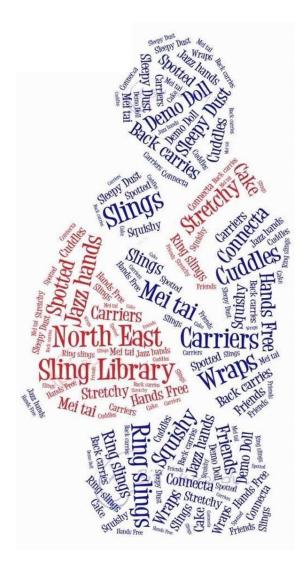
# North East Sling Library Catalogue



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## Welcome to the North East Sling Library.

This is guide hopes to provide you with details of what we stock and the costs to hire.

We currently have over 220 different slings and carriers for you to try, with more arriving every month. There are several sessions per month. Some of these are based at my home, while others are at various locations throughout the North East. All sessions are listed on our website homepage and we update Facebook and Twitter with details of each session. For the travelling sessions, if you wish for us to bring a specific sling then please message our Facebook page and if it is in stock we will bring it with us. The slings we have available at each session will vary based on those due back, out on hire and overdue.

We try to keep our sling hire rates as low as possible. It is £5 for 2 weeks and £8 for 4 weeks. Stretchy wraps (and stretchy hybrids) can be hired for 3 months for £20. Please be aware that we do charge late fees. We send a reminder to you a couple of days before sling is due back. Please let us know if you cannot bring it back to this session as we can extend your hire at normal hire fees. Our late fees are charged at £1 per day (£5 per week).

#### What types of slings are available?

The sling library has a range of over 220 different slings. Each is suitable for different occasions and not all will suit each wearer or baby. Some will require additional inserts or adaptions to make them suitable for small babies. Please speak to our team if you are unsure which one is best for you. They will use their knowledge to select the one which is most suitable based on the information you provide. It will not be possible during a sling library session to try several slings due to the nature of the sessions. I do not teach back carrying during a sling library session as they are simply too busy to be able to do it safely. If you want to try several and receive dedicated 1:1 support a sling consultation should be booked with our consultant, Rachel. There are a variety of 1:1 appointments available to suit your individual needs. To book an appointment please visit our booking site to select the date and time of your choice.

http://www.bookedin.net/the-north-east-sling-library

#### <u>Wraps</u>

Wraparound slings (wraps for short) are a long piece of fabric that is wrapped around the wearer and baby. They are generally classified in two categories: woven and stretchy wraps.

#### Stretchy wraps

Stretchy wraps and stretchy hybrid carriers such as the Close Caboo are often a parent's first experience of using a sling. They are suitable to use from birth. Most parents look to move on from using a stretchy wrap from around 4 to 6 months (typically 15-20lb). Many parents choose a stretchy wrap because of the ability to easily pre-tie the wrap in a Pocket Wrap Cross Carry, allowing them to prepare the wrap before putting their baby inside. Stretchy wraps have either one or



two way stretch. One way stretch wraps stretch along the width of fabric only, whereas two way stretch wraps have both horizontal and vertical stretch (length and width).

#### Woven wraps

These are the most versatile of all carriers available on the market and can be used from birth until you want to stop carrying. Some hospitals even use them



as labour aids, so they are incredibly strong. Woven wraps can be made from a variety of threads. Gauze wraps are generally much thinner and often cheaper. Simple piece of cloth carriers (SPOC) are made from fabric which did not have the original purpose of being used to make a baby sling.

There is a plethora of tying methods with a woven wrap and each size requires a different amount of fabric. The new or novice wrappers often need more fabric while they practise and master their technique and tightening methods.

#### Asian Based Carriers

Asian Based Carriers are based on the traditional carriers of East Asia. Traditional style carriers have formed the basis of the variety of soft structured carriers that are now available.



*Mei Tai* are extremely popular and are some of the simplest to use. These traditionally have a square body with waist straps and longer shoulder straps. They are tied around the wearers' waist and baby is placed on the waist band, the body panel is brought up over baby and sling is secured by crossing the shoulder straps over the wearer and tying. Some Mei Tai's are adjustable allowing them to be sized to fit even the smallest of babies.

**Podeagi (Pods)** are a traditional Korean carrier. They are made up of a blanket (wide or narrow styles exist) and long shoulder straps. Can be used across age ranges but requires skills to perfect when used from birth.

**Onbuhimo (Onbu)** originate from Japan. They have a square or rectangular body panel similar to a mei tai but have rings or loops at the waist through which the long shoulder straps are threaded.



**Soft Structured Carriers** are based on traditional Asian slings but have been developed to include padded shoulder straps, buckle closing and structured waist. Most can be used from birth (7.5lb)

but may require an additional newborn insert to help boost baby in the sling.

