



**Bledsoe
Brace
Systems™**

Bledsoe PTB Boot



- **No casting needed:** Offers superior support without casting complications.
- **Reformable:** Aluminum boot shell and upright system that unlike plastic boots, can be reformed to fit virtually any leg or ankle shape.
- **Unique rocker design:** Allows patients to closely simulate a near normal gait without abnormal loads on any joints.
- **Support and control:** Contains three layers of pads that contour to the ankle shape and support the ankle for total control.
- **Pre-formed plate:** Winged tibia plate is pre-formed to fit the tibia and support patellar tendon bearing.
- **Optional Air Ankle / Heel Pad:** Allows for ability to adjust ankle pressure for increased comfort and provides pneumatic ankle support.

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Restrictions on use

This device is offered for sale by or on the order of a physician or other qualified medical professional. This device is not intended for reuse on a second patient or for extended use beyond 180 days. This device is generally not intended for patients in excess of 250 lbs. (114 kg.) This device is not intended to prevent injuries or reduce or eliminate the risk of injury.

Warning

Do not leave this device in the trunk of a car on a hot day or in any place where the temperatures may exceed 150°F (65°C) for any extended period of time. If any additional pain or symptoms occur while using this device, discontinue use and seek medical attention.



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Indications

Indicated for treatment of stable or internally fixed fractures or fractures with bridging callous of the middle to distal tibia or fibula when partial patellar tendon bearing is desired.

Contraindications

Contraindicated for unstable fractures or for fractures of the proximal tibia or fibula.

Bledsoe PTB Boot vs. other methods

Features	Bledsoe PTB Boot	Other Methods
Skin Comfort	Open-cell, breathable foam laminate increases comfort and reduces possibility of skin problems.	Flame bonded technique closes foam pores and increases possibility of skin problems.
Rocker Bottom	Computer-designed rocker tread allows a near normal walking gait, and low heel prevents pelvic tilt.	Rocker is either too high, causing back pain, or too flat, not allowing the patient to walk properly.
Security & Control	Straps engage and lock to brace uprights, holding the leg steady.	Straps pass over the uprights, through slots or to only one upright, causing the leg to move under the uprights.
Shell & Uprights	Strong aluminum alloy provides strength, yet allows formability to change widths.	Plastic shell and uprights can not be formed for swollen ankles or large legs.
Fracture Treatment	Has a winged fracture plate for patella tendon bearing.	No plates... can not accommodate patella tendon bearing.

Ordering Information PTB Boot

Note: Leg measurement taken from knee joint line to medial malleolus.

Shoe Size			Leg Measurement	Boot	Fixed PTB Boot		EZ Set PTB Boot	
Men	Women	Euro	Length	Size	Left	Right	Left	Right
1- 2.5	1-3.5	29-33	9"-11" (23 - 28 cm)	XS	w/cuff AL?35101 w/bootie AL?35121	AL?35201 AL?35221	AL?73101 AL?73121	AL?73201 AL?73221
2.5-5.5	3.5-6	33-37	11"-13" (28 - 33 cm)	S	w/cuff AL?35103 w/bootie AL?35123	AL?35203 AL?35223	AL?73103 AL?73123	AL?73203 AL?73223
5.5-9	6-9.5	37-41	13"-15" (33 - 38 cm)	M	w/cuff AL?35105 w/bootie AL?35125	AL?35205 AL?35225	AL?73105 AL?73125	AL?73205 AL?73225
9-12.5	9.5-13	41-46	15"-17" (38 - 43 cm)	L	w/cuff AL?35107 w/bootie AL?35127	AL?35207 AL?35227	AL?73107 AL?73127	AL?73207 AL?73227
12.5-17	13 +	46-49 +	17"-19" (43 - 48 cm)	XL	w/cuff AL?35109 w/bootie AL?35129	AL?35209 AL?35229	AL?73109 AL?73129	AL?73209 AL?73229

Note: When ordering replace the ? with one of the following: 0= ankle / heel pad 2= air ankle / heel pad

Accessories:

Rain, Cold Weather, or Night Cover - Replacement cuffs and Strap kits

Call for more information.

Bledsoe limited warranty

This device is warranted to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of 90 days. These warranties apply to devices that have not been modified or subjected to misuse, abuse or neglect.



For more detailed information on this brace including fitting and adjustment instructions, visit our Web site: www.bledsoebrace.com

For product information or questions pertaining to sales or service, please contact the sales representative in your area or Bledsoe Brace Systems.

