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Back Or Under The Soft Goods In Backless Mode



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⚠ WARNING

Carefully read and understand all instructions and warnings in this manual. Failure to properly use this Car Seat increases the risk of **SERIOUS INJURY or DEATH** in a sudden stop or crash.

KEEP INSTRUCTIONS FOR FUTURE USE.

Store this manual in the pocket provided on the side of the car seat base.



KOA SLIM Booster Seat with Side Sun Visors and LATCH

HB01XXXB
Owner's Manual

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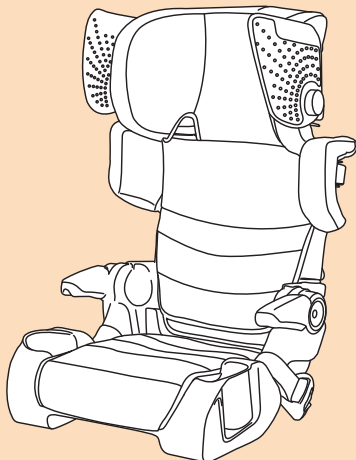


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⚠️ WARNING! DEATH or SERIOUS INJURY can occur:

- Use only the vehicle's lap and shoulder belt system when restraining the child in this booster seat.
- Secure this child restraint with the vehicle's child restraint anchorage system.
- Follow all instructions on this child restraint and in the written instructions located in the pocket under the cover (backless mode) or pocket on seat back (high back mode).
- Register your child restraint with the manufacturer.
- **NEVER** use this booster seat with only a vehicle lap belt.
- Must be at least 4 years old.
- **HIGH-BACK BOOSTER CAR SEAT MODE:** Use only with children who weigh between 40 and 100 pounds (18.1 and 45 kg) and whose height is between 44 and 57 in. (112 and 145 cm).
- **BACKLESS BOOSTER CAR SEAT MODE:** Use only with children who weigh between 40 and 120 pounds (18.1 and 54.4 kg) and whose height is between 44 and 57 in. (112 and 145 cm).
- Failure to follow these instructions and Booster Seat labels can result in injury or death to a child from striking the vehicle's interior during a sudden stop or crash.
- Even if the Booster Seat seems easy to figure out on your own, it is important to read these instructions and the vehicle owner's manual for details you might miss.

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- The instructions in this manual and in your vehicle owner's manual must be followed carefully. If there is a conflict between the two, the vehicle owner's manual must be followed if it relates to the vehicle's seat belt, **LATCH** or airbags.
- Failure to use the automobile seat belt or to adjust it properly can result in your child striking the vehicle's interior during a sudden stop or crash. Serious injury or death can occur.
- **DO NOT** allow others (babysitters, friends, grandparents, etc.) to use this Booster Seat unless they read and understand the instructions and labels.
- Only use accessories manufactured by Baby Trend®. Use of accessories can affect your child's safety in a sudden stop or crash.
- **DO NOT** modify or attach any toys, padding, or other items to this Booster Seat. Untested modifications and/or padding could result in injury in a crash.
- Secure this Booster Seat with the vehicle seat belt at all times (even when there is no child in it). An unsecured child restraint can injure someone if a crash occurs.
- Direct sunlight can make Booster Seat surfaces hot enough to burn your child. Use caution and check them on hot, sunny days.
- **NEVER** leave child unattended.
- **DO NOT** use this Booster Seat if it has been in a crash. (There may be hidden damage and it must be replaced.) Your insurance company may provide some assistance replacing this booster.
- **DO NOT** use this Booster Seat if it is damaged in any way or has missing parts.
- Discontinue use of this booster seat after 9 years from the date of manufacture printed on the label on the bottom of the seat.
- Secure this child restraint with a vehicle lap and shoulder belt.

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REGISTER YOUR CAR SEAT

Please complete the following information. The model number and manufactured in (date) can be found on a label on the bottom of the Car Seat.

Model Number: _____

Manufactured In: _____

Purchase Date: _____

Please fill out the prepaid registration post card attached to the harness straps 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 restraint's model number and manufacturing date to:

BABY TREND®, INC, 13048 VALLEY BLVD. FONTANA CA 92335 or call **1-800-328-7363** or register online at:

[HTTPS://BABYTREND.COM/PAGES/CAR-SEAT-PRODUCT-REGISTRATION](https://babytrend.com/pages/car-seat-product-registration)

For recall information, call the **U.S. GOVERNMENT'S VEHICLE SAFETY HOT LINE** at **1-888-327-4236** (TTY: 1-800-424-9153), or go to <http://www.NHTSA.gov>.

IF YOU NEED HELP

Please contact our Customer Service Department with any questions concerning your child restraint. When you contact us, please have the model and manufactured in (date) ready. The model number and manufactured in (date) can be found on a white label located on the bottom of the car seat.

USA Toll Free: **1-800-328-7363**

8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (PST) Monday - Friday

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WARRANTY

DO NOT RETURN YOUR PRODUCT TO THE STORE. PLEASE CONTACT BABY TREND® FOR REPLACEMENT PARTS, SERVICE AND REPAIR.

The Baby Trend® warranty covers workmanship defects within 1 year of purchase. Any product which has been subjected to misuse, abuse, abnormal use, excessive wear and tear, improper assembly, negligence, environmental exposure, alteration or accident, or has had its serial number altered or removed invalidates all claims against the manufacturer.

