

Axis Cervical CollarApplication Instructions

Cervical Collar Fitting and Application

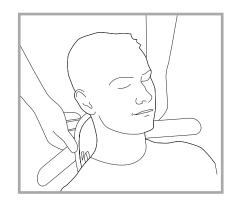
Axis Cervical Collar should be applied and removed while lying down unless otherwise instructed by your healthcare provider.

The unique height adjustment technology allows for customized fitting with a simple turn of the knob.

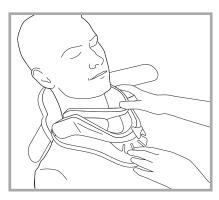
Keep your head and neck in a neutral position. Do not bend your neck forward, backward or from side to side.

When changing position check height adjustment to be sure chin is fully supported.

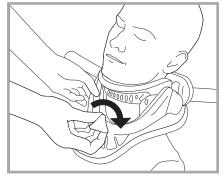
1. With the head in neutral alignment, carefully place the back of the collar behind the patient's neck, making sure the back is centered and the straps are between the patient's ear and trapezius.



2. To position the front section, pivot collar down and in so that it is in contact with the chin and sternum. Side wings should be positioned over the trapezius muscles.

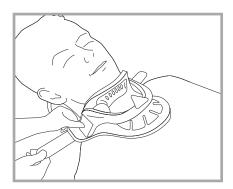


3. Collar comes preset at the lowest position. To adjust height, pull the knob gently outward and rotate clockwise to raise the height. Rotate the knob until the chin is supported and you begin to see the foam pad on the chin compress. Release the knob and

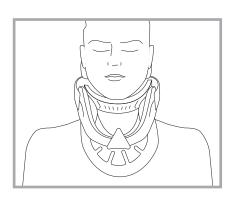


make sure it locks into position. To lower the height, pull the knob out and rotate counterclockwise.

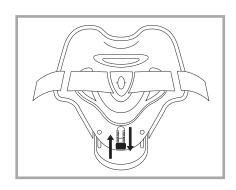
4. While holding the collar in place, pull the shoulder straps toward the collar and secure to the hook on the front cervical collar frame.



5. The front and back panels should overlap to provide proper support. Check that the patient can breath and swallow without difficulty and that the back edge of the chin piece does not press inward on the throat. If needed release the side straps and pivot the chin piece off the throat, reapply straps.



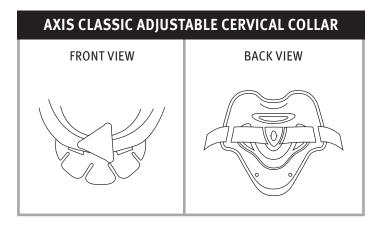
6. (For Axis MP Model Only). To provide height adjustment to the occipital region, pull out the rectangular button and slide to desired setting, push down to lock in place.

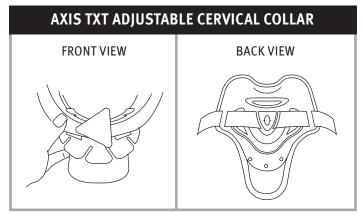


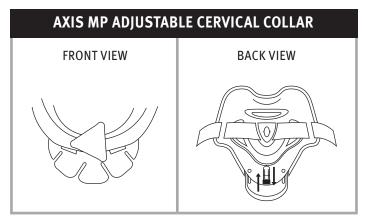
Cervical Collar Removal

Before removing the collar make a note of where the ends of the straps are on the sides of the collar so that it can be re-applied at the same location.

- **1.** Undo the hook and loop strap on one side of the colar.
- 2. Remove the front of the collar by pivoting it away from the neck.







Care Instructions

Remove liner from plastic. Hand wash using warm water and detergent for delicate fabrics. Repeatedly rinse and line dry. Do not use bleach or place in a washer or dryer. Plastic frame can be easily wiped down using detergent, disinfectant or mild soap.

Caution

Do not overtighten. This product has been designed and tested based on single patient usage. Since it is a single use device it should never be used by multiple patients. If additional pain or symptoms occur while using this device, seek medical attention.

Indications

For cervical facet syndrome, discogenic pain, degenerative disc disease, and muscle sprains or strains of the cervical region.

Contraindications

Not for use on patient's with circulatory or sensation issues. If swelling, pain, skin irritation, or an unusual reaction occurs, discontinue use and consult your medical professional.

Warranty

Products manufactured by Corflex are warranted to the original purchaser against defects in workmanship and material for the life of the product. The foregoing warranty shall not apply to normal wear and tear; or if the product has been subjected to misuse or misapplication the warranty will be voided at the discretion of Corflex.

To Reorder

Product Number

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Axis CLASSIC Cervical Collar	19-0002
Axis TXT Cervical Collar	19-0004
Axis MP Cervical Collar	19-0006
Replacement Pad Set Axis CLASSIC Collar	19-0003
Replacement Pad Set Axis TXT Collar	19-0005
Replacement Pad Set Axis MP Collar	19-0007