#### One shoulder slings

Ring Slings are a made up of a long (around 2m) piece of fabric that is stitched



around two rings and secured by passing the free tail through the rings, thus creating an adjustable pouch for baby. As they are secured by passing the tail through the rings they can be sized to fit different adults and different size children. They can be used from birth.

**Pouches** are also a one shoulder sling but these are sized to the wearer and baby making them difficult to swap between

different adults. They are fundamentally however the simplest carrier there is, as they are made from a single loop of fabric that is worn like a sash across the body.

**Scootababy**<sup>™</sup> is a one shoulder buckle carrier. It has a buckle waist and can be used from approximately 4 months upwards. The shoulder is made from polar fleece for comfort of the wearer.



#### Please Note:

Remember if you have any questions ask our team. They are experiences sling users, many are trained peer supporters with Born to Carry and Rachel is a trained and qualified babywearing consultant.

Measurements of slings have been included where possible. East Sussex Slings have an extremely useful, carrier conversion chart on their website

http://eastsussexslings.co.uk/carrier-comparison/

### **Carrier Catalogue**

Please note when we have multiples of each carrier only one will be shown. The pattern, colourway or print of the carrier you hire may not be that shown. We cannot reserve patterns etc. Photographs of all carriers are not included.

### WRAPS

### Stretchy Wraps – One Way Stretch

#### Name of Sling: *Moby Wrap* Age Range: Newborn – approx. 6 months Size: One size Deposit Value: £40 Colourways available: Navy, Born Free (cream), Brown

#### Name of Sling: ByKay Essentials

Age Range: Newborn – 6 months Size: One size Deposit Value: £40 Colourways available: Petrol

#### Name of Sling: Ama Wrap

Age Range: Newborn – 6 months Size: One size Deposit Value: £30 Colourways available: Wine

#### Name of Sling: Joy and Joe

Age Range: Newborn – 6 months Size: One size Deposit Value: £20 Colourways available: Wine

#### Name of Sling: Victoria Sling Lady

Age Range: Newborn – 6 months Size: One size Deposit Value: £20 Colourways available: Summer Yellow









Name of Sling: Lenny Lamb Stretchy Age Range: Newborn – 6 months Size: One size Deposit Value: £30 Colourways available: Pistachio

### Stretchy Wraps – Two Way Stretch

#### Name of Sling: Boba Wrap

Age Range: Newborn – 6 months Size: One size Deposit Value: £40 Colourways available: Navy, Sangria, Brown, Black

#### Name of Sling: JPMBB Original

Age Range: Newborn – 14kg Size: One size Deposit Value: £60 Colourways available: Green and grey, pistachio

#### Name of Sling: JPMBB Basic

Age Range: Newborn – 12kg Size: One size Deposit Value: £40 Colourways available: Teal, black

#### Name of Sling: Ergobaby wrap

Age Range: Newborn – 2 years Size: One size Deposit Value: £60 Colourways available: Black and camel

#### Name of Sling: Kari Me

Age Range: Newborn – 6 months Size: One size Deposit Value: £40 Colourways available: Navy, Cream

**Name of Sling:** *Cot to Tot* Age Range: Newborn – 6 months







Size: One size Deposit Value: £30 Colourways available: Grey

#### Name of Sling: Hana Baby Wrap

Age Range: Newborn – 6 months Size: One size Deposit Value: £40 Colourways available: Sky Blue, Charcoal

#### Name of Sling: Calin Bleu Fleece

Age Range: Newborn – 6 months Size: One size Deposit Value: £40 Colourways available: Navy and grey

#### Name of Sling: SnugiWrap

Age Range: Newborn – 6 months Size: One size Deposit Value: £20 Colourways available: Lilac





### **Stretchy Hybrid carriers**

#### Name of Sling: Close Caboo organic

Age Range: Newborn – 6 months Size: One size Deposit Value: £40 Colourways available: Italin plum, teal, Denim, Grey, Totally Taupe, purple with flowers Other Useful Information: This is a two part system,



the main 'cross' part of the sling and then the separate 'seat belt' which doubles up as a bag to store the sling in.

#### Name of Sling: Close Caboo NCT

Age Range: Newborn – 6 months Size: One size Deposit Value: £30 Colourways available: grey Other Useful Information: This is a two part system, the



and then the separate 'seat belt' which doubles up as a bag to store the sling in.

#### Name of Sling: Close Caboo DX

Age Range: Newborn – 12 months Size: One size Accessories: n/a Deposit Value: £50 Other Useful Information: This is a two part system,

the main 'cross' part of the then sling and the shell. separate outer

Fastens with buckles rather than tying.

#### Name of Sling: TotsBots Papoozle

Age Range: Newborn – 12 months Size: One size Accessories: n/a Deposit Value: £40 Colourways available: Steal blue Other Useful Information: This is a two part system, the main 'cross' part of the sling



which fastens around waist with buckle and a separate third layer.

