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## Knee Brace Use and Care Instructions

These orthoses are designed to limit the movement of and provide support to the knee.

#### Instructions:

- 1. In a sitting position, align hinges of the brace along the sides of the knee. Be sure to center the hinges on the knee cap.
- 2. Velcro the thigh strap and pull for snugness.
- 3. Velcro the strap below the knee and pull for snugness.

For additional instructions, please refer to the manufacturer instruction guide that was provided with your brace.

### Cleaning:

Please refer to the manufacturer's cleaning instructions. These instructions are located on a tag inside of your brace.

If the Velcro is not sticking well on the brace, check for lint build-up on the Velcro and remove it.

### **Precautions:**

- Be aware that volume changes in the body can affect how the knee brace will fit.
- Do NOT ever sleep in the knee brace.
- Keep knee brace away from excessive or direct heat. This may cause deformation.

### **Questions or Problems**

Please contact your local Wright & Filippis at (800)482-0222 if any discomfort is felt and results in redness, bruising or blistering. Please discontinue the use of the brace until seen by the clinician.