Any damage to property during installation is the sole responsibility of the end user. Customer Service Department can be contacted at 1 (800) 328-7363 Monday through Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. (PST). Return Authorizations are required prior to returning product(s) to Baby Trend®. Please visit <http://babytrend.com/pages/limited-warranty> for complete warranty details.

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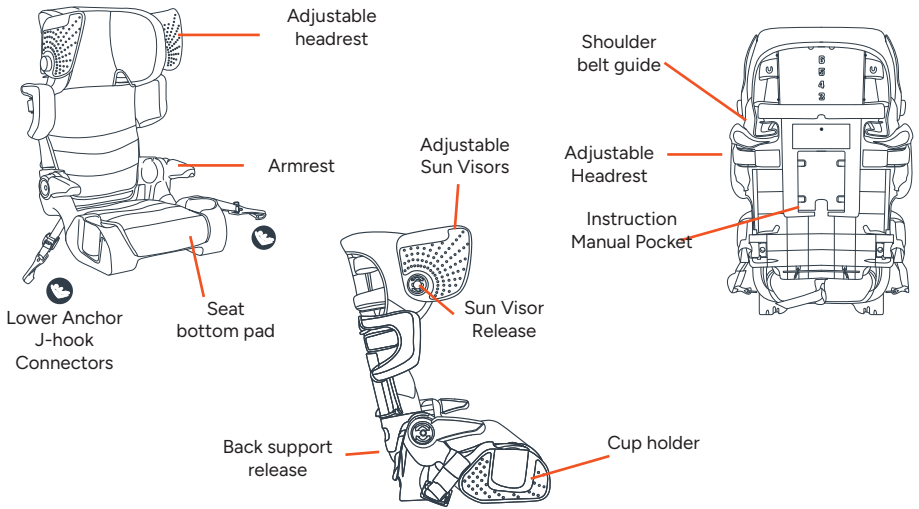
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PARTS & FEATURES

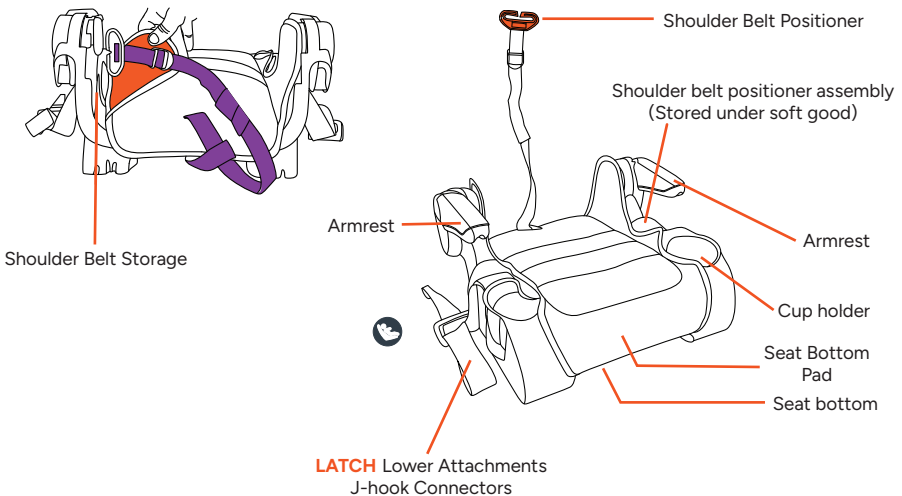
2.0 PARTS

2.1 High-Back Booster Car Seat



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2.2 Backless Booster Car Seat (WITHOUT Back Support)



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HIGH-BACK BOOSTER

3.0 HIGH-BACK BOOSTER

3.1 Weight and Height Requirements:

Parents are advised that children should use a child restraint with a built-in harness system until they exceed the weight or height limits specified by the manufacturer.

High-Back Booster

This child restraint is designed for use by children whose:

- Age is 4 years or older, and
- Weight is between 40 and 100 lb (18.1 and 45 kg), and
- Height is between 44 and 57 in. (112 cm to 145 cm).

Backless Booster

This child restraint is designed for use by children whose:

- Age is 4 years or older, and
- Weight is between 40 and 120 lb (18.1 and 54.4 kg), and
- Height is between 44 and 57 in. (112 cm to 145 cm).

Delayed Transition to Booster Car Seat Mode: Baby Trend recommends using a car seat with built-in harness as long as possible before changing to booster mode.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) recommends that children remain in a rear-facing car seat until they reach the height or weight limit set by the car seat's manufacturer, which is usually up to age 3.

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3.2 Booster Seat Use

Child **MUST** meet all of these requirements to use this Booster Seat.

WARNING!

DEATH or SERIOUS INJURY can occur:

- **DO NOT** use this Booster Seat when top of child's ears are above the top edge of seat back. Severe head or neck injuries can result without proper head support.
- **DO NOT** use Booster Seat when the child's shoulders are above the shoulder belt guide with headrest in highest position (Fig. 1).
- **DO NOT** use this Backless Booster Seat when top of child's ears are above the top edge of the vehicle seat back (Fig. 2) or vehicle headrest (Fig. 3).
- Severe head or neck injuries can result without proper head support.

