

# **Application Instructions**

# **COOLF**\*\***RCE** KNEE BRACE

Order#	Size	Sugg. HCPC
5530 (w/o Hinges) 5535 (w/ROM Hinges) 5545 (w/Poly Hinge) 561 33	Universal Universal Universal Add'l Gel Pad Add'l Cold Pack	N/A L1847/L1848 L1810/L1812 N/A N/A



### **Directions for Air Compression Therapy**

- 1. Locate the ON/OFF valve on the exterior of the wrap.
- 2. Connect the bulb/pump hose connector to the valve by turning clockwise.
- 3. Turn the valve to "ON" (open).
- 4. Using your hand (grip) manually compress the bulb/pump intermittently to fill the Wraps outer bladder to a desired and comfortable setting. To reduce the amount of air pumped into the Wrap press the "black button" below the bulb/pump to release air. Adjust air pressure to a desired and comfortable setting.
- 5. Once the desired air pressure is set turn the valve to "OFF" (closed).
- 6. Disconnect the bulb/pump and tubing by turning the hose connector counterclockwise.
- 7. To remove the air in the Wrap bladder simply, turn the valve to "ON" (open).

### **Directions for Setting the Hinge**

- 1. Open hinge cover and remove pins.
- Set flexion first by moving hinge arms until an opening is seen through the desired Hexion setting.
- 3. Drop pins into desired setting, snapping them into place. Set both sides of the hinge (left/right) at the same degree of flexion.
- 4. Set extension by moving hinge arms until an opening is seen through the desired extension setting.
- 5. Drop pins into desired setting, snapping them into place.
- 6. Set both sides of the hinge (left/right) to the same degree of extension. Close hinge cover.

#### **Directions for Cold Therapy**

- 1. Place the removable gel pack in the freezer for a minimum of two hours.
- 2. Using the Velcro tabs adhere the gel pack back into the Wrap in the appropriate position.
- 3. To protect the skin from allow no more than 15-20 minutes of therapy at a time.

#### **Directions for Heat Therapy**

- 1. Place the pack in microwave for 40 seconds at 800W, increase heating time at 20 seconds intervals to reach desired temperature if needed.
- Once the gel pack has cooled enough to handle, use the Velcro tabs to secure the gel pack back into the Wrap in the appropriate position.
- 3. It is important to allow a minimum of 20 minutes between each use.

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