift the Bassinet while squeezing both Release Levers. ●

## Using the Restraint Harness

The Restraint Harness is designed to wrap around your infant's torso while lying in the Bassinet.

1. After you've positioned your infant in the Bassinet, **CLICK** the end of the strap into the Restraint Harness buckle (Photo F).
2. Adjust the Restraint Harness to be snug around your infant (Photo G).

#### To release the Restraint Harness:

1. Squeeze the side tabs on the buckle and slide the end of the strap free (Photo H). ●



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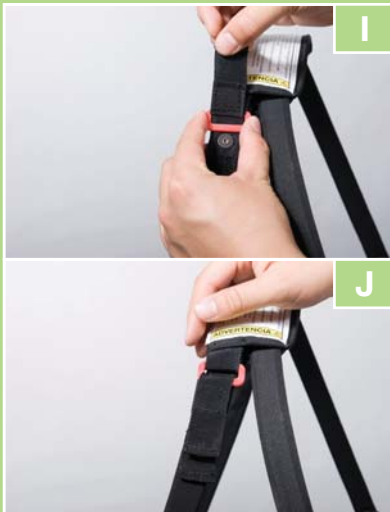


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## Carrying Your Bassinet

**⚠ WARNING ⚠**  
**Death or Serious Injury**  
**can occur**

**FALL HAZARD:** Secure your infant with the Restraint Harness.

**PINCH HAZARD:** Ensure that your child's fingers and appendages are clear of moving parts.

**Make sure the Bassinet stays level and horizontal while carrying your infant.** The Bassinet can tip when carried by the Soft Carrier Handle. Always secure the Soft Carrier Handle Grip to the Soft Carrier Handle before lifting.

1. Raise the Soft Carrier Handle.
2. Insert the hook and loop fastener through the D-ring on the Soft Carrier Handle Grip (Photo I). Secure in place (Photo J).
3. Lift the Bassinet with a firm grasp on the Soft Carrier Handle. ●

## Using the Sunshade and Sunshade Extension

**⚠ WARNING ⚠**  
**Death or Serious Injury**  
**can occur**

**CRUSHING HAZARD:** Do not put objects on top of the Sunshade. The weight of objects may cause the Sunshade to collapse.

**FALL HAZARD:** Never carry the Bassinet by grasping the Sunshade.

**STRANGULATION HAZARDS:**  
 To avoid choking or entanglement, stow the Sunshade Extension back into its pocket when not in use.

String can cause strangulation! Do not place items with string around a child's neck, such as a hood string or pacifier cords. Do not suspend string over the Bassinet or attach string to the top.





### Using the Sunshade and Sunshade Extension **cont'd**

1. Move the Sunshade into the upright position to shield your infant.
2. For additional coverage, pull the Papparazzi Shield (Sunshade Extension) from its pocket at the front edge of the Sunshade (Photo K).
3. Wrap the elastic edging around the frame of the Bassinet to secure the Sunshade Extension in place (Photo L). ●

### Traveling with Your Child

The Bassinet can be collapsed for easy storage or transport.

1. Lift the Upholstery up, pull each strap inward to free each Support Bar from the hooks (Photos M - N).
2. The Bassinet will now compress down (Photo O). ●

## Maintaining Your Bassinet

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### General Cleaning

The Mattress Pad and Upholstery can be machine washed in cold water on gentle cycle with a mild laundry detergent. Orbit Baby always recommends using a front loading washer and washing the Mattress Pad and Upholstery inside a pillow case to avoid damage to these items. Line dry.

The Sunshade is removable and may be spot cleaned with a damp sponge and mild soap. Do not machine wash or dry the Sunshade.

Replace the Mattress Pad and Upholstery once cleaned and completely dried, DO NOT use the Bassinet without them.

All hard parts (plastic and metal) may be wiped clean with a damp cloth. DO NOT SUBMERGE OR HOSE OFF ANY PART OF THE BASSINET. ●



## Removing the Mattress Pad and Upholstery

1. Pass all the Restraint Harness straps through the slots in the Mattress Pad and remove the Mattress Pad (Photo A).
2. Undo all the hook and loop fasteners, along the top of the Bassinet, between the Upholstery and Outer Fabric (Photo B).
3. Pass the Restraint Harness straps through the Upholstery slots and remove the Upholstery (Photo C).

To replace the Mattress Pad and Upholstery, reverse the instructions above. Orient the Orbit Baby logos on the Upholstery and Mattress Pad to match the location of the logo on the wood board underneath. ●

## Removing the Sunshade

1. Unsnap both corners of the Sunshade (Photo D).
2. Unzip the Sunshade from around the spar (Photo E).
3. Remove the Sunshade by undoing all of the remaining hook and loop fasteners (Photo F).

To replace the Sunshade, reverse the instructions above. ●



## 2-year Limited Customer Warranty

### What this limited warranty covers and for how long:

Orbit Baby, Inc. (“Orbit Baby”) warrants that the product accompanied by this limited warranty is free from manufacturing defects in material or workmanship for a period of two (2) years from the date of original purchase. This warranty only applies to the original purchaser of the product. The limited warranty period also applies to any implied warranties that may exist under applicable law. Some States do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitation may not apply to you.

### What this Limited Warranty does not cover:

This limited warranty does not apply to: (1) defects resulting from repair (except by Orbit Baby or its authorized service representatives) or alteration of the product, (2) defects resulting from use with covers, inserts, accessories, tightening devices, or other components not supplied by or expressly approved in writing by Orbit Baby, and (3) defects resulting from misuse, including any use not in accordance with the product instructions, abuse, accident, neglect, improper maintenance or handling, or normal wear and tear.

### What Orbit Baby will do:

If you believe the product is defective please return it to Orbit Baby in the manner described below within the limited warranty period. If Orbit Baby determines a defect is covered by this limited warranty, Orbit Baby will, at its option, repair or replace the product or components of the product. This limited warranty extends to repaired and replacement products and components only through the end of the original limited warranty period.

### Limitation of Remedies under Limited Warranty:

Your remedies under this limited warranty are limited to repair or replacement of the product or components of the product. In no event will Orbit Baby or any of its retailers, dealers, distributors or resellers be liable for incidental, indirect or consequential damages relating to the product (including any repaired or replacement product or component) or its use. Some states do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitation and exclusion may not apply to you.

### How State law applies:

This limited warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may have other rights which vary from State to State.

### What you must do to get service under this limited warranty:

To make a claim under this limited warranty you must first contact Orbit Baby. You can email [support@orbitbaby.com](mailto:support@orbitbaby.com), write to Orbit Baby, 8445 Central Ave., Newark, CA 94560, or call 1-877-ORB-BABY. You must provide proof of purchase in the form of your original sales receipt in order to obtain service under this limited warranty. ●

**Please keep this instruction manual for future use.**

## **Customer Service & Replacement Parts**

There are three ways to contact Orbit Baby Customer Service with questions or comments, or to order replacement parts:

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| 1. by internet: | <b><a href="http://www.orbitbaby.com/support">www.orbitbaby.com/support</a></b> |
| 2. by email:    | <a href="mailto:support@orbitbaby.com">support@orbitbaby.com</a>                |
| 3. by phone:    | 1-877-ORB-BABY (1-877-672-2229)   |

When you contact us, please have your product's model number, serial number, and date of manufacture ready. These numbers can be found on the Product Information Label (See page 7).

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