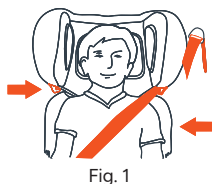


Fig. 1

Backless Booster



Fig. 2

Backless Booster



Fig. 3

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HIGH-BACK BOOSTER

4.0 WEIGHT AND HEIGHT RECOMMENDATIONS



4.1 High-Back Booster Car Seat Use

Child **MUST** meet all of the following requirements to use the High-back Booster Car Seat mode:

- Child's weight is between 40 and 100 lb (18.1 and 45 kg) **and**
- Child's height is between 44 and 57 in. (112 and 145 cm) **and**
- Child must be at least 4 years of age.



Delayed Transition to Booster Car Seat Mode: Baby Trend recommends using a car seat with built-in harness as long as possible before changing to booster mode.

Baby Trend® and the American Academy of Pediatrics recommend using a High-back Booster Car Seat as long as possible before changing to a Backless Booster Car Seat. The High-back Booster Car Seat should be used until the child's shoulders do not fit comfortably under the side wings of the Head Support.

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5.0 SELECTING A VEHICLE SEATING LOCATION

5.1 Proper Use:

WARNING!

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- Use only the vehicle's lap and shoulder belt system when restraining a child in this Booster Seat. **NEVER** use the Booster Seat with only a vehicle lap belt.
- **DO NOT** use this Booster Seat with vehicle seat belts mounted to front door.
- **DO NOT** use this Booster Seat if it cannot be properly installed.
- Some child restraints will not fit some vehicle seating positions.
- **NEVER** use this Booster Seat in any vehicle seating position equipped with an active airbag unless recommended by the vehicle manufacturer. For side airbags see Page 22.
- **DO NOT** use this Booster Seat in rear seat of a compact pickup truck. Severe head injury or death can occur.

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WARNING



NEVER use this Car Seat in a vehicle seating location that has an Active Frontal Airbag.

DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY CAN OCCUR. Please refer to the vehicle's owner's manual for additional information about Active Airbags and child safety seat installation.

5.2 Proper Installation:

1. National Highway Safety Administration (NHTSA) alerts vehicle owners that, according to accident statistics, children under age 13 are safer when properly restrained in the rear seating positions rather than in front seating positions.
 2. Refer to vehicle owner's manual for car seat installation instructions for your vehicle.
 - Use Booster Seat in a vehicle rear seat location whenever possible.
 - Never put Booster Seat in a front seat location unless recommended by vehicle owner's manual.
 - For vehicles with airbags, refer to vehicle owner's manual for child restraint installation information.
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- If a vehicle front seat location with an airbag must be used, follow the vehicle manufacturer's instructions for child restraint use and move the vehicle seat back as far as possible.

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Baby Trend® Policy Statement

Use of KOA SLIM Booster Seat with Side Sun Visors Child Restraint in Conjunction with Side Airbags

To determine the types of side impact airbag(s) your vehicle may have for individual seating positions, please refer to your vehicle owner's manual. KOA SLIM Booster Seat with Side Sun Visors child restraint may be used in any rear seating position equipped only with side impact airbags that are roof mounted with "curtain" type deployment. For all other vehicles with other types of side impact airbags, please refer to the specific vehicle owner's manual for appropriate use of child restraints, or call the automobile manufacturer for more information.

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5.3 Vehicle Seats to Avoid:

DO NOT use this Booster Seat with the following vehicle seats:



Seats facing
SIDES of vehicle



Seats facing REAR
of vehicle

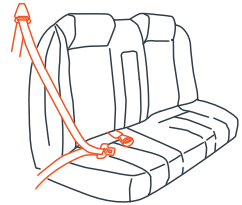


Rear seats of small extended cab
pickup trucks

5.4 Vehicle Seat Belt Systems:

Use only the vehicle's lap and shoulder belt system when restraining the child in this booster seat. Design and operation of vehicle seat belt systems vary from vehicle to vehicle and from seating location to seating location in the same vehicle. Not all vehicle seat belts can be used with a child restraint. Refer to the information on **Page 24, Section 5.5** for information on the various types of vehicle seat belt systems.

YES



Lap and shoulder belt

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5.5 Vehicle Seat Belt Systems to Avoid:

DO NOT use this Booster Seat with the following vehicle seat belts:



Lap belt only



Passive restraints with motorized
shoulder belt

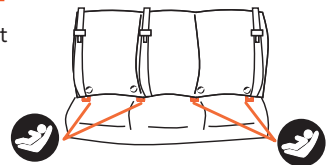


Lower Anchor
Point Locations

5.6 Preparation for Installation with LATCH

Consult your vehicle owner's manual or manufacturer for location and availability of **LATCH** anchor points. **NOT** all vehicles have the same locations or maximum weight requirements for **LATCH**! This Booster with **LATCH** Lower Connectors can be used for the entire weight range on the labeling and in the written instructions.

Passive restraints with lap or
shoulder belts mounted on
front door



WARNING

Secure this Booster Seat with the vehicle seat belt at all times (even when there is no child in it). An unsecured child restraint can injure someone if crash occurs.

