Building Wellness: Official Assembly Guide for the Bailey Chair

Real solutions and veterinary design for Canine Megaesophagus.



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Early Detection Board



Frequent regurgitation
(undigested food or water).



Weight loss
(even with a strong appetite).

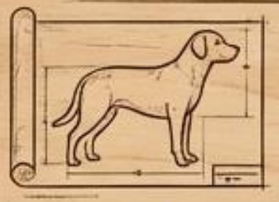


Difficulty swallowing
(dysphagia).



Respiratory issues
(coughing, secretions).

The Mega-Dog Promise



Megaesophagus has no definitive cure, but with proper care and the Bailey Chair, your dog can regain their quality of life.

You are not alone.



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Anatomy of the Bailey Chair

Ergonomic Cabin
Veterinary-advised design to maintain the ideal posture during and immediately after eating.

Comfort Padding
Resting panels for the seat and backrest, easily attached with velcro.



Adjustable Feeder
A sliding rail system that grows with your dog and strictly prevents tipping. strictly prevents tipping.

Safety Lock
Lateral mechanism to keep the dog securely locked in the upright position.

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The Workshop (Inventory & Tools)

Materials



11 machined wood pieces and 2 padded panels.

Required Tools



Hammer

Electric Screwdriver (For main structure only)

Manual Screwdriver (For precision elements)

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Hardware Matrix (Diagnostic Table)

Large Wood Screws



Use: Main structure and base.

Medium Wood Screws



Use: Door hinges.

Small Wood Screws



Use: Safety lock mechanism.

Wooden Dowels



Use: Initial assembly and alignment stops.

Metal Cotter Pins



Use: Removable door joint.

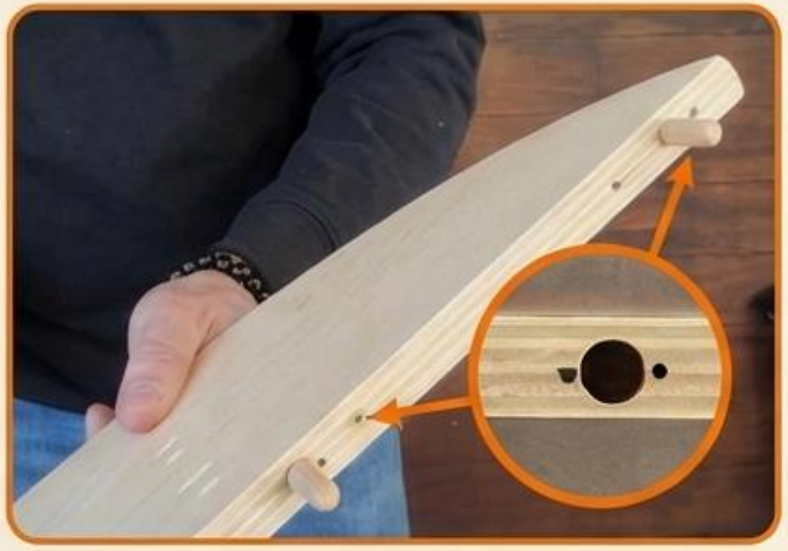
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Phase 1 & 2 - Base Feeder Assembly

Materials Needed



Source Sans Pro
+ Wooden Dowels
+ Large Wood Screws



Step 1: Insert Wooden Dowels into all black-marked holes. Tap gently with a hammer if necessary.



Step 2: Align the large and small holes in parallel to attach the side supports to the feeder base. Secure with Large Wood Screws.

Technical Precaution: Tighten firmly to secure the pieces, but be extremely careful not to strip the wood thread with the electric screwdriver.

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Phase 3 & 4 - Main Cabin & Base Stability



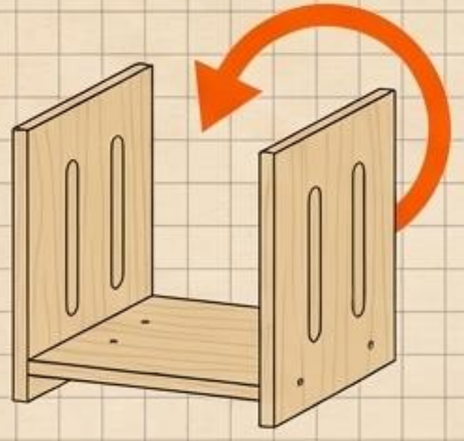
Materials Needed

+ Large Wood Screws



Step A: Attach the two side pieces to the main back panel using Large Wood Screws.

Pro-Tip: Hold the pieces firmly during assembly. Prevent the heavy weight of the wood from pulling down and damaging the joints before they are screwed tight.



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Step B: Flip the cabin upside down. Align the holes of the heavy square base plate with the upper structure and secure with Large Wood Screws for maximum stability.

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Phase 5 & 6 - Hinges and Door Installation

Materials Needed



+ Medium Wood Screws
+ Metal Cotter Pins

Red Alert Badge

Tool Swap!

Put away the electric drill. Use the manual screwdriver for greater pressure control.



Attach hinges to the lowest pre-drilled holes on the main cabin side walls using Medium Wood Screws.





Fit the front door into the main cabin hinges. Drop the Metal Cotter Pins into the hinge cylinders. Ensure the flat head of the pin faces up.

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Phase 7 & 8 - Locking Mechanism & Height Regulator

Materials Needed

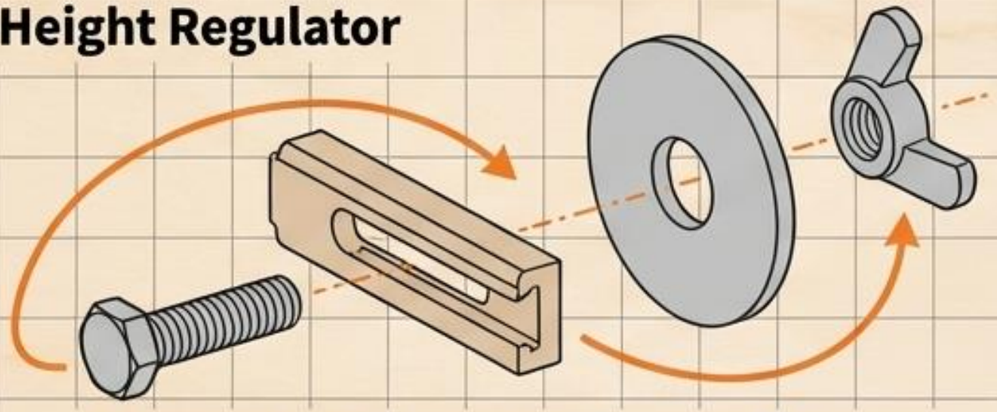
+ Small Wood Screws
+ Bolt
+ Washer
+ Wingnut

Safety Lock



Install the door lock using Small Wood Screws (manual screwdriver). Ensure the latch height matches your chosen hinge level.

Height Regulator



1. Bolt (inside feeder) → 2. Door Track → 3. Washer → 4. Wingnut

Safety Lateral Movement

Even when the wingnut is tightly secured, the track system allows for slight lateral movement. This is an intentional design feature to prevent the chair from tipping over.

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Phase 9 - Finishes & Final Review



Place the seat and backrest padding. Press the velcro firmly against the wood.



Insert the stainless steel bowl into the top opening.

Ready! Your feeding station is complete.

Final check: Review that all components are secure, stable, and locked before placing your dog inside.

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Ready to care.
Ready to live.

The assembly is complete. You have taken a vital step toward improving your dog's health and digestion against Megaesophagus.

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