



WEAR & CARE INSTRUCTIONS

Orthopaedic Footwear

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This pair of footwear is intended for the exclusive use of the named patient.

This pair of footwear conforms to the essential requirements set out in Annex 1 of the Medical Devices Directive 93/42/EEC. Any requirements not met are listed.

Use this leaflet in conjunction with any instructions given to you by any medical professional.

- ◆ Ensure you have a review appointment after receiving your first pair of footwear.
- ◆ Inspect your feet on a regular basis to ensure blisters and corns are not appearing. THIS IS VITAL IF YOU ARE A DIABETIC. If any visible marks appear you must stop wearing your footwear immediately and contact the Orthotic Department to seek professional medical advice.
- ◆ Wear your footwear for short periods of time i.e. around the house, gradually increasing wear as you become more comfortable wearing them.
- ◆ Never immerse your footwear in water.
- ◆ When your footwear becomes dirty remove any loose dirt and use a good quality polish on the leather.
- ◆ In case of suede or nubuck you can purchase specific aerosols and brushes to protect them.

When your footwear needs repairing, take them to the Orthotic Department, identified with your name and address.

If you are concerned with any aspect of your footwear, please contact the Orthotic Department immediately to seek professional medical advice.

Orthotist name and contact number: