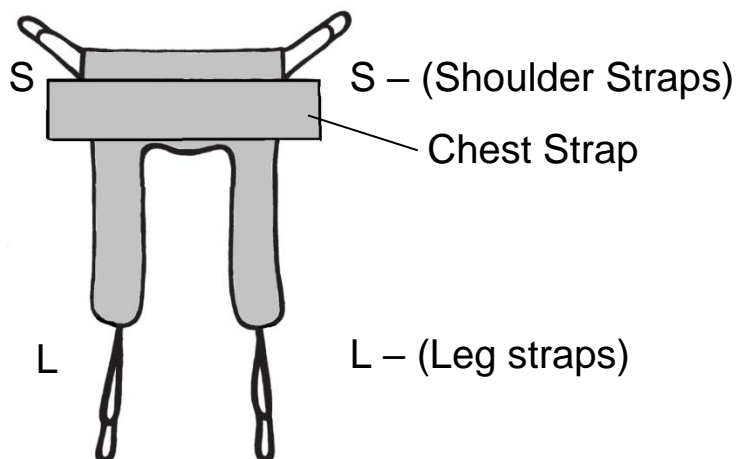


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## COMBINATION TYPE SLING

### SEATED POSITION



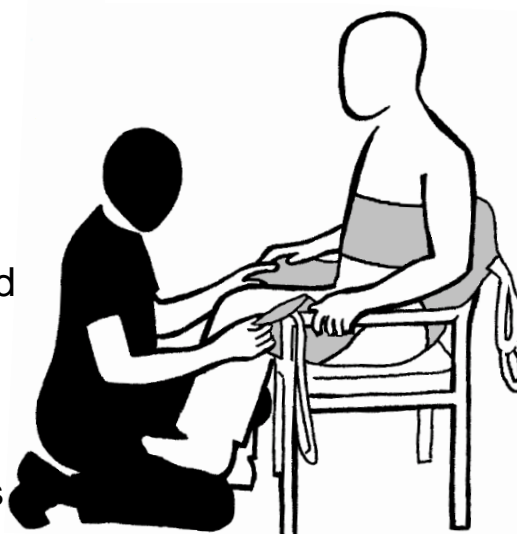
SLING SHOULD ALWAYS BE USED FROM SEATED POSITION

**1** Person to lean forward, slide the sling down the back of the person. Fasten strap across torso, leaving gap under armpits. Ensure the person's **arms remain on the inside** of the sling at all times.



**2** Person to lift thigh.  
Carer to move leg section of sling underneath thigh.  
Repeat for other leg.

**3** Position leg section between the legs and feed one strap through the other.



**N.B.** • It may be easier to place the person's foot on the carer's thigh in order to do this.

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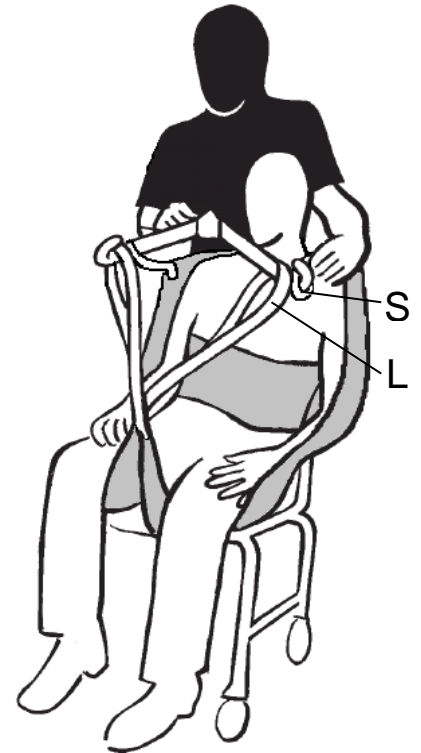
#### ATTACHING SLING TO HOIST

- 4** Keeping the arms **inside** the sling connect shoulder straps (**S**) onto the spreader bar hooks.

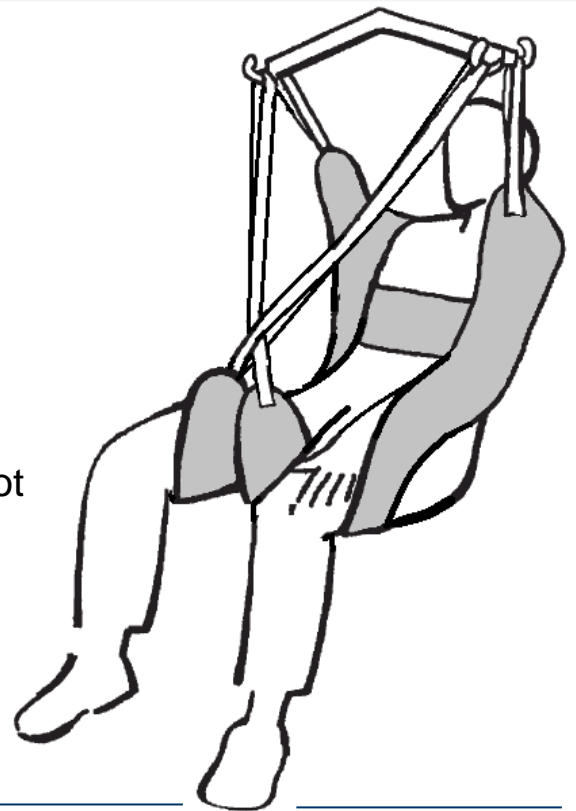
(Refer to Moving and Handling Care Plan (MHCP) for recommended loops)

- 5** Connect both leg straps (**L**) onto spreader bar hooks.

(Refer to MHCP for recommended loops)



- 6** Ensure all sling straps are secure. Operate the hoist. As the hoist starts to lift, **stop and check** the sling is comfortable before fully lifting; ensure that leg straps do not ride up and cut into groin area.



- N.B.**
- Ensure that labels and handle(s) are on the outside of the sling.
  - Ensure chest strap is securely fitted prior to lifting.