



WEAR & CARE INSTRUCTIONS

Cosmetic Orthoses

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This device is intended for the exclusive use of the named patient.

This device 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.

- ♦ Wear your Orthosis for short periods of time, gradually increasing wear as you become more familiar with it.
- ♦ Due to the nature of the Orthosis you may experience some redness on pressure areas. The redness should disappear within 10 minutes of removing the Orthosis. If the redness DOES NOT disappear, contact the Orthotic Department immediately to seek professional medical advice.
- ♦ If your Orthosis contains moving metal parts ensure that they are lubricated regularly with a spray type lubricant or 3-in-1 oil.
- ♦ The Orthosis should not be immersed in water but it is acceptable to wipe the plastic areas with warm soapy water and then dried with a dry soft cloth.
- ♦ The straps and pads should NOT be cleaned. In the event of these areas becoming wet they should be left to dry naturally.

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

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

Orthotist name and contact number: