

TPC™ Cervical Collar with Trachea Opening



Figure 1

Intended for single patient use.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please read all instructions, warnings, and precautions prior to application. Correct application is essential to the proper functioning of this device. These directions are guidelines only and are not offered as medical recommendations.

INTENDED USE

The TPC™ Cervical Collar provides immobilization for both extrication and rehabilitation; post-operative discectomy and cervical fusion.



Figure 2



PRECAUTIONS: This TPC™ Cervical Collar is to be fitted by a physician or licensed healthcare practitioner who is trained and practiced in the use and application of the device. The physician or practitioner is responsible for providing necessary instructions and precautions to other healthcare providers involved in the patient's care, as well as the patient. Permanent injury may result from use other than as directed by a physician or other medical authority. Consult your physician or other medical authority immediately if you experience sensation changes, unusual reactions, swelling or increased pain while using this product. Bird & Cronin specifically disclaims any obligation or liability for injury or damage by reason of any application of this product.



Figure 3

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

NOTE: Maintain head and neck in neutral alignment during application or follow physician instructions.

1. Apply BACK half of collar to back of patient's neck. Ensure BACK arrow is centered and pointing up (Figure 1).
2. Apply FRONT half of collar. Ensure FRONT arrow is centered and pointing up. Secure chin in recess. FRONT half will overlap BACK half of collar (Figure 2).
3. Secure hook-and-loop straps (Figure 3). Tighten collar using bilateral adjustments until a comfortable but snug fit is achieved (Figure 4).

NOTE: Select collar height by measuring the vertical distance from the tip of the chin to the top of the sternum.

CARE INSTRUCTIONS

- Hand wash using damp cloth with lukewarm water and mild detergent.
- Do not soak, rinse, or sterilize. Do not use harsh chemicals or bleach.
- Allow collar to air dry completely or dry with cloth before reapplying.

Please visit our website at www.birdcronin.com for additional product information or contact a customer care representative at 800-328-1095.

NOTICE: Every effort has been made to obtain the maximum compatibility of function, strength, durability and comfort with this product, however, there is no guarantee that injury will be prevented with its use.



Figure 4

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