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HIGH-BACK BOOSTER

6.0 INSTALLATION AND USE

6.1 Proper Use:

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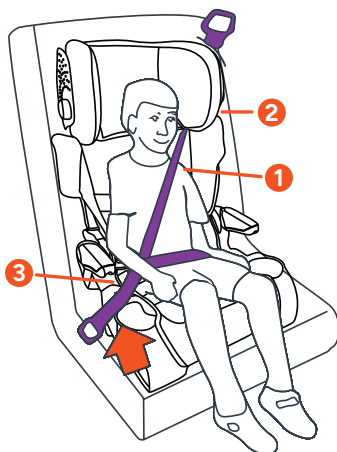
- Use only a vehicle lap and shoulder belt system when restraining the child in this Booster Seat.
- **NEVER** use just a lap belt (Fig. 4a). **ALWAYS** use a combination lap and shoulder belt (Fig. 4b).
- Snugly adjust the vehicle lap and shoulder belt around your child according to the instructions in the vehicle owner's manual.
- **NEVER** place the Booster Seat in a seating position with an active airbag unless recommended by the vehicle manufacturer.
- **DO NOT** allow child to slide down in Booster Seat. This could position the vehicle lap belt across your child's abdomen and the shoulder belt over your child's neck or face.



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6.2 KOA SLIM Booster Seat with Side Sun Visors Fit Guide

Read all sections of this instruction booklet before use.



1. Shoulder Belt Centered on Shoulder
2. Belt Guide Shoulder Height
3. Shoulder Belt Under Armrest closest to auto buckle

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6.3 Installing Booster Seat

KOA SLIM Booster Seat with Side Sun Visors Fit Guide

1. Open the Booster Seat from its folded position (Fig. 5a):

- Grasp seat back and seat bottom and pull to unfold Booster Seat.
- Continue to move seat back until it reaches the upright use position (Fig. 5b).

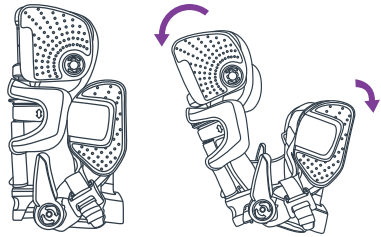


Fig. 5a

2. Place Booster Seat in a forward facing rear seating location.

- Seating location **MUST** have a lap and shoulder belt (Fig. 5b).
- If vehicle seat back is adjustable, adjust back into the upright position.
- Adjust vehicle head rest to lowest position.
- If using **LATCH** Lower Anchor Connectors. Locate a compatible vehicle rear seating location. Use of **LATCH** Lower Attachments is **OPTIONAL**.

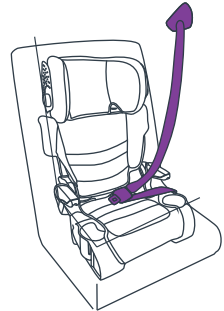


Fig. 5b

3. If using a **LATCH** Lower Attachment installation continue. If not, proceed to **Page 30, Section 6.4**.

4. Prepare **LATCH** Lower Attachments.

- Locate **LATCH** Lower Attachments on each side of the Booster seat.
- Press tension adjuster and pull webbing through to introduce additional webbing into the **LATCH** Lower Attachment system (Fig. 5c).
- Release **LATCH** Lower Attachment J-hooks from each side of the booster seat (Fig. 5d).

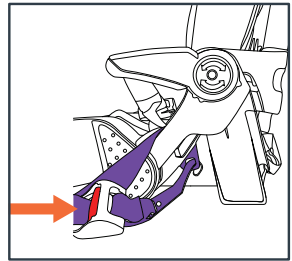


Fig. 5c

5. • Attach each **LATCH** lower anchor attachment to the corresponding vehicle lower anchor; ensuring full engagement. (Fig. 5e)

- Tighten the lower anchor attachments at the tension adjuster to remove visible slack; the booster should be snug against the vehicle seat (Fig. 5f).
- To remove **LATCH** lower anchor attachments please see **Page 42, Section 7.3**.

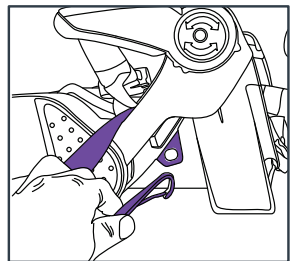


Fig. 5d

HIGH-BACK BOOSTER

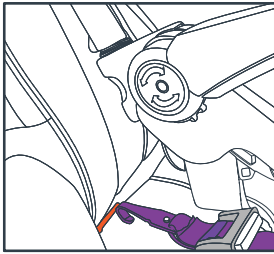


Fig. 5e

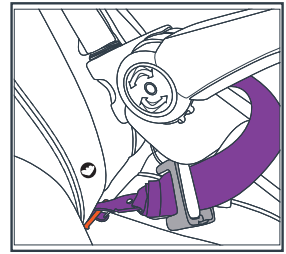
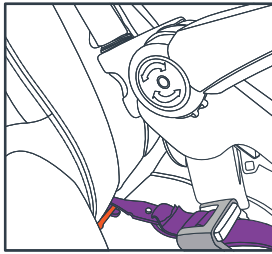


Fig. 5f

6. • Pull the Booster Car seat at the belt path — where the lower attachments connect to the vehicle's lower anchors.
 - Firmly hold the child restraint with your hand and push and pull it side-to-side and front-to-back. The child restraint should not move more than 1 in. (25 mm) in any direction at the belt path.
 - If movement is greater than 1 in., remove and reinstall the child restraint, making sure the **LATCH** lower attachments are tight and properly attached to the vehicle's lower anchors.
 - Once the movement is 1 in. or less at the belt path, the installation is considered secure.

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SECURING CHILD

6.4 Securing Child in Booster Seat

1. Secure child in booster seat.
 - Child **MUST** sit upright with back contacting seat back, **NOT** slouching or sliding down (Fig. 6a).
2. Adjust headrest so that the top of shoulder belt guides are at or just above child's shoulders (Fig. 6b).
 - Push headrest release handles in and move headrest up or down to desired position (Fig. 6c).
 - Release headrest handles and make sure handles are locked into position.



