

Night Time Garments

Guidelines and Resources



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What Are Nighttime Garments?

- Nighttime garments are meant to apply mild compression to your lymphedema while you sleep.
- Daytime garments, such as elastic compression sleeves, are ***not appropriate*** to wear at night. The compression is too high and they are prone to slipping, binding and creating a harmful tourniquet effect.



Who Should Wear Nighttime Garments ?

- If you have “creeping refill” while wearing compression garments ***you could benefit from nighttime garments.****
- If you have persistent localised skin thickening, ***you could benefit from nighttime garments.****

**See International Lymphedema Framework Best Practices Document*

Who Should Wear Nighttime Garments?

- If you wear a compression sleeve in the daytime, *you could benefit from nighttime garments.*
- If you wear a custom compression sleeve, *you could benefit from nighttime garments.*
- If you have fluctuation in your swelling, *you could benefit from nighttime garments.*

Nighttime Garments

- Give you a treatment while you sleep.
- Make it easier to put on your daytime garment.
- Make lymphedema and related disorders easier to manage.



Types of Nighttime Garments

Foam Liner with Straps:

Compression is applied by external strap system and must be calibrated by fitter, therapist or manufacturer.

Quilted Fabric with Foam Fill:

Compression comes from an outer sleeve, or from a combination of foam, fabric and custom fit.

Short Stretch Binders:

Can be worn day or night; no foam component.

Foam Liner with Straps



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JoViPak garments are worn with a compressive outer sleeve or short stretch bandaging in order to achieve an appropriate level of compression.



Solaris Tribute garments provide roughly 20-30 mmHg compression based on their custom-fit, foam and fabric alone.

Outer Jacket is an available option that provides approx. 10mmHg of additional compression if desired.



Short Stretch Binders



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Short Stretch Binders

- Short stretch (sometimes called “inelastic”) binders such as JuxtaFit™, ReadyWrap™ and FarrowWrap™ do not have a foam component.
- They can be worn day or night, but the compression must be reduced for night use.
- Recommended for aggressive edemas that must be contained.

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Q. Who needs nighttime garments?

A. Anyone who wants to manage their lymphedema more successfully!



Thanks for your attention!

Any Questions?



More Info:

BiaCare Products: www.BiaCare.com

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FarrowWrap Products: www.FarrowMedical.com

JoViPak Products: www.JoViPak.com

Peninsula Medical Products: www.lymphedema.com

Solaris Products in Canada: www.LymphedemaDepot.com