

JOBST® soSoft compression socks provide graduated compression to help support

circulation and are an integral part of a skin tear protocol, helping with prevention and treatment.

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s	М	L	XL	Colour
73679-11	73679-21	73679-31	73673-05	Black
73680-12	73680-22	73680-32	73673-10	Sand

Sizing		Ankle cB	Calf cC
	S	18 - 21 cm	28 - 38 cm
	М	20 - 24 cm	30 - 42 cm
cC	L	22 - 26 cm	32 - 46 cm
сВ	XL	24 - 28 cm	34 - 50 cm

US Sizing Women					
	S	4.5 - 6.5			
	М	7 - 9			
	L	9.5 - 11			
	XL	11.5 - 13			

Shoe size alone is not an indicator for correct sizing. Measurements of calf and ankle circumference are mandatory for the proper performance of this product

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If the skin tear has not healed within 2 weeks, the recommendation is for a full vascular assessment to be carried out, and if the outcome shows it is safe to do so, compression therapy may be increased to 40mmHG.\*



## Commonly used products such as Anti-embolism stockings are not indicated for the treatment of skin tears





**INDICATED FOR** thrombosis prophylaxis (DVT) in surgical patients and patients requiring prolonged periods of immobilisation – usually post surgery.

Anti-embolism stockings can help reduce the risk of thrombosis (DVT) in immobile and surgical patients.

Offer graduated compression.

**INDICATED FOR** the treatment of strains and sprains, soft tissue injuries, general oedema, post-burn scarring and ribcage injuries.

Do not offer graduated compression

The picture shows a common image of a tubular bandage, not controlling oedema and creating a torniquet on the lower limb.



Photo provided by Margo Asimus

JOBST® soSoft provides the solution to your patients needs with a gentle graduated compression of 8-15mmHg. JOBST® soSoft socks can help tired and achy legs, are suitable for longer periods of sitting and standing and provide relief from minor oedema.



\* LeBlanc K et al. Best practice recommendations for the prevention and management of skin tears in aged skin. Wounds International 2018.

