

Cervical Use and Care Instructions

These orthoses are designed to limit the movement of the cervical spine. You may have a semi-rigid or a rigid orthosis. They both work by immobilizing the spine circumferentially.

Semi- Rigid Orthosis (Soft Cervical Collar)

Clothing: You can cover the soft cervical collar with a stockinette or a sock (with the toe cut off). Be sure to wash the sock or stockinette daily.

Cleaning: Wash the soft cervical collar in mild detergent and warm water. Squeeze out water in a towel and lay flat overnight. **DO NOT PUT IN THE DRYER.**

Rigid Orthosis

Patients must follow the instructions provided by their physician for rigid cervical devices.

Clothing: You can cover the rigid collar with a stockinette. Be sure to wash the stockinette daily.

Cleaning: Towel wash the rigid collar with mild soap and water.

Precautions

This device does not prevent injury and is not intended to reduce or eliminate the risk of injury.

Questions or Problems

If you experience pain, swelling, or any unusual reaction, please contact your local Wright & Filippis at (800)482-0222.