Fig. 6a



Belt is level with top of shoulder

Fig. 6b

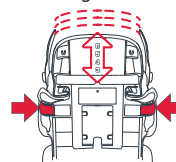


Fig. 6c

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SECURING CHILD

- Place lap and shoulder belt across the front of child and buckle seat belt (Fig. 6d).
 - Position lap belt on child's hips contacting thighs (Fig. 6d).
 - Place shoulder belt over child's chest and into shoulder belt guide (Fig. 6e) and into lap belt guide closest to auto buckle (Fig. 6d).

NOTE: Armrest may be raised to make getting in Booster easier. Be sure to lower armrest once child is seated in booster seat.

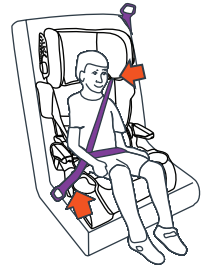


Fig. 6d

- Snugly adjust lap and shoulder belt according to instructions in vehicle owner's manual.

- Insert buckle tongue into auto buckle. Pull to ensure buckle is secure then **place** shoulder belt under the armrest (Fig. 6d & Fig 6e).

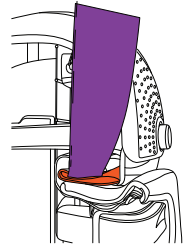


Fig. 6e

- Check vehicle seat belt:

- Lap belt must be snug and low on hips contacting thighs.
- Shoulder belt must contact chest and be centered on shoulder.

- Press sun visor release button (1), rotate into position (2) (Fig. 6f).

- Use is optional.

NOTE: Some active children may change position or move seat belt.

- DO NOT** allow child to slide down under lap belt moving lap belt onto stomach or abdomen.
- DO NOT** allow child to place shoulder belt under arm or behind back.

- To remove your child:

- Unbuckle vehicle seat belt and remove your child.

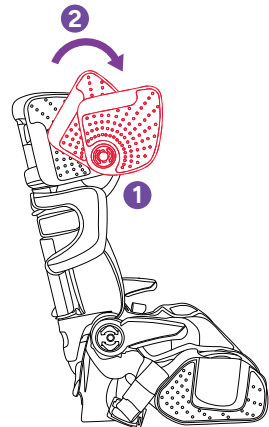


Fig. 6f

7.0 BACKLESS BOOSTER

7.1 Backless Booster Car Seat Use

- Child's weight is between 40 and 120 lb (18.1 and 54.4 kg) **and**
- Child's height is between 44 and 57 in. (112 and 145 cm) **and**
- Child must be at least 4 years of age.

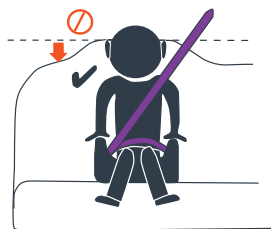
Baby Trend® and the American Academy of Pediatrics recommend using a Backless Booster Car Seat until the child reaches a standing height of 57 in. (145 cm) before changing to secure the child with a vehicle seat belt, without a booster car seat.



WARNING!

DEATH or SERIOUS INJURY can occur:

TO AVOID INJURIES FROM WHIPLASH, top of child's ears must be below top edge of vehicle seat back or vehicle headrest.



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7.2 Backless Booster Car Seat Installation and Use

WARNING!

DEATH or SERIOUS INJURY can occur:

- Child must be at least 4 years old and weigh at least 40 lb (18.1 kg) to use the Backless Booster Car Seat.
- Delayed Transition to Booster Car Seat Mode: Baby Trend recommends using a car seat with built-in harness as long as possible before changing to booster mode.



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BACKLESS BOOSTER

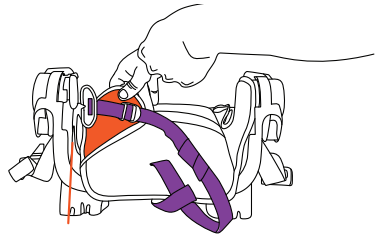
- Use High-back Booster mode as long as possible. The Back Support and Head Support provide incremental crash protection in frontal and side impact crashes. Removing the Back Support and Head Support earlier than necessary also removes the incremental crash protection.
- Vehicle lap/shoulder belt must be properly positioned on child. Use vehicle shoulder belt positioner to center vehicle shoulder belt on child's shoulders.
- Discontinue use of the Backless Booster Car Seat when the top of the child's ears are above top of the vehicle seat back or vehicle headrest.



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To secure car seat and your child:

1. Remove seat back support (see "Assembly and Removal for Back Support" Page 46, Section 8.4).
2. The Shoulder Belt Positioner will be affixed to the Booster Seat and stored beneath the soft goods. Locate the Belt Positioner and place it under the soft goods for storage (Fig. 7a).
3. Place Booster Seat in a forward facing rear seating location.
 - Seating location **MUST** have a lap and shoulder belt (Fig. 7b).
 - If vehicle seat back is adjustable, adjust back into the upright position.
 - Adjust vehicle head rest to lowest position.
 - If using **LATCH** Lower Anchor Connectors. Locate a compatible vehicle rear seating location. Use of **LATCH** Lower Attachments is **OPTIONAL**.



