



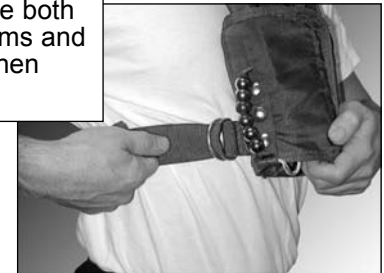
**PARA SWIMMER VEST
INSTRUCTIONS
PN 769041**

General Warnings

- Before using the Para Swimmer Vest you must read the instruction sheet completely.
- Before using, inspect the entire vest for leakage or other damage. If any part of this vest does not function properly or is damaged, remove from service until repaired.
- Do not inhale from the Para Swimmer Vest oral inflator. The vest may contain contaminants from a previous CO2 firing or other source.
- The Para Swimmer Vest is not approved for use in SCUBA Diving.

Donning and Adjustment Procedures

1. Place the Para Swimmer Vest over your head. Next, route both straps underneath your arms and through the D rings, and then tighten straps.



2. Fully inflate the Para Swimmer Vest by loosening the knurl nut on the oral inflation tube and depress the oral inflator valve. Exhale into the valve until the vest is full. If the fit is too tight, adjust the straps for comfort.



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Vest Maintenance

Proper maintenance will provide for years of reliable service. The Para Swimmer Vest should be stored away from direct sunlight.

1. After each use, soak the exterior of the vest with fresh water.



2. Detach HABD pocket (optional) and fresh water rinse all components.



3. Open storage pocket and fresh water rinse. Ensure the hook and loop fabric is clean from all debris.

4. Unscrew CO₂ cartridge from actuator and fresh water rinse all components.

5. Inflate the vest with air and drain any water out through the overpressure relief valve by pulling down on the toggle allowing the water to drain. If water drains from inside the vest a fresh water rinse should be done as follows:

a. To fresh water rinse the vest open the OPR valve or oral inflation valve and directly fill the vest with water.

b. Swish the water around to remove any mineral deposits and then drain the water through the OPR valve or oral inflation valve. Taste the last drops for salt. If salt is detected, repeat the cleaning procedures for the internal bladder.

6. To dry the vest after cleaning, inflate the vest half full to allow for drying of the inner bladder. **DO NOT** dry the vest in direct sunlight. Store the partially inflated vest in a cool, dry and clean area.

7. Check the vest 30 minutes later for any leakage. If any leaks or holes are detected repair the vest utilizing the Aqua Lung Repair Kit, P. N. 42611.

DO NOT use aerosol silicone sprays or cleaners to lubricate the components, the propellants or carrier solvent cause cracking or crazing.

Warranty

Aqua Lung America warrants this product to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of one year from the date of original purchase. Aqua Lung will repair or replace products that prove to be defective under normal conditions and proper use.

Vest Inspection and Function Test

Prior to each use, the vest should be given a thorough visual inspection and function test.

1. Fully inflate the vest and set aside for 30 minutes; loss of firmness indicates leakage, which must be corrected before use.

2. Ensure that all stitched together components are not separating.

3. Check that the oral inflation tube and valve properly function by depressing the valve and blowing into the tube. Ensure the knurl nut on the oral inflation tube turns freely.

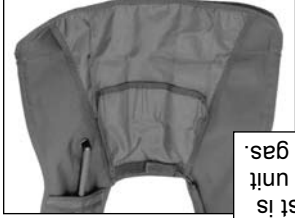
4. Remove the CO₂ cartridges and inspect both actuators. Ensure the actuator operates correctly by pulling on the toggle and checking that the pin travels up and down. Return the actuating arm to the UP position prior to rethreading the CO₂ cartridge into the actuator.

5. Perform a function check on the overpressure relief valve by fully inflating the vest and then squeezing the vest to ensure the valve opens allowing air to escape. Next pull on the toggle to ensure the valve is correctly working by allowing air to escape.



NOTE: The Overpressure Relief Valve will activate when internal pressure exceeds 2 psi greater than external pressure.

Step 1: Ensure vest is clean and dry. Lay unit flat and remove all gas.



Step 3: Fold each side in and overlap them until CO₂ bottles are visible on each side.



Step 4: Secure the bottle wrap around the vest by laying the left flap over the right flap and securing the hook and loop tape together tightly.



NOTE: Use of the optional HABD pocket is possible only if the PSV is not folded.