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## RECARO-EV

Recaro Adaptors for Eurovan

### Tools Needed

- 5mm hex key (Allen wrench)
- 16mm wrench

**DISCLAIMER:** *This kit has been designed for easy installation. However, installation of this kit is not within everyone's ability. Read through these instructions carefully and decide if installing it is for you. If not, please take your vehicle to a qualified installation professional.*

### ATTACHING THE ADAPTORS TO THE PEDESTAL

1. Remove the stock seat from the pedestal. There are four internal hex bolts (5mm) that need to be removed. Move the seat fore and aft to access them. An L-shaped hex key with a shortened stubby end can make the job easier, as there is not much room between the seat and the rails. Save these bolts, as they will be used to fasten the adaptor rails in place.
2. Place the adaptor rails on the pedestal. The end with the single hole goes towards the front and the large threaded holes on the sides face outboard of the pedestal. The rear holes that are used will vary by model. Using the large 8mm x 25mm washer in conjunction with the stock bolts, slide them into position through the **ends** of the adaptor rails; they will not fit through the top holes. It can be a bit fiddly, but it works, trust us. Tighten them down through the holes in the top of the rails.

### ATTACHING SLIDERS TO RECARO

3. Now attach the sliders to the bottom of the Recaro:

- The "wide" side of the slider is the top and goes against the seat.
- The prongs for the release bar point inward.
- The spring end of the release mechanism goes towards the front.
- Using the 6mm x 15mm internal hex bolts with the 6mm x 18mm washers, and a dab of the blue threadlocker, bolt down the front of one side first, using the center hole of the slider and the forward hole of the Recaro. Use the hole that lines up with the rear position. You will need to slide the tracks back and forth to access each of the holes.
- The release bar affixes via the two prongs on the sliders. Fit them into the holes on the bar.
- Bolt one side up and install the release bar in conjunction with the second slider.





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### INSTALLING THE RECARO INTO THE VEHICLE

4. Now install the Recaro/slider assembly onto the adaptors in the vehicle:

- Slide the seat as far back on the sliders as possible. Hold the release bar up and move the lower portion of each slider forward so the lower mounting holes are accessible. The sliders can be a little stiff when trying to move them by hand, a couple of taps from a small hammer can help to get them fully extended.
- Bolt the slider down to the tracks using the small washers and 15mm internal hex bolts. Again, we like to use a dab of the medium strength blue Loctite on the threads of the bolts.
- Slide the seat forward on the tracks to access the rear mounting point.

### INSTALLING THE SEATBELT PROVISION

- Install the receiver in the threaded fitting on the inboard adaptor in the configuration it comes assembled.
- When tightening it down, take care that the two black plastic washers are not pinched. They have a larger diameter than the bolt and are designed to fit around the spacer going through the receiver. This is what allows it to rotate.
- Torque bolt to 35-40 ft-lbs.

### FINISHING TOUCH

- Make sure all bolts are torqued properly and install the finishing caps in the ends of the tubes.