

Comfortland Elite Cervical Orthosis (CV-500)

Application Instructions:

1) Begin by opening both closure straps located on the side of the collar (if facing the front of the collar, the closure straps are located on the left side).

2) Apply the collar to the patient's neck so that the mandible is secured in the recess of the chin and the lower portion of the collar rests flush with the thoracic region. Using the dual screw knobs located at the bottom of the chin yoke, adjust the height of the collar (if needed) so that this fit is achieved.

Note: If the patient is in a recumbent position, it is best to apply the posterior section of the collar before attempting Step 2.

3) While holding the anterior section of the collar securely in place, start with the upmost closure strap and attach each strap to its corresponding closure knob and tighten to secure using the dials located on the posterior section of the collar. Repeat this step for the bottom closure strap.

4) Tighten and adjust so that the collar fits snug with no migration, making sure that the collar aligns itself with the patient's contours. Tighten and adjust as needed.

Cleaning and Care:

Remove the soft liner from the collar and wash in cold water with mild detergent. The outer frame of the collar can be wiped down using cold water and mild detergent. Let all parts of the collar air dry completely before re-assembling. Do not attempt to tumble dry or iron any part of this device. Do not expose to direct heat, as this could result in damage to this device.

Caution:

The application instructions listed above are intended for the use of qualified professionals only. It is not recommended for patients attempt to apply or adjust this device unless otherwise instructed to do so by an orthopedic professional. Any questions regarding further adjustment or frequency/ duration of wear should be directed to your orthopedic professional, as they know the individual condition for which this device was prescribed.