### **Woven Wraps**

#### Name of Sling: Didymos Carbie Fishe 2

Age Range: Newborn –until you want to stop carrying Size: 2.6m Deposit Value: £40 Other Useful Information: Linen /cotton blend

#### Name of Sling: Didymos Trageschule 2

Age Range: Newborn –until you want to stop carrying Size: 2.6m Deposit Value: £40

#### Name of Sling: Girasol light rainbow 3

Age Range: Newborn –until you want to stop carrying Size: 3.2 m Deposit Value: £50 Other Useful Information: This wrap is part of Rachel's personal collection and is loaned to library. Wrap has fringed ends.

#### Name of Sling: Neobulle Julie 4

Age Range: Newborn –until you want to stop carrying Size: 3.6m Deposit Value: £50

#### Name of Sling: Little Frog Agate Natur 5

Age Range: Newborn –until you want to stop carrying Size: 4.2m Deposit Value: £40 Other Useful Information: Linen /cotton blend

### Name of Sling: Tula Wrap Orchid 5

Age Range: Newborn –until you want to stop carrying Size: 4.2m Deposit Value: £80













#### Name of Sling: Lenny Lamb Indian Summer 6

Age Range: Newborn –until you want to stop carrying Size: 4.6m Deposit Value: £40

#### Name of Sling: Ellevil Tri Blu 6

Age Range: Newborn –until you want to stop carrying Size: 4.6m Deposit Value: £50 Other Useful Information: Long diagonal tapers make this wrap more like a 5 than a 6.

#### Name of Sling: Firespirals Teaching Wrap 6

Age Range: Newborn –until you want to stop carrying Size: 4.6m Deposit Value: £60 Other Useful Information: Please remove watches and jewellery such as bracelets and rings when using this wrap as it has quite a loose weave so pulls easily. The loose weave does make it very soft though.

#### Name of Sling: Amazonas 6

Age Range: Newborn –18months but tested to higher weight Size: 4.5m Deposit Value: £40

#### Name of Sling: Calin Bleu Amethyst 6

Age Range: Newborn –18months but tested to higher weight Size: 4.6m Deposit Value: £30 Other Useful Information: Gauze wrap. Ideal lightweight wrap for summer. Quick drying and cool.

#### Name of Sling: Fil'UP Mesh wrap

Age Range: Newborn –18months but tested to higher weight Size: 4.6m Deposit Value: £60













Other Useful Information: Mesh fabric weave provides cool summer carrying wrap. Ideal for hot climates. Can be used for front, back and hip carries.

Name of Sling: Girasol #6 7

Age Range: Newborn –18months but tested to higher weight Size: 5.2m Deposit Value: £60

### ASIAN BASED CARRIERS

### **Soft Structured Carriers**

#### Name of Sling: Action Baby Carrier

Age Range: Birth to 18months Size: Height – up to 15" Waist strap length 25-39 inches Shoulder straps 17-36 inches Accessories: two piece chest strap Deposit Value: £40 – chest straps cost between £5 depending

Name of Sling: Action Baby Carrier TODDLER Age Range: 18 months to 3 years Size: Height – up to 17" Waist strap length 25-39 inches Shoulder straps 17-43 inches Accessories: two piece chest strap Deposit Value: £50 – chest straps cost between £5 depending Colourways available: Black and Grey, Spots [brown]

Name of Sling: Amazonas Smart Carrier

Age Range: Birth to 18 months Accessories: n/a Deposit Value: £30

### Name of Sling: Babyhawk Oh Snap

Age Range: 10 months to 3 years Size: Height – up to 18" Waist strap length 29-46 inches





#### Shoulder straps 25-43 inches Deposit Value: £50 – chest straps cost between £5 depending

#### Name of Sling: Beco Gemini

Age Range: Birth to 18 months approx Size: Height – up to 14" Waist strap length 28-56 inches Shoulder straps 23-50 inches Deposit Value: £50 – chest straps cost between £5 depending

Other useful information – Adjustable seat for newborn or forward facing out

Colourways available: Arrow, nova, jake, River Espresso, Stella Black

#### Name of Sling: Beco Soleil

Age Range: Birth to 3 years Size: Height – up to 17" Waist strap length 29-57 inches Shoulder straps 21-43 inches Deposit Value: £50 – chest straps cost between £5 depending Other useful information – Requires insert for newborn babies to 15lb. Adjustable shoulder straps Colourways available: Brown Espresso, Black Luca, Grey Ellie,

#### Name of Sling: Boba 4g

Age Range: Birth to 3 years Size: Height – up to 16" Waist strap length 26-57 inches Shoulder straps: 18-42 inches

Deposit Value: £50 – chest straps cost between £5 depending Other useful information – Comes with newborn removable insert. We do have some 3G carriers available which do not have the insert but require slight modification to be suitable for newborn. Has additional foot stirrups for older babies.

