

## Instructions for Use

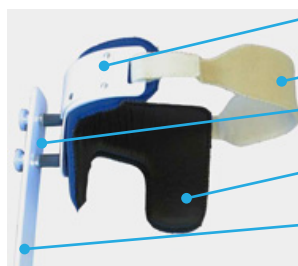
### NeuroFlex® Restorative Safe Cerv Cervical Attachment to TLSO

**Indications for use:** Provides support to help manage left or right head tilt and forward head tilt.

#### Product Features



pediatric size shown  
for right leaning



- High-temperature headpiece and vertical slat can be remolded by your health professional to provide the best fit.
- Wide forehead strap holds the head comfortably.
- Adjustable-position headpiece on the vertical slat provides gradual lifting of the head from side leaning.
- Padded mandibular support provides comfort and redistributes skin pressure.
- Flex Technology vertical slat is flexible to gradually bring the neck toward the upright position.

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Please read all of the instructions before use. Use as directed by your clinician. Always follow your facility protocol for skin care.

1. After fitting the TLSO and assisting the patient to a sitting position, insert the vertical slat down into the TLSO back pocket.
2. Adjust the height of the vertical slat to position the Safe Cerv at the back of the patient's head where it seems to be most effective in assisting the patient to achieve upright posture. The vertical slat position can be readjusted later if needed.
3. Attach the forehead strap to one side of the headpiece.
4. Standing behind the patient, put one hand on the forehead for gentle support. Do not overstretch the neck in any direction. With your opposite hand, bring the headpiece to the back of the patient's head carefully, making sure not to bend or cover the earlobes.
5. Bring the forehead strap around the forehead and feed it through the opposite side of the headpiece, hooking the closure back on the front of the strap. Adjust the hook on both sides until you achieve a nice, even and snug fit but not too tight. Make sure not to cover the eyes with the strap or hyperextend the neck.
6. Readjust the vertical slat height to achieve the most comfortable and effective position for the headpiece, and ensure the forehead strap will not slip off.
7. After about 15-20 minutes, if the patient's head is pulling forward strongly, pull the vertical slat up about an inch or so out of the TLSO back to allow the head to achieve a more comfortable position.
8. If the patient's head leaning (forward or sideways) does not begin to diminish after the adjustment of the vertical slat, remove the Safe Cerv and consult your health professional.
9. The patient should feel the head/neck stretched but not uncomfortable. The positioning of the Safe Cerv should become easier as the patient becomes used to wearing it.



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Headpiece Size	Forehead Circumference	Product Code with Left/Right
Small	up to 22"	20728SCL/R-S
Large	over 22"	20728SCL/R-L

\* The length of the vertical slat is determined by the size of the TLSO ordered.

### Cleaning Instructions:

Use hospital-approved disinfectant or household antimicrobial cleaner/disinfectant according to the label instructions for hard plastic. Padding can be laundered by hand or on gentle cycle of home type washer with mild soap. Rinse. Squeeze between towels to remove excess water. Line dry. Do not use chlorinated products such as bleach.

### Warranty:

See [restorativemedical.com](http://restorativemedical.com) for warranty information.

### Warnings:



- This device is for single patient use only.
- Consult a clinical professional before using this device.
- Check all skin areas each time the orthosis is removed. If any discoloration does not return to normal within 3-5 minutes, discontinue use and report to your health professional. Discontinue use of the orthosis until this situation has been resolved.

### Recommended Wear Time:

Apply the orthosis initially for 30 minutes. Remove and check skin for redness or breakdown. If skin integrity is compromised, discontinue use and contact your health professional. Otherwise, gradually increase wearing times to the duration recommended by your clinician to no more than 6 hours at a time. Restorative Medical's wear times are suggested and should be discussed with your health professional.

### Cautions:

- Not user repairable. Consult your clinician or Restorative Medical if damaged.
- No hazardous material present. Follow local environmental codes for waste disposal.

This product is not made with natural rubber latex (NRL) and di-(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP).

