





CRAWLING

Krabat Pilot

Awards

Krabat Pilot is an innovative and unique type of crawling aid. Traditional crawling aids do not provide sufficient active assistance to lift the hips. Krabat Pilot does exactly this.



When a child receives help to lift his/her hips it becomes easier for them to place the knees under their body to facilitate crawling. The lifting movement that is provided by Krabat Pilot is dynamic, constantly changing as the child crawls. By using the Krabat Co-Pilot position and crawling system we give the child adequate friction on the surface and adjustable elastic bands to alternate the leg movements. These elastic bands will also guide the child into the crawling position and limit hip abduction.

Krabat Pilot requires individual testing and adaptation.

Technical data

MEASUREMENT	DISCRIPTION	SIZE
A	Inner width	30 cm
B	Width of the board	25 cm
C	Length of the board	21-28 cm
D	Total width	39 cm
E	Height	15-21 cm
F	Total length	31 cm
	Weight	1.9 kg
	Age	From 9 months
	Max. weigth of user	25 kg

Adjustment of hight



Variable settings, lowest position



Variable settings, highest position

Board variations



The two boards have several possibilities for adjustment to give the child the best possible support

Adjustment of gas spring



Gas spring in position of the most lift

Gas spring in position of medium lift

Gas spring in position of light lift

Movement

Krabat Pilot is a technical aid that supports a child on their hands and knees. This position is the pre-stage to crawling and moving around. The Pilot assists the child up from the floor which helps to stimulate participation and play. Weight bearing through the hips and shoulder is very important for the child motor learning.

We strongly advise the use of the Krabat Pilot as early as possible while the child is motivated to get up on to their hands and knees, and crawl. The patented aid has a gas spring which gives the child a dynamic assistance to lift their pelvis. The amount of assistance given by the gas spring can be individually adjusted to meet the needs of the child. In addition, the height of the aid and the length of the board can be altered, making the Krabat Pilot suitable for children between the ages of 1 – 5 years. The optimal configuration for the end user is decided at an individual trial.

It is easy to place the child in the aid. Apart from a strap which is situated in the groin and buttock area the child is not fixed to the aid. This allows the child to move relatively freely, an important basis for crawling and the child's well-being.

The Krabat Pilot is constructed to minimize the danger of injury to the child fingers. The padded board which the child lies on is soft and easy to clean.

The Krabat Pilot is modern and well designed. It is compact and easy to carry.



Krabat Co-Pilot

Friction on the knees is important for crawling. The Krabat Co-pilot position and crawling system is developed to protect the child knees and give the adequate friction on wooden and linoleum floors.

Furthermore, it assists the child in moving the knees forward during crawling. An elastic band connects the knee pads to the aid, and/or connects the knee pads to each other. The elastic bands are limiting hip abduction and guide the child into the crawling position.



Standard Pilot



Standard equipped Krabat Pilot

Equipment



Krabat Co-Pilot



Back strap



Butterfly harness



Item numbers

KRABAT ITEM NO	DISCRIPTION
100-1001	Krabat Pilot
100-1010	Krabat Co-Pilot crawl- and positioning aid
100-1040	Butterfly harness
100-1041	Back strap
100-2001	Complete board, white
100-2002	Complete cushion, black
100-2003	Gas Spring 160N