Colourways available: Tweet, Montengro, Glacier, Safari, Vail, Wildflower,

#### Name of Sling: Boba air

Age Range: 15lb to 3 years Size: Height – up to 16" Waist strap length 26-56 inches







Shoulder straps 20-42 inches

Deposit Value: £40 – chest straps cost between £5 depending

Other useful information – Folds very small by folding into itself. Weighs less than 500g. Suitable for older babies only. Wipe clean fabric.

Colourways available: Blue and Black

#### Name of Sling: Connecta Baby Carrier (standard)

Age Range: 7.5lb – 24kg but most stop using around 18months and use toddler version

Size: Height- Up to 17" (waist can be rolled for a smaller baby)

Width – Up to 14" (panel can be cinched for a smaller baby) Waist Strap Length – Up to 140cms Padded section of straps - 14 inches

Accessories: Separate Accessory strap used to clinch base for newborn or as a chest strap

Deposit Value: £40 – chest straps cost between £2.50-5 depending on the one you are given.

Colourways available: Birds of Norway, Café Latte, Anchors, Zoology, Anchors in life's ocean, New Chevron, Black, Mischief Managed, Union Jack, Whales, Lacework, Cosmic Dots

#### Name of Sling: Connecta Baby Carrier (petite)

Age Range: 7.5lb – 24kg but most stop using around 18months and use toddler version

Size: Height- Up to 17" (waist can be rolled for a smaller baby)

Width – Up to 14" (panel can be cinched for a smaller baby)

Waist Strap Length – Up to 140cms

Padded section of straps - 12 inches

Accessories: Separate Accessory strap used to clinch base for newborn or as a chest strap

Deposit Value: £40 – chest straps cost between £2.50-5 depending on the one you are given.

Colourways available: Feeling Groovy, Mini Dots, Mud Dots, Skulls and flowers, New Chevron, Ivory bloom,

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#### Name of Sling: Connecta Baby Carrier Wrap Fabrics

Age Range: 7.5lb – 24kg but most stop using around 18months and use toddler version

Size: Height- Up to 17" (waist can be rolled for a smaller baby)

Width – Up to 14" (panel can be cinched for a smaller baby)

Waist Strap Length – Up to 140cms Padded section of straps - 14 inches

Accessories: Separate Accessory strap used to clinch base for newborn or as a chest strap

Deposit Value: £40 – chest straps cost between £2.50-5 depending on the one you are given.

Colourways available: Oscha Juliet Birds, Girasol [Gothic Rainbow, Natural Mamas Diamond Weave, Natural Mamas, Woodland Mist, Northern Lights, Rainforest], Storchenweige Lily

#### Name of Sling: Connecta Baby Carrier TODDLER SIZE

Age Range: 18 months upwards. Tested to 24kg Size: Height- Up to 22"

Width – Up to 16.5" Waist Strap Length – Up to 142cms Shoulder Strap Length – 44-104cm

Accessories: Separate accessory strap

Deposit Value:  $\pm 50$  – chest straps cost between  $\pm 2.50-5$  depending on the one you are given.

Colourways available: Elephants, Back Yard, Harris Tweed, Pink Chevron, Sweet Owlies (petite straps). Blackberry Solar [Petite], Sage Solar. Preschool size version available in Denim.



#### Name of Sling: Connecta Baby Carrier Solar (formerly Solarweave)

Age Range: 7.5lb – 24kg but most stop using around 18months and use toddler version

Size: Height- Up to 17" (waist can be rolled for a smaller baby)

Width – Up to 14" (panel can be cinched for a smaller baby)

Waist Strap Length – Up to 140cms Padded section of straps - 14 inches





Accessories: Separate Accessory strap used to clinch base for newborn or as a chest strap Deposit Value: £40 – chest straps cost between £2.50-5 depending on the one you are given. Colourways available: Sage, Sand, Blackberry, Blue [petite]

#### Name of Sling: ErgoBaby Carrier

Age Range: Birth to 3 years Size: Height – up to 14" Waist strap length 24-44 inches Shoulder straps 21-41 inches Deposit Value: £80 Other useful information – Newborn insert required to around 15lb (4-6 months), Colourways available: Cranberry, Green [organic]



#### Name of Sling: ErgoBaby 360 Carrier

Age Range: Birth to 3 years Size: Height – up to 16" Waist strap length 26-56 inches Shoulder straps 20-42 inches Deposit Value: £120 Other useful information –. Newborn insert required to around 15lb (4-6 months), 4 position carrier with Forward Facing Out position. Velcro waist fastening. Colourways available: Black and Camel



#### Name of Sling: ErgoBaby Stowaway Carrier

Age Range: Birth to 3 years

Size: Height – up to 16"

Waist strap length 24-44 inches

Shoulder straps 21-41 inches

Deposit Value: £40

Other useful information –. Newborn insert required to around 15lb (4-6 months),

Colourways available: Black and Camel

Other useful information: This carrier was discontinued production by Ergo in 2014, but it is an ideal carrier if you want the comfort of an Ergo but in a sling which doesn't take up much room. Ideal for travel.