Shoulder Belt Storage

Fig. 7a

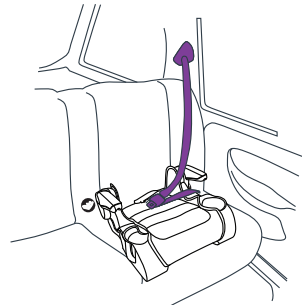


Fig. 7b

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WARNING!

- **DO NOT** place the Backless Booster Car Seat in a seating position that has only a vehicle lap belt (Fig. 7c).
4. If the vehicle seat back is adjustable, adjust into the upright position or the position specified in the vehicle owner's manual for use with a car seat.
 5. Place child in Backless Booster Car Seat with child's back and rump contacting seating surfaces (Fig. 7d).



Fig. 7c



Fig. 7d

LATCH

6. If using a **LATCH** Lower Attachment installation continue. If not, proceed to Page 40, Step 9.

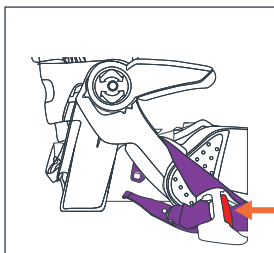


Fig. 7e

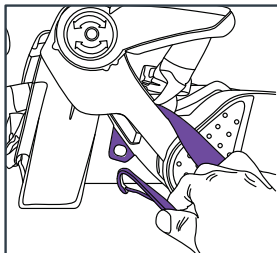


Fig. 7f

7. Prepare **LATCH** Lower Attachments.
 - Locate **LATCH** Lower Attachments on each side of the Booster seat.
 - Press tension adjuster and pull webbing through to introduce additional webbing into the **LATCH** Lower Attachment system (Fig. 7e).
 - Release **LATCH** Lower Attachment J-hooks from each side of the booster seat (Fig. 7f).

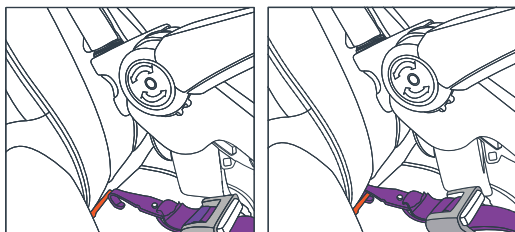


Fig. 7g

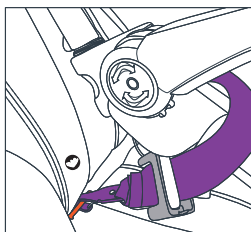


Fig. 7h

8. • Attach each **LATCH** lower anchor attachment to the corresponding vehicle lower anchor, ensuring full engagement (Fig. 7g).
 - Tighten the lower anchor attachments at the tension adjuster to remove visible slack; the booster should be snug against the vehicle seat (Fig. 7h).
 - To remove **LATCH** lower anchor attachments please see **Page 42, Section 7.3**.

9. Place lap and shoulder belt across the front of child and buckle seat belt (Fig. 7i).
 - Position lap belt on hips touching child's thighs (Fig. 7i).
 - Place shoulder belt over child's chest and into shoulder belt guide under armrest closest to auto buckle (Fig. 7j).

NOTE: Armrest may be raised to make getting in Booster easier. Be sure to lower armrest once child is seated in booster seat.

10. Place vehicle shoulder belt in Vehicle Shoulder Belt Positioner Guide and adjust to position shoulder belt on child.
 - Thread vehicle shoulder belt through Vehicle Shoulder Strap Positioner Guide as shown (Fig. 7k).
 - Check to be sure vehicle shoulder belt is properly positioned over shoulder and snug against child.

NOTE: Some vehicle shoulder belts with emergency locking retractors allow child to pull belt out and change position of belt. Use of Shoulder Belt Positioner helps maintain proper position of shoulder belt.



Fig. 7i



Fig. 7j



Fig. 7k

11. Check the fit of the vehicle seat belts on the child:
- Vehicle lap belt must be low on hips contacting the thighs.
 - Vehicle shoulder belt must contact the chest and be centered on the shoulder. Use the Shoulder Belt Positioner Guide to adjust the position of the vehicle shoulder belt.
 - **DO NOT** place vehicle shoulder belt under child's arm or behind child (Fig. 71).



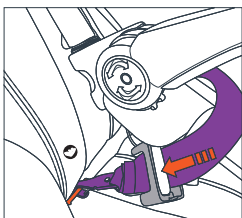
Fig. 71

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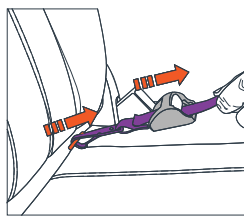
Discontinue use of Backless Booster when top of child's ears are above top edge of vehicle headrest and vehicle seat back.

12. To remove your child:
- Unbuckle vehicle seat belt and remove your child.

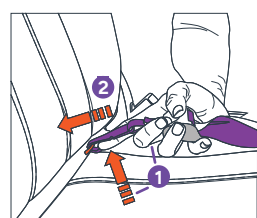
7.3 Removing LATCH Lower Attachment J-Hooks from Vehicle



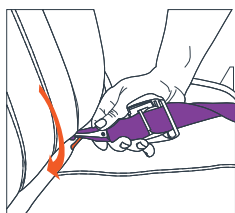
1. Loosen webbing at adjuster



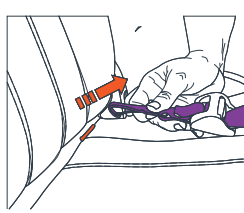
2. Pull J-hook towards front of Vehicle.



