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BULLETIN DETAILS

Product Group:	Manual	
Model Affected:	Quickie RXS, RXS Kids and RX Kidz	
Effective Date: 01/03/2018	Serial No. Effective From:	N/A
Bulletin Subject:	RXS, RXS Kids and RX Kidz discontinuation	

Description of Bulletin:

Technical Bulletin UK082 is confirmation of the official discontinuation of the Quickie RXS, RXS Kids and RX Kidz commencing from 30th June 2018.

The RXS was replaced in functionality and features by the Quickie Life in 2013. Since the introduction of the Quickie Life F, the demand for the RXS has significantly reduced and has now reached a point where the manufacturing for the RXS is no longer viable.

The RXS will continue to be available up to 30th June 2018, after this date orders will no longer be processed.

Spares or equivalents will be maintained and supplied for 5 years for the RXS.

A replacement product can be found in the Quickie Life. Please see below for more information on the benefits of switching to the Quickie Life F.

Discontinued
RXS



Replacement
Quickie Life



Benefits to customers moving to the more modern Quickie Life F:

The Quickie Life F brings a significant number of benefits to the customer:

1. The standard **max user weight for the Life F is 140kg**, which is greater than that of the RXS.
2. It has a **seat depth range of 36 – 50cm and seat width of 36 – 54cm**. There is also the possibility of a smaller seat depth and width with the Quickie Life FT (teen version).
3. It is **lighter than the RXS** with the weight of the Life F from just 12kg.
4. There is a **5 year frame warranty and a 2 year guarantee on components** on the Life F.
5. The Life offers the **option of a folding back** - this gives a great value product utilising the high end technology that is currently being used by some of the really high end active manual chairs we offer. This gives a smaller folding package making the Life far easier for transportation and stowage and reducing upper body strain on the user.
6. It gives you the **option of 70, 80 and 90 degree hanger angles available**; this will cater for users wanting either a more compact set up offering a tighter turning circle or if they clinically require a tighter hanger angle due to tight hamstrings or restricted range of knee movement.
7. The Life includes a number of **Rehab and Lifestyle options** including headrest, tray table, one arm drive, **JAY Shape back**, hemi armrest and amputee pad to widen the portfolio and increase comfort for the user.
8. It has the **option of a larger 25 inch wheel for taller users** to enable a more optimal rear wheel set up. It also allows a greater reach around the wheel for improved energy efficiency. Users will travel further per push – an important benefit when propelling longer distances and to decrease the strain placed on arms and shoulders.
9. The Life offers **over 30 different colour options** for the frame and a new axle plate design in a choice of black, orange and silver, the new design not only has a more modern look, it's also lighter and increases durability. There is also a choice of coloured forks, wheels and castor rims improving the overall look of the chair and allowing the user to tailor it more to their liking.

The RXS kids and RX Kidz was also replaced in functionality and features by the Youngster 3 and Simba.

The demand for the RXS Kids and RX Kidz has significantly reduced and has now reached a point where the manufacturing for the RXS Kids and RX Kidz is no longer viable.

The RXS Kids and RX Kidz will continue to be available until 30th June 2018 after this date orders will no longer be processed.

Spares or equivalents will be maintained and supplied for 5 years for the RXS Kids and RX Kidz.

Replacement products can be found in the Zippie Youngster 3 and Zippie Simba, please see below for more on the benefits of switching to the Youngster 3 or the Simba

Discontinued
RXS Kids and RX Kidz

Replacements
Zippie Youngster 3 or Zippie Simba



Benefits to customers moving to the more modern Zippie Youngster 3 or Zippie Simba:

The Youngster 3 and Simba not only offer a more modern slicker look, they also offer more key benefits to the child. The Safari brakes allow the child to ensure an easy more accessible way for the child to engage their brakes when stationary. There is a much bigger array of options to cater for more types of individual needs and ensure the child has a more active life style. The weight of the chairs is approximately 2KG lighter, making life much easier for the child getting around and reduced weight for carers when lifting into vehicles. The Youngster 3 and Simba have built in width and depth growth within the chair, allowing the child to continue to use the product for a longer period of time as they naturally get bigger with age.

Literature affected:

- Parts Manual N/A
- Order Form RXS, RXS Kids and RX Kidz to be removed.

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