#### Name of Sling: ErgoBaby Performance Carrier

Age Range: Birth to 3 years Size: Height – up to 16" Waist strap length 24-44 inches Shoulder straps 29-55 inches Deposit Value: £40 Other useful information –. Newborn insert required to around 15lb (4-6 months), Colourways available: Lime green

#### Name of Sling: Lillebaby Complete Original

Age Range: Birth to 3 years Size: Height – up to 15-19" Waist strap length 24-47 inches Shoulder straps 24-44 inches

Deposit Value: £60

Other useful information –. 6 position carrier suitable from birth to preschool. Adjustable waist and optional lumber support available.

Colourways available: Black

#### Name of Sling: Lillebaby CarryOn Air TODDLER

Age Range: 18 months + Size: Height – up to 18-Waist strap length 27-53 inches Shoulder straps 18-43 inches Deposit Value: £60

Other useful information –. 6 position carrier suitable from birth to preschool. Adjustable waist and optional lumber support available. Colourways available: Black

#### Name of Sling: Lillebaby All Seasons

Age Range: Birth to 3 years Size: Height – up to 13-18" Waist strap length 23-50 inches Shoulder straps 24-44 inches Deposit Value: £60







Other useful information –. 6 position carrier suitable from birth to preschool. Adjustable waist and optional lumber support available.

Colourways available: Black

#### Name of Sling: Lenny Lamb ergonomic

Age Range: 4 months to 2 years Size: Height – 16 inches Deposit Value: £60

Other useful information: straps can be crossed or worn rucksack, adjustable shoulder strap length, option to use from birth but requires modification.

#### Name of Sling: Lenny Lamb ergonomic TODDLER SIZE

Age Range: 4 months to 2 years Size: Height – 19 inches Deposit Value: £80 Other useful information: straps can be crossed or worn rucksack, adjustable shoulder strap length.

#### Name of Sling: Madame Goo Goo

Age Range: approx. 1-3 years Size: Height – up to 19" Waist strap length 30 -59 inches Shoulder straps 18 inches Deposit Value: £60 – chest straps cost £7

#### Name of Sling: Manduca

Age Range: Birth to 2 years + Size: Height – up to 16" Waist strap length 26-54 inches Shoulder straps 18 – 47 inches Deposit Value: £60 – chest straps cost £5

Other useful information: built in newborn insert, body panel extends for older baby. Straps can be worn crossed or rucksack. Adjustable shoulder straps. Dual adjustable buckles.

Colours available: Black [lily], Petrol, I am a tester 32





#### Name of Sling: Moby Aria

Age Range: Birth to preschool Size: Height – 15 – 19 inches Waist strap length 35- 62 inches Shoulder straps 20- 63 inches

Deposit Value: £80

Other useful information: Front mesh panel and button on front cover, integrated infant seat, 3 seat width settings, removable hood and 3 carrying positions. Shoulder straps can be worn crossed or in a rucksack position.

#### Name of Sling: Moby Go

Age Range: 4 months to 2 years Size: Height – 16 – 18 inches Waist strap length 29- 52 inches Shoulder straps 29- 47 inches Deposit Value: £40 Other useful information: front carrier only

#### Name of Sling: Olives and Applesauce

Age Range: Birth to 2 years + Size: Height – 16 inches Waist strap length 25- 60 inches Shoulder straps 18- 47 inches Deposit Value: £80 Other useful information: built in newborn insert, rucksack or crossable straps

#### Name of Sling: Onya Outback Carrier

Age Range: 15lb to 2 years + Size: Height – 16 inches Waist strap length 25- 56 inches Shoulder straps 17-36 inches Deposit Value: £80

#### Name of Sling: Pogane

Age Range: 4 months to 18 months approx. Size: Height – 16 inches Waist strap length 25- 42 inches Shoulder straps 23 - 39 inches









Deposit Value: £50 Other useful information: Zip mesh panel to help airflow to keep baby cool.

