

Curera® Abduction Pillow

Pillow to facilitate leg abduction

Movement serves as a protective mechanism against pressure ulcers and other bed-related complications. Individuals with decreased sensation, limited mobility, and/or altered consciousness may lack the ability to respond to the body's warning signals, such as pain or discomfort.

In such situations, individuals may need support and relief in lying and sitting position. Our product series of positioning pillows is used as an aid to relieve pressure and provide support during positioning and position changes, benefiting both the individual and the caregiver. Regular, minor adjustments in position are often enough to ensure proper blood circulation⁽¹⁾, thereby reducing the risk of pressure ulcers.

Example of positioning

Curera® Abduction Pillow is designed to facilitate leg abduction and provide postural support to the lower extremities.

Curera® Abduction Pillow can be used to maintain hip abduction, offering simultaneous support to the thighs and knees, while alleviating pressure on the lower back.



Covers for comfort and hygiene

Curera® positioning Pillows have a fixed outer cover in blue cotton. The positioning Pillows are available with a cotton cover for extra comfort, or a liquidproof hygiene cover for easy cleaning.

The liquidproof hygiene cover is manufactured in a four-way stretch⁽²⁾⁽³⁾ fabric to reduce the risk of shear forces, and is vapour-permeable⁽⁴⁾ to lower the risk of skin maceration. The hygiene cover also features a liquidproof zipper.



Technical specification

Filling	50 % HR foam, 50 % polyester fibre
Sizes	35 x 55 cm and 54 x 78 cm
Available covers	Hygiene cover (polyurethane coated polyester) Cotton cover
Cleaning instructions	The hygiene cover can be wiped clean with detergent and/or disinfectant. Machine wash at max. 95 °C. Inner pillow: Machine wash at max. 95 °C. Can be tumble-dried or dried in an airing cupboard; avoid over-drying. For faster drying, run the spin cycle three or four times. Cotton cover: Machine wash at max. 70 °C.
CE-marking	Registered and marked in accordance with MDR (EU) 2017/745

References

- (1) Lindholm, C. (2018). Sår (4 uppl). Studentlitteratur.
- (2) CDC (2003), Guidelines for Environmental Infection Control in Health-Care facilities, updated 2019.
- (3) SS 876 00 20:2017, Healthcare textiles - Mattresses - Specifications and requirements.
- (4) SS-EN ISO 15496:2004, DIN 53122-1.



Always read the instructions for use prior to use.

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