

Reduce cost and increase patient satisfaction with PICC line covers

With over five million PICC lines placed annually¹, patients and providers have long searched for a solution to keep PICC lines clean, comfortable, and secure. Standardly, stockinettes and socks have been used as PICC line coverings.

These traditional coverings are not only difficult to remove for access and monitoring, but are difficult to clean and unappealing to wear. As a result, they amplify complications—and therefore cost of care—while decreasing patient satisfaction.

\$748M

Estimated annual spend on PICC line reinsertions²

17.8%

Patients with PICC lines experience a dislodgement³

Product Overview

In response, Care+Wear designed its **proprietary PICC line cover** featuring a breathable, mesh window to restore comfort to patients, while improving clinical outcomes and increasing cost efficiencies for healthcare providers.

78%

reduction in dislodgements from
Care+Wear PICC line covers
U.S. News & World Report Top 5 Hospital

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Sizes are measured by bicep circumference and range from infant (3-5") to adult (17-19").

Minimalist design provides confidence without compromising comfort

Antimicrobial, machine-washable fabric fights odor-causing bacteria, mold and mildew

Proprietary mesh window allows for breathability and visibility of the PICC line site, making it easier to spot infections

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Created as an alternative to the stockinettes and socks historically used to secure PICC lines, our covers are antimicrobial, comfortable, and breathable.

Use of Care+Wear's proprietary PICC line covers drives:

- ✓ **Cost reduction:** Using a PICC line cover reduces costs associated with PICC line complications and infections.
- ✓ **Increased patient satisfaction:** In addition to reducing complications, our covers also increase comfort and cleanliness. Their minimal design also gives patients confidence throughout their daily lives.
- ✓ **Increased brand presence:** Extend your brand and connection with your patient beyond the hospital setting by customizing PICC lines covers with your logo and color of choice.

TESTIMONIALS



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GENERAL HOSPITAL



JOHNS HOPKINS
MEDICINE



"The Care+Wear PICC line cover is much more comfortable than the thin mesh my IV supplier sent me. I also love their shower sleeve, big improvement over Saran Wrap and tape."

Seth, Patient

"We have received great feedback from our patients. They seem to have a better sense of "protection" with these covers."

Hospital Buyer

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