#### Name of Sling: Rose and Rebellion

Age Range: 4 months to 18 months Size: Height – 15 inches Waist strap length 25- 52 inches Shoulder straps 22- 40 inches Deposit Value: £80 Other useful information: baby must have secure head control to be able to use, rucksack or crossable straps Colourways available: Paper horses, The Lucky One

#### Name of Sling: Rose and Rebellion Inbetween Size

Age Range: 18 months – 3 years Size: Height – 18 inches Waist strap length 31-57 inches Shoulder straps 22-42 inches Deposit Value: £80 Other useful information: rucksack or crossable straps

#### Name of Sling: Rose and Rebellion Preschool Size

Age Range: 2.5 – 5 years + Size: Height – 20 inches Waist strap length 31- 57 inches Shoulder straps 22- 42 inches Deposit Value: £80 Colourways available: Zebedee, Skulls

#### Name of Sling: Sleepy Nico

Age Range: 4 months to 18 months Size: Height – 15 inches Waist strap length 28- 51 inches Shoulder straps 19- 41 inches Deposit Value: £70

Name of Sling: SnugiWrap/ Nova Carriers Classic Buckles Age Range: 4 months to 18 months Deposit Value: £40







#### Name of Sling: Tula Baby Carrier

Age Range: Birth to 2 years + Size: Height – 16 inches Waist strap length 25- 52 inches Shoulder straps 29- 58 inches

Deposit Value: £90

Other useful information: Requires the addition of a newborn insert to make suitable from birth, rucksack straps only. Shoulder straps can be adjusted to make them bigger or smaller



#### Name of Sling: Tula Baby Carrier TODDLER SIZE

Age Range: 2 years – 5 years + Size: Height – 19 inches Waist strap length 25- 59 inches Shoulder straps 18- 48 inches Deposit Value: £100 Colourways available: Black Pike, Grey Zig Zag

#### Name of Sling: TwinGo Carrier – arriving May 2015

Age Range: 4 months to 2 years approx Size: Height – 14 inches Waist strap length – interlocking waist 27-60 inches (single waist 20-50)

Shoulder straps 21-40 inches

Deposit Value: £180

Other useful information: This carrier is designed to be used to carry twins at the same time. It is a front and back carrier so requires babies to have head control. Can be used as two individual carriers. Max weight of 70lb when using as twin

carrier, or as two individual carriers 40lb each. Can be used to carry two different age children – biggest child is carried on the wearers back.

Name of Sling: Wompat Carrier TODDLER Size Age Range: 1 – 3 years Deposit Value: £100 Other useful information: older style, does not have perfect fit adjusters Colourways available: Black Pike, Grey Zig Zag







### Mei Tai

#### Name of Sling: BabyHawk

Age Range: Birth to 18 months Deposit Value: £40 Colourways available: Minkee double sided with birds, or stripes single sided

#### Name of Sling: BabyHawk Oh Mei

Age Range: Birth to 18 months Deposit Value: £60 Other useful information: Half buckle waist, adjustable waist for a snug fit to wearer not the baby.

#### Name of Sling: Bondolino

Age Range: Birth to 2 years + Deposit Value: £80 Size: Height 15 inches Waist strap length: 28 – 43 inches Shoulder strap length: 67 inches

Other useful information: Velcro waist, mei tai straps, base adjusts as baby gets bigger (min width 7inches – max 15 inches). Semi structured carrier

#### Name of Sling: Ellaroo Mei Tai

Age Range: 4-24 months Deposit Value: £40 Other useful information: Reversible to plain cream. Head rest can be folded up or magnet to keep it folded down.

#### Name of Sling: Freehand Mei Tai

Age Range: 4 months to 2 years Deposit Value: £50 Other useful information: Freehand have ceased manufacturer but come up second hand. Sling primarily for demo kit but can be hired if required.

#### Name of Sling: Girasol MySol

Age Range: Birth to 2 years + Deposit Value: £80











Other useful information: Tapered body shape and removal waist strap to widen base. Reversible colour.

#### Name of Sling: Hopp Tye

Age Range: Birth to 2 years + Deposit Value: £80 Size: Height- 17.5" Width – Up to 15.5" Waist Strap Length – 200cm Shoulder Strap Length – 215cm Other useful information: Adjustable base and elasticated sides to fit babies from birth up. Colourways available: Kiwi Pune, Chicago



#### Name of Sling: Kitten Creations MT

Age Range: 10 -24 months Deposit Value: £50 Other useful information: Comes with own storage bag, reversible to gold silk on inside

#### Name of Sling: Lenny Lamb MT

Age Range: 4 months to 2 years approx. (Toddler 2 – 4 years approx) Deposit Value: £50 Other useful information: made from wrap fabric. Standard and toddler size available.

#### Name of Sling: Little Patch MT

Age Range: Birth to 18 months Deposit Value: £30

#### Name of Sling: Melkaj MT

Age Range: 4 months to 2 years approx. (Toddler 2 – 4 years approx) Deposit Value: £50 Other useful information: Standard and Toddler sizes available. Made with cord straps and owl print fabric.