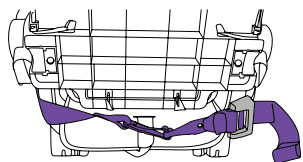
3. (1) Lift metal tab, (2) push J-hook to rear of vehicle.



4. Rotate J-hook 90°



5. Remove and store J-hook on side of Booster



6. Or store J-hooks connected on back of Booster

7.4 Use and Adjustment of Vehicle Shoulder Belt Positioner Guide

- Use the Shoulder Belt Positioner Guide, only if necessary to center the vehicle Shoulder Belt on the child's shoulder. Shoulder Belt should be centered on child's shoulder as shown (Fig. 8a). Shoulder Belt Guide is stored under the seat pad.
- Insert the vehicle shoulder belt into both sides of the Shoulder Belt Positioner Guide (Fig. 8b). Pull the free end of the Shoulder Belt Positioner Guide strap down (Fig. 8c) to bring the shoulder belt into the proper centered shoulder position (Fig. 8a).

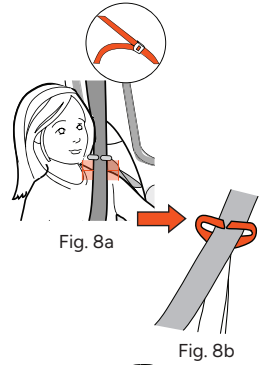


Fig. 8a

Fig. 8b

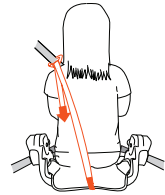


Fig. 8c

- **DO NOT** over tighten the Shoulder Belt Positioner Guide that forces the Shoulder Belt into an unnatural transition over the child's shoulder (Fig. 8d). The Shoulder Belt should have smooth transition over the shoulder (Fig. 8e).

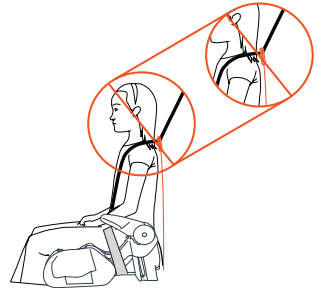


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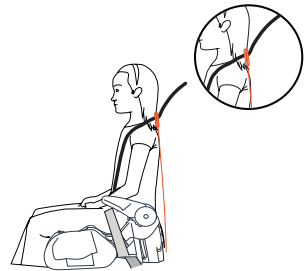


Fig. 8e

8.0 ACCESSORIES AND CARE

8.1 Cup Holders (Fig. 9)

WARNING

- **AVOID INJURY! DO NOT** place pencils or other sharp or pointed objects in cup holder.
- **AVOID BURNS, NEVER** put hot liquids in a cup holder.

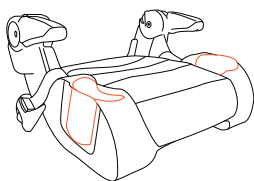


Fig. 9

8.2 Rotating Side Sun Visor (Fig. 10)

- Press sun visor release button (1), rotate into position (2).
- Use is optional.

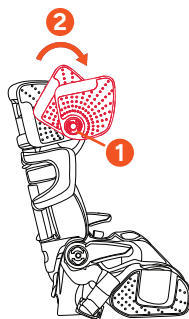


Fig. 10

8.3 Headrest Adjustment

- Press headrest release handles in and move headrest up or down to desired position.

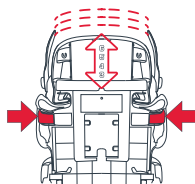
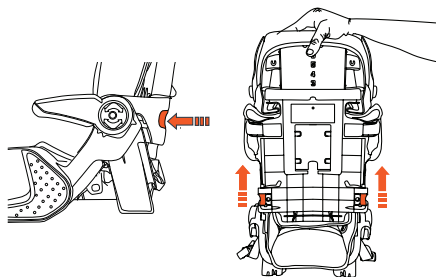


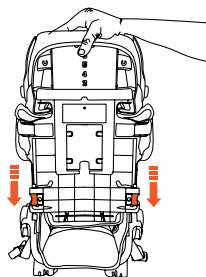
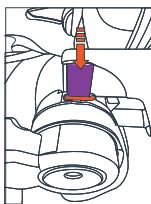
Fig. 10a

8.4 Assembly and Removal for Back Support



To Remove Back:

- Press the two release buttons and lift.



To Install Back:

- Align tabs on booster seat back and slide into place. Pull up on back to ensure seat back is secured.

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8.5 Seat Back Support Unfold - Fold



Fig. 12a

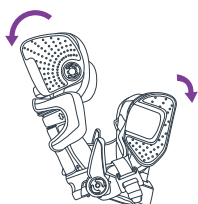


Fig. 12b

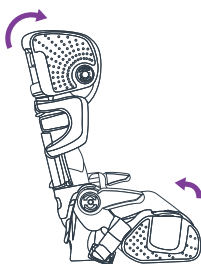


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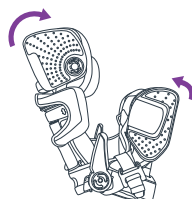


Fig. 12d



Fig. 12e

1. Open the Booster Seat from its folded position (Fig. 12a):

- Grasp seat back and seat bottom and pull to unfold Booster Seat (Fig. 12b).
- Continue to move seat back until it reaches the upright use position (Fig. 12c).

