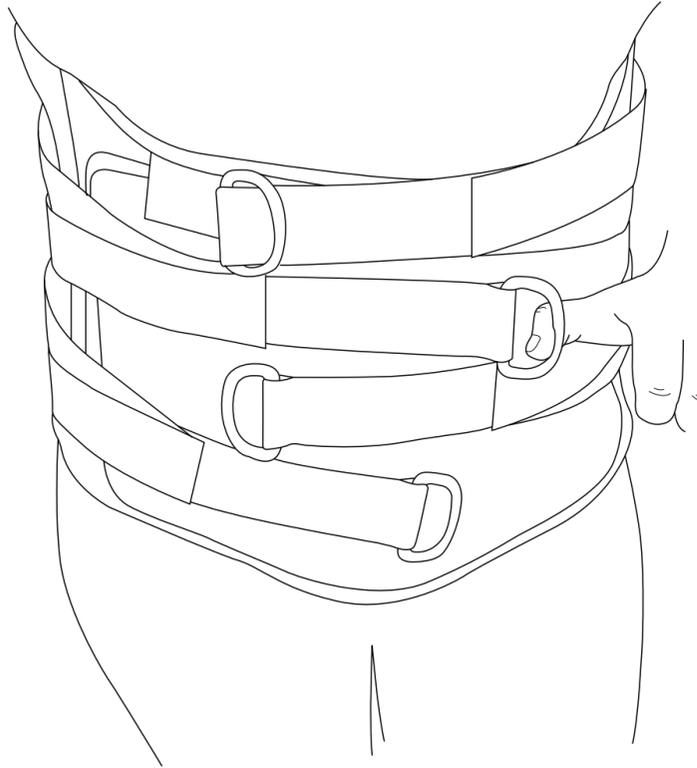


Ortholux

Application Instructions Rev A 011/10



Initial Fitting Instructions

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1. Open all four front closure straps to loosen brace.
2. Center the posterior shell of the brace using the spine as your guide. For the anterior panel, the space between the two Velcro® tabs should line up with the belly button. To ensure the brace is the correct height, the curve of the back should line up comfortably with the brace's back polymer insert.
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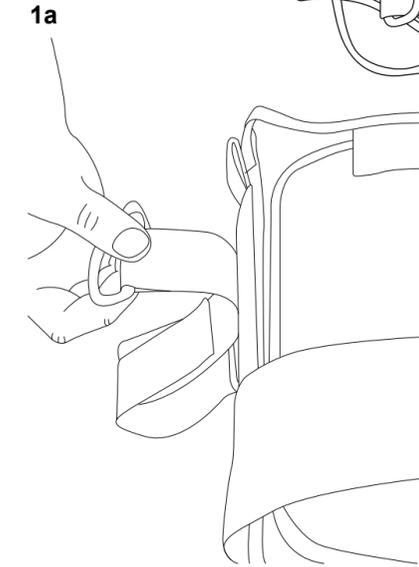
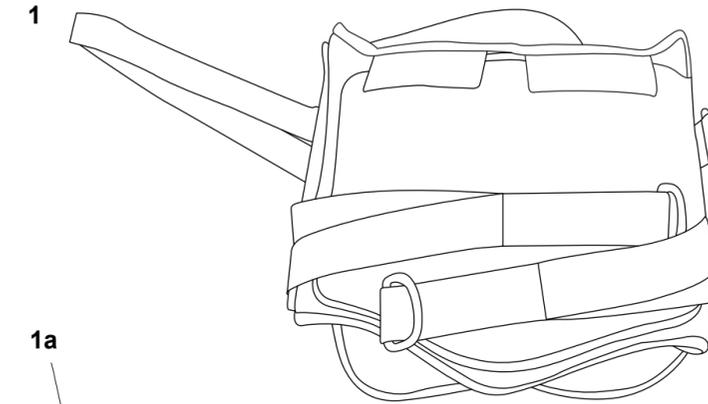
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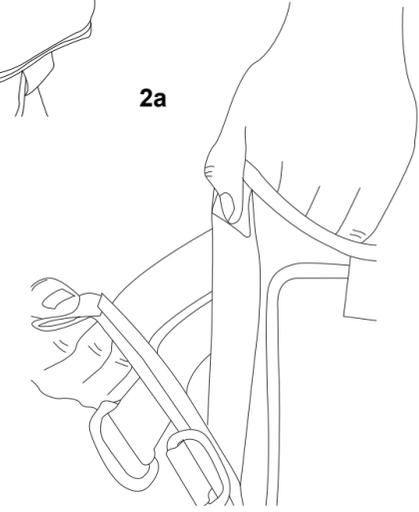