#### Name of Sling: Opitai MT

Age Range: 4 months to 2 years approx



#### Deposit Value: £90

Other useful information: This wrap conversion mei tai was manufactured here in Durham City by the lovely Opitai Baby. It is made from a Hoppediz Timbuktu wrap and features sister straps (padded wrap straps) and pixie hood.

#### Name of Sling: Simply Mei Tai

Age Range: 4 months to 2 years approx Deposit Value: £90 Other useful information: This stunning mei tai

Other useful information: This stunning mei tai was made by the extremely talented Simply Mei Tai (SMT) and is made with

stunning pink cord and Echino Canvas fabric featuring zebra and leopard on a turquoise background. Lined with turquoise silk. Reversible. Flat hood. Coordinating Pod available.

#### Name of Sling: Storchenweige Carrier

Age Range: Birth to 2 years + Deposit Value: £60 Size: Height- up to 18 inches Waist Strap Length – 37-55 inches Shoulder Strap Length – 66 inches

Other useful information: This carrier is made from a Storchenweige wrap (Inka). It has an adjustable waist to narrow for smaller baby (5-17 inches), and neck, the body is also able to be extended for older babies. Padded mei tai straps.

### Onbuhimo (Onbu) & Podeagi (Pods)

#### Name of Sling: Simply Mei Tai Podeagi

Age Range: Birth to 3 years approx Deposit Value: £90

Other useful information: This stunning pod was made by the extremely talented Simply Mei Tai (SMT) and is made with stunning pink cord and Echino Canvas fabric featuring zebra







and leopard on a turquoise background. Lined with turquoise silk. Reversible. Curved head rest. Coordinating mei tai available.

#### Name of Sling: Rock Solid Tester Pod

Age Range: Birth to 3 years approx Deposit Value: £50

Other useful information: This stunning pod was made by the extremely talented Carrie at Rock Solid Slings in Gateshead. It has padded straps and long body panel.

#### Name of Sling: Rock Solid NESL logo Wrap Conversion

Pod

Age Range: Birth to 3 years approx Deposit Value: £50 Other useful information: This stunning pod was made by the

extremely talented Carrie at Rock Solid Slings in Gateshead. It is made from a Didymos Standard Wrap dyed Bahama Blue (dylon dye) and it has wrap style straps.



#### Name of Sling: Opitai Onbu

Age Range: 10 months to 2 years approx Deposit Value: £80

Other useful information: This Onbuhimo is made with a Girasol Tulipii wrap and denim fabric lining. It has small rings for threading to create seat for older baby/toddler. Advanced style of sling which I recommend for older babies and those used to carrying.

### **ONE SHOULDER SLINGS**

### **Ring Slings**

#### Name of Sling: Calin Bleu RS

Age Range: Birth to 18 months approx Deposit Value: £40 Size: Width 70cm, Length 200cm Other useful information: This ring sling is made with a cotton

gauze fabric making it an excellent choice for carrying in hot countries. Medium silver rings and gathered shoulder.

#### Name of Sling: Cats Miaow Mesh water RS



Age Range: Birth to 18 months Deposit Value: £30

Other useful information: This ring sling is ideal for carrying in hot countries or around water. It is not suitable for full submersion (swimming) but will allow you to be in the water with baby.

#### Name of Sling: Didymos Deep Sea Fish wrap

conversion RS
Age Range: Birth to preschool
Deposit Value: £60
Other useful information: This ring sling was converted by
Ocah Baby Carriers and is made from Didymos Deep Sea
Fish wrap. Large blue rings and pleated shoulder.

#### **Name of Sling:** *Didymos Silver Waves wrap conversion RS* Age Range: Birth to preschool

Deposit Value: £60

Other useful information: This ring sling was converted by Ocah Baby Carriers and is made from Didymos Silver waves wrap. Large silver rings and gathered shoulder. This sling is part of Rachel's personal collection but loaned to the library.

#### Name of Sling: Girasol Artic Rainbow RS

Age Range: Birth to preschool Deposit Value: £60 Size: Length 200m

Other useful information: This ring sling was made by Girasol direct. It features a gathered shoulder. The striped rainbow makes it ideal for learning to use a ring sling as it has clear contrasting rails.

#### Name of Sling: Hana Baby RS

Age Range: Birth to 1 year Deposit Value: £40 Size: Length 165cm Other useful information: This ring sling has a slight stretch. It is not made from the same fabric as the Hana Baby Wrap.









It is suitable for small babies. Please note this sling measures 165cm so is for small babies and will not fit all parents.

#### Name of Sling: Hoppediz Delhi RS

Age Range: Birth to preschool Deposit Value: £60 Size: Width 70cm Length 200cm Other useful information: This ring sling was made by Hoppediz direct. It features a gathered shoulder. The striped pattern makes it ideal for learning to use a ring sling as it has clear contrasting rails. Red large sling rings.