2. Fold the Booster Seat from its upright position (Fig. 12c):

- Grasp seat back and seat bottom and push together to fold Booster Seat (Fig. 12d).
- Continue to move seat back until it reaches the folded position (Fig. 12e).

NOTE: You will feel resistance and hear a “Popping” noise when Unfolding and Folding the Booster.

8.6 Soft Goods Removal for Cleaning

NEVER USE THIS BOOSTER WITHOUT THE SOFT GOODS COVERS!

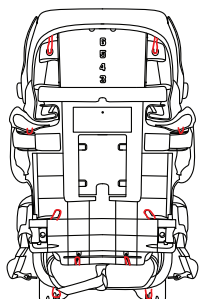


Fig. 13a

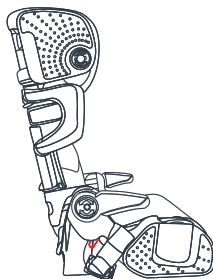


Fig. 13b

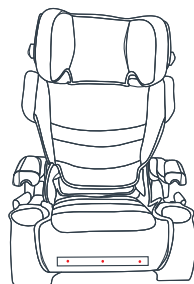


Fig. 13c

1. Soft Goods Removal

- Remove elastic loops (Fig. 13a & Fig. 13b) - Remove plastic strip at the front of seat bottom (Fig. 13c).
- Follow Laundering instructions of **Page 52, Section 11**.

9.0 SAFETY

9.1 Safety Checklist:

- ✓ Did you read and understand these instructions and labels on the Booster Seat?
- ✓ Is the child the proper weight and height for the Booster Seat?
- ✓ Is the child secured in the rear seat?
- ✓ Is the child restraint forward-facing with a lap and shoulder belt?
- ✓ Is the vehicle seat belt properly secured and snugly adjusted?
 - Shoulder belt in shoulder belt guide and lap belt guide?
 - Shoulder belt guide at or above child's shoulders?
 - Child is sitting up with lap belt low and contacting thighs?
 - Shoulder belt is contacting chest and centered on shoulder?
- ✓ Check for hot surfaces in sunny weather?
- ✓ Discontinue use of this booster seat after 9 years from the date of manufacture printed on the label on the bottom of the seat.

PLEASE DRIVE SAFELY

9.2 Safe Practices

For assistance with installation or use, contact one of the following sources:

- Baby Trend® at: Phone: 1-800-328-7363. Email: www.babytrend.com
- A certified Child Passenger Safety (CPST) Technician in your area. To locate a CPST Technician in your area, log onto www.nhtsa.gov and select "Child Passenger Safety" and then select "Technician Contact Locator". Or attend a car seat check-up event. For car seat check-up event location and timing:
- Log onto www.nhtsa.gov and select "Child Seat Inspections".
- Log onto www.seatcheck.org.
- Call 1-866-SEAT CHECK (1-866-732-8243).

EVERYONE RIDES BUCKLED UP OR THE VEHICLE DOES NOT GO! MAKE NO EXCEPTIONS FOR ADULTS OR CHILDREN!

- If someone unbuckles, the vehicle **STOPS!** Being firm and consistent will result in fewer discipline problems as children grow older. An unrestrained person can be thrown into and injure other passengers.
- **NEVER** try to tend to a crying child's needs while driving. Never take a child out of a child restraint for comforting while the vehicle is moving.
- **DO NOT** allow child to slide down under lap belt or put shoulder belt under arm or behind back.
- **DO NOT** allow a child to have lollipops, Popsicles, or other food on a stick. These items can injure the child in a sudden stop or crash.
- Put heavy or sharp items in the trunk. Loose items can be deadly in a crash.
- If you need to use a blanket in cold weather, put the child in the restraint and cover both with the blanket.

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10.0 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

10.1 Certification

This child restraint system conforms to all applicable Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards for use in motor vehicles.

This Booster Seat is certified for use in motor vehicles.

10.2 Aircraft Use:

This restraint is not certified for aircraft use, an aircraft does not have a combination lap and shoulder belt required to use this Booster Seat.

10.3 Vehicle Seat Protection:

Protect vehicle seat. Use a thin car seat mat, thin towel, or thin blanket under and behind Booster Seat.

10.4 Instruction Manual Storage:

Store instruction manual in the pocket on back of Booster Seat or under soft goods in backless mode.

10.5 Booster Seat Useful Life:

Discontinue use of this booster Seat after 9 years from the date of manufacture printed on the label on the bottom of the seat.

Parts may be missing, damaged, or the Booster Seat may have been in a crash.

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11.0 MAINTENANCE

11.1 Removing Seat Pad, Back Pad and Headrest Pad:

Gently unhook elastic and plastic strip from the front of the booster. Remove pads from Booster Seat.

11.2 Cleaning Seat Pad, Back Pad and Headrest Pad:

Hand wash in cool water with mild soap.

Air dry.

11.3 Cleaning Shell:

Wipe with mild solution of soap and water. Avoid wetting labels.

Rinse with clean water.

Never use "household" detergents or solvents.

11.4 Reattach Seat Pad, Back Pad and Headrest Pad:

Place pads on Booster Seat, re-secure elastic and plastic strip from front of the booster.

11.5 Replacement Parts

If You Need Help or Replacement Parts, please call our Customer Service Department at 1-800-328-7363 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Pacific Standard Time, Monday through Friday or visit us online at www.babytrend.com

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