**WARNING:** Avoid serious injury or death to your child. Never use your NextFit iX Child Restraint without the softgoods in place. You must read and understand the Softgood Removal instructions and the instructions in the User Guide. If you do not understand these instructions, DO NOT attempt to remove the softgoods, STOP and call Chicco at 1-877-424-4226.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** NextFit iX Softgood Removal

**IMPORTANT:** Please also refer to the instructions that came with your product.

1. **Press the Harness Adjuster Button** and loosen the Harness Straps.

2. **Remove the Crotch Strap Pad** by pushing the fabric Tab through the slot on the BACK of the Harness Buckle. Then pull Tab out of the FRONT and remove Crotch Strap Pad. **IMPORTANT!** If Crotch Strap Pad prevents harness from properly fitting small Infant, it should be removed.

3. **Undo the buckle and chest clips** and raise the Head Rest to the highest position. Remove the optional Newborn Insert. **Refer to User Guide if needed.**

4. **Unsnap Head Rest pad** on both sides.

5. **Pull up on Head Rest fabric to reveal** two elastic loops. Unhook both elastic loops.

6. **Pull Head Rest pad down** to remove.
Open both Latch Connector Storage compartments.

Slide both Hook and Loop Straps through appropriate slots.

Pull on the Hook and Loop Strap while pushing the Seat Pad into the seat contour. Repeat for the other side. 

Close both Latch Connector Storage compartments.

Unsnap Seat Bottom Panel (7a) and pull forward (7b).

Undo the Hook and Loop straps from BOTH sides of the inside seat shell.

Open both LATCH Storage Compartments. Then pull up on seat pad sliding the Hook and Loop Strap out through the slot - repeat this step for the other side.

TO RE-ATTACH THE FABRIC:

Remove the seat pad from the Child Restraint. Make sure to gently guide the Seat Pad around the Head Rest. WARNING - NEVER use Child Restraint without the seat pad.

Replace the Seat Pad - Repeat step 11 in REVERSE. Tuck the back panel around the Tether Strap. Then tuck the Seat Pad into the seam along the outer side of the entire seat shell.

Open both Latch Connector Storage compartments. Slide both Hook and Loop Straps through appropriate slots.

Pull on the Hook and Loop Strap while pushing the Seat Pad into the seat contour. Repeat for the other side. Close both Latch Connector Storage compartments.
15 Tuck the seat pad around the Harness Adjuster Strap Cover. Then tuck the front edge of the Seat Pad under and around the bottom edge of the seat.

16 Wrap the harness around the Seat Bottom Panel and feed the Crotch Buckle back through the seat pad. Then snap the Seat Bottom Panel back into place.

17 Wrap Head Rest Pad around the Head Rest. Push the Head Rest Pad into the outer head rest contour.

18 Pull elastic loops around the Head Rest. Attach the elastic loop onto the hook located at the top of the Head Rest fabric repeat for the other side.

19 Snap Head Rest Pad on both Sides.

20 Repeat steps 1 thru 3 in REVERSE.

IMPORTANT Final Check! Make sure Shoulder Pads, Chest Clip, and Buckle Tongues are oriented as shown. Check to make sure Harness Straps are flat and not twisted when buckled! Check to make sure the Crotch Strap Buckle is threaded correctly through the opening on the Seat Bottom panel. Refer to User Guide if necessary.

Cleaning Instructions:
Fabrics may be spot-cleaned with mild soap and warm water, or machine washed in cold water on delicate cycle using mild detergent. Hang to dry. DO NOT BLEACH. Please consult your product manual for additional care and maintenance instructions.

The shoulder pads on the NextFit iX can be easily spot cleaned with warm water and mild soap. If necessary the shoulder pads may be removed for cleaning. However, never use the Child Restraint without the shoulder pads in proper position. Like the seat pad, shoulder pads may be machine washed in cold water on delicate cycle using mild detergent. Hang to dry. Contact Chicco Customer Service at 1-877-424-4226 for assistance or additional information.