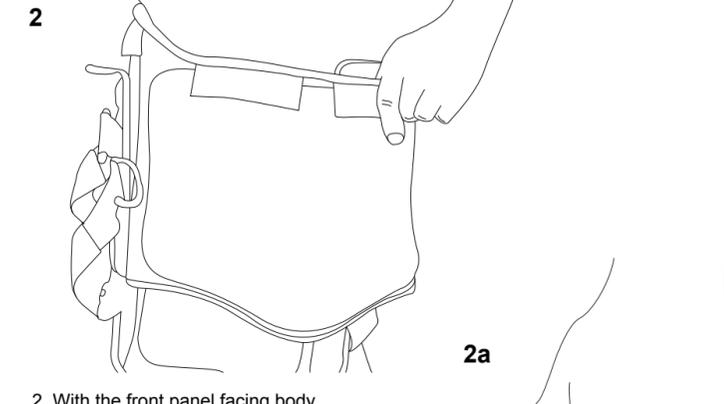
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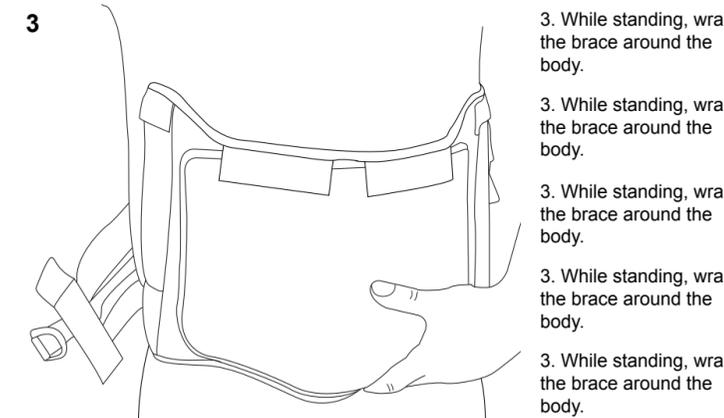
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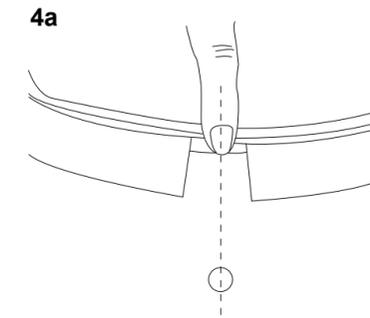
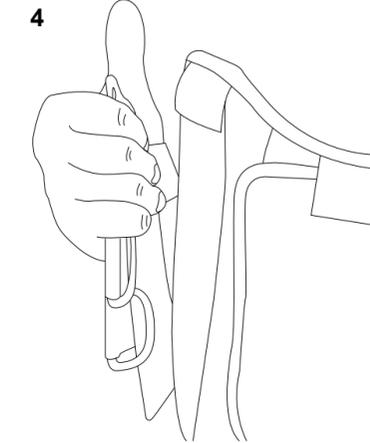
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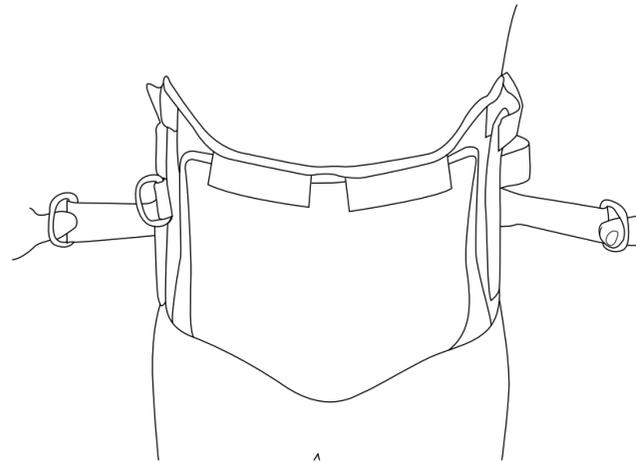
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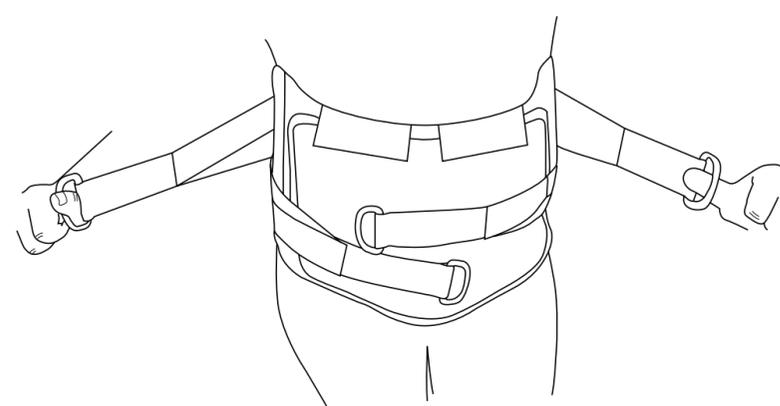
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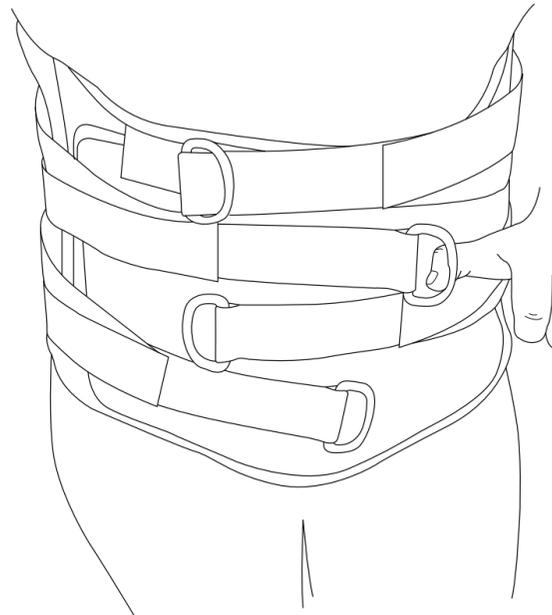
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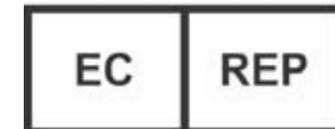
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