

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

75080-22 Protective Breast/Scoliosis Stole





1) Indication for use:

Wrap-around belt and nonslip underside allows custom positioning of the open area. Unprotected neck for cervical view. 7.5" Wide x 26" Long 0.5mm LEP (Only available in Navy.)

- 2) Instructions for Use: It is always recommended to spot-protect any area of the patient's body
- 3) Routine care and cleaning instructions:

In a medical setting, it's easy for protective apparel to get dirty. If your x-ray apron is dirty from blood or other bodily fluids, you should clean it as soon as possible.

- Protective aprons should NEVER be machine laundered, dry cleaned or autoclaved.
- To spot clean the surface of an apron:
 - O Use a soft bristle brush and a mild soap solution such as a hand soap or laundry detergent.
 - o Never use bleach or solvents (mineral spirits, paint thinner, etc.) to clean an apron as they may damage the interior lining and compromise the protective properties of the apron.
 - o Rinse gently with water and hang FLAT to dry.
- We recently did testing on several different types of disinfectants. We observed no adverse reactions when using <u>Clorox Hydrogen Peroxide Cleaner Disinfectant Wipes</u>, <u>Sani-Cloth AF3 Wipes</u> (Grey Top), or <u>Revolution Scrubbles Apron Cleaner</u> according to their product directions for use.
- In general, we do <u>not</u> recommend using bleach or bleach cleaners/wipes on aprons.
- 4) **Storage**: Don't fold, crease, drape, or sit down tightly on your x-ray aprons. We strongly recommend that our aprons are safely hung on a lead apron rack, hanger or equivalent storage unit. After storing your x-ray apron make sure to hook and loop any closure to avoid snagging or tearing of fabric. Storing aprons correctly can increase the life cycle of your x-ray aprons.



5) Inspection

- a) It's recommended that lead aprons are to be checked fluoroscopically at least once a year to uphold standard performance.
- b) Checking x-ray aprons as often as possible is always best practice, the slightest crack can render the apron damaged.
- c) Replacement should be considered every 18-24 months, depending on the amount of usage and general wear and tear.
- 6) Precautions/Warnings: California Proposition 65
- 7) <u>Disposal:</u> Product should be disposed of according to applicable local laws.

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