

Anti-Embolism Stockings

Enhance patient care and comfort with ease



- Two-way stretch fabric
- No-bind stretch top
- Top-view inspection port
- Alignment indicator

- · Outward facing seams
- Not made with natural rubber latex
- Washable and stain-resistant
- Color-coded sizing and packaging



Contraindications

Anti-embolism stockings are not recommended for patients with: severe arteriosclerosis or other severe ischemic vascular diseases, including absence of pedal pulses; local skin disorders such as dermatitis, open ulcerations, infections, recent vein ligation, skin graft or gangrene in which stockings would interfere; massive peripheral edema associated with pulmonary edema; and severely deformed extremity.

As a responsible care provider, you are always thinking of ways to care for your patients. For those at risk of venous thromboembolism, anti-embolism stockings help provide compression where it is needed the most. Guard against Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT) by outfitting your patients with stockings that provide a comfortable fit.

Anti-Embolism Stockings overview:

- Provide graduated compression to the leg where venous blood is likely to pool
- Reduce risk of DVT in surgical or bedridden patients and patients with chronic venous insufficiency

The Cardinal Health difference

Cardinal Health offers Standard and Premium lines of Anti-Embolism Stockings — available in knee, thigh and waist lengths in a full range of sizes.

Cardinal Health Anti-Embolism Stockings help:

- Make donning and ongoing care easier for the clinician
- Improve patient comfort and compliance

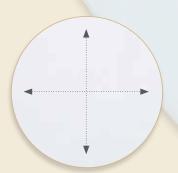


Standard Anti-Embolism Stockings

No-bind stretch top

- No binding or pinching
- Clean appearance and design





Two-way stretch fabric

- · Vertical and horizontal stretch
- Eases application
- · Conforms to shape of leg for comfortable fit



and oversized heel pouch

- Reduces potential for skin shearing/abrasion
- Provides added room for comfort



- · Eases access to patients toes and feet
- Enhances patient comfort
- Facilitates ambulation



Premium Anti-Embolism Stockings



Size chart

Anti-Embolism Stockings are color-coded to make proper sizing easy.

Color coding is found in the following locations:

- Toe port
- Packaging
- Tape measures
- Quick reference chart column

Standard line colors

- Yellow Small
- White Medium
- Blue Large
- Green X-large

Premium line colors

- Yellow Small
- Orange Medium
- Blue Large
- Green X-large

Knee length

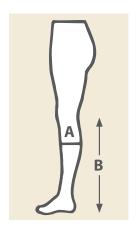
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	Small	Medi <mark>um</mark>	Large	X-large			
Regular (white top)							
Calf	10-12 in.	12-15 in.	15-17 in.	17-19 in.			
Length	14-16 in.	14-16 in.	16-18 in.	16-18 in.			
Long (blue top)							
Calf	10-12 in.	12-15 in.	15-17 in.	17-19 in.			
Length	16-18 in.	16-18 in.	18-20 in.	18-20 in.			

Thigh length or Waist length

	Small	Medi <mark>um</mark>	Large	X-large			
Short (yellow top)							
Calf	10-12 in.	12-15 in.	15-17 in.	17-19 in.			
Thigh	20-25 in.	20-25 in.	20-25 in.	25-32 in.			
Length	Up to 29 in.	Up to 29 in.	Up to 29 in.	Up to 29 in.			
Regular (white top)							
Calf	10-12 in.	12-15 in.	15-17 in.	17-19 in.			
Thigh	20-25 in.	20-25 in.	20-25 in.	25-32 in.			
Length	29-33 in.	29-33 in.	29-33 in.	29-33 in.			
Long (blue top)							
Calf	10-12 in.	12-15 in.	15-17 in.	17-19 in.			
Thigh	20-25 in.	20-25 in.	20-25 in.	25-32 in.			
Length	33-36 in.	33-36 in.	33-36 in.	33-36 in.			

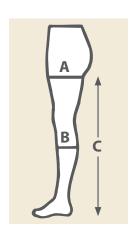
How to fit and apply the stockings

Refer to the drawings below for a proper fit and how to apply the stockings.



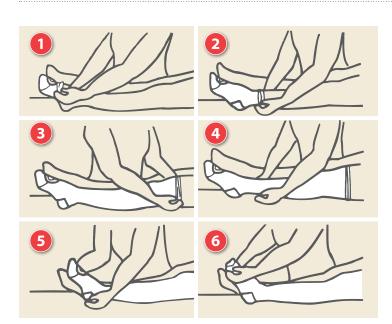
Knee length

- A. Measure calf circumference to determine "size".
- B. Measure distance from bend of knee to bottom of heel to determine "length".



Thigh length or Waist length

- A. Measure upper thigh circumference. If circumference of upper thigh exceeds 32 in. (81.3 cm), revert to knee-length stockings.
- B. Measure calf circumference. Use thigh and calf circumference to determine "size".
- C. Measure distance from gluteal furrow to bottom of heel to determine "length".



To apply stockings:

- 1. Gather length of stocking down to heel pocket.
- 2. Stretch stocking open and fit over foot and heel.
- Depending on length, draw stocking evenly over ankle or calf to full length. Do not turn down top of stocking.
- 4. Smooth out excess material with palms of hands.
- 5. Eliminate any wrinkles in foot area by grasping toe section and pulling forward.
- 6. A top view port allows inspection of toes without removing the stocking.





To facilitate complete access to lower limbs, it is recommended that stockings be removed **once every 24 hours** (more often, as desired).

Washing instructions

May be machine washed and line dried. Avoid excessive heat or bleaches. These stockings are knit with long wearing nylon and spandex. Care in handling and laundering will give excellent life.