EASY TO IMPLEMENT, EASY TO TRACK.

Home DVT Prevention Program
Effective Prevention Therapy that Tracks Compliance Monitoring
UP TO 75% OF DVT’S AND PULMONARY EMBOLISMS OCCUR AFTER DISCHARGE.¹

DVT can be fatal, but is also preventable. Medline’s Home Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT) Prevention Program helps enhance clinical outcomes, promote patient compliance and is easy for hospitals to implement.

**Offering a Drug-Free Option for DVT**

Intermittent pneumatic compression therapy is proven clinically effective, and has been shown to decrease the incidence of DVT by 60 percent¹ without the potential complications of anti-clotting drugs.¹ It’s recommended by the American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons (AAOS) and the American College of Chest Physicians.

**We Do the Work. You Get the Results.**

Medline handles all the billing, shipping and paperwork, freeing your staff to focus on more important tasks.

» We prepare product
» Product ships directly to patient’s home prior to patient discharge date
» We ensure device is at patient’s home when they arrive
» We educate patient on product use
» One source for patient questions and billing
Our easy-to-implement program makes it simple for you to give your patients high-quality home DVT prevention therapy. It’s also the only one on the market that helps you track patient compliance to ensure they get the therapy they need.

CARE YOU CAN CONFIRM

Home DVT prevention therapy won’t work if your patients don’t use it. Medline’s portable pump has an exclusive usage monitor to document compliance. It also facilitates ambulation without disrupting therapy.

How Home Monitoring Works
» Device tracks patient usage
» Medline personnel can check usage data
» Usage data reported regularly

A Small, Comfortable Device
» Portable pump fits in the palm
» Less weight than other leading brands
» Battery life up to 15 hours
» Sleek and simple carrying case
» Intuitive design for easy use
» Soft, comfortable sleeves help ensure compliance

Did You Know?
DVT affects as many as 900,000 people each year in the United States and it’s estimated that one in 100 patients admitted to a hospital dies from pulmonary embolism (PE), a potential result of DVT.
**Why DVT Prevention Therapy Matters to Insurers**

**Avoiding Recurrence and Mitigating Cost**

Many factors determine DVT risk, but studies show the highest potential is two to 10 days after surgery, with patients remaining at risk for up to three months. With hospital stays getting shorter, that’s most likely when the patient is recovering at home. Therefore, it’s vital that DVT preventive care doesn’t end at the time of discharge but continues at home throughout the most vulnerable days.

**Cost to Prevent vs. Treat**

Preventing DVT costs substantially less than treating its consequences. According to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), DVT treatment averages $50,937 per patient.

“We recommend that patients undergoing hip or knee arthroplasty or HFS receive thromboprophylaxis for a minimum of 10 days; for hip arthroplasty and HFS, we recommend continuing thromboprophylaxis for more than 10 days and up to 35 days.”

— ACCP Guidelines

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Ask your Medline Rep how to incorporate Medline’s Home DVT Prevention Program into your discharge planning.