Name of Sling: JPMBB Little Wrap without the knot

Age Range: Birth to 18 months approx Deposit Value: £60 Size: 170cm long Other useful information: This ring sling has a slight stretch. It is not made from the same fabric as the JPMBB Wrap. It is suitable for small babies. Reversible colourway. Optional padded cushion protection available to cover the sling rings. Gathered shoulder.

#### Name of Sling: Lenny Lamb 'Autumn' RS

Age Range: Birth to preschool Deposit Value: £40 Size: Length 2.1m Other useful information: This ring sling came direct from Lenny Lamb. It has a pleated shoulder.

#### Name of Sling: Little Frog Coco Agate RS

Age Range: Birth to preschool Deposit Value: £50 Size: Length 2.2m Other useful information: This ring sling is direct from Little Frog. It is the longer length at over two metres long. The rainbow pattern helps for teaching how to use a ring sling. Gathered shoulder and large silver sling rings.

Name of Sling: Lir Slings 'Snowflakes' wrap conversion RS Age Range: Birth to preschool Deposit Value: £60 Size: Length 2.3m











Other useful information: This ring sling was converted here in Durham City by Opitai Baby and is made from Lir Slings 'snowflakes' wrap. Large slate rings and

gathered shoulder. Long ring sling so not suitable for petite mums due the length of the tail. Ideal for older babies and tall/broad shouldered parents.

#### Name of Sling: Didymos Indio wrap conversion RS

- Age Range: Birth to preschool
- Deposit Value: £40

Other useful information: This ring sling was converted by Midnight Moon crafts. It is made from a Didymos Indio and dyed with Dylon dye to a stunning Cadbury shade of purple. Gathered shoulder and large rings.

#### Name of Sling: Neobulle Manon Gris RS

Age Range: Birth to preschool Deposit Value: £70 Size: Length 190cm Other useful information: This ring sling was made direct by Neobulle. It has a pleated shoulder and pink sling rings. Shorter length.

#### Name of Sling: Sakura Bloom RS

- Age Range: Birth to preschool
- Deposit Value: £60

Other useful information: Sakura Bloom are one of the most wellknown sling brands and are known internationally for luxury and quality. They feature gathered shoulders and large sling rings.

Size: Width 68cm, Length 182cm

Colourways available: Classic – Maize, Pure Linen – Driftwood, Twilight

#### Name of Sling: Oscha RS

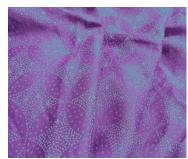
Age Range: Birth to preschool Deposit Value: £80

Other useful information: Oscha slings are made from highest quality material and are designed and made in the heart of Scotland. Highland pleat pleated shoulder. Large sling rings. Colourways: Vanilla Roses (Dual Blend), Starry Night Orchid









Name of Sling: Wrapamore Muslin RS

Age Range: Birth to 18 months approx Deposit Value: £30 Other useful information: Gathered shoulder, large rings and made from cool muslin fabric. Ideal for a summer new born.

#### Name of Sling: Zolowear RS

Age Range: Birth to preschool Deposit Value: £50

Other useful information: Made with silk this is a very dressy sling with Hot Dog style shoulder and large sling rings.

### Hip carriers and pouches

#### Name of Sling: Scootababy Carrier

Age Range: 4 months to 2.5 years Deposit Value: £80

Size: Height – up to 18" Waist strap length 29-50 inches Shoulder straps 17-50 inches

Other useful information: This is a buckle hip carrier with polartec fleece shoulder. We have 5 of these carriers available. 3 are version 2 and 2 Version 3. Version 3 is slightly wider and has the addition of elastic to tidy excess webbing away. Carrier functionality is the same between carriers.

Colourways: Version 2 – Taupe, Sydney, black dots, Version 3 – Slate, Foxes in grey

#### Name of Sling: Lifft pouches

Age Range: Birth to preschool Deposit Value: £30

Other useful information: Available in sizes medium and large these are an nonadjustable pouch. Do require some level of skill but can be extremely quick to use and fold extremely small.

#### Name of Sling: Hotslings pouches

Age Range: Birth to preschool Deposit Value: £30





Other useful information: Available in size 4 and 2 these are an non-adjustable pouch. Do require some level of skill but can be extremely quick to use and fold extremely small.

#### Name of Sling: Suppori carrying aid

Age Range: Birth to preschool Deposit Value: £30 Other useful information: Size medium only. A carrying aid rather than sling.

### **NEW ADDITIONS TO THE LIBRARY**

This directory is accurate as of 9<sup>th</sup> April 2015. With new slings arriving almost weekly brand new models, not repeats of existing slings, will be added as loose-leaf at rear of catalogue.