

**Clinically tested**

**Care and usage instructions 01.2018**  
Please read before use!



**PADYCARE® antibacterial silver coated bandage materials for treatment of damaged and infected oversurface skin caused by bacteria such as atopic eczema, fungi, psoriasis, skin irritations or burns.**

ATTENTION: shades, colour differences and discolorations are not shortcomings in quality and do not represent a manufacturing fault. Discoloration happens through oxidation of the silver caused by body temperature and body humidity. Oxidation does not hamper the antibacterial functionality of silver bandage materials.

**Special directives and usage instructions**

- Please wash PADYCARE® Silver coated bandage materials before ever wearing.
- Please wear the textiles close to the skin in order to accelerate the effect and healing process. Silver ions are transported faster through body heat and humidity.
- It is important to apply creams and moisturizers to your skin to help prevent dryness. Moisture accelerates the transportation of the silver ions onto the skin.
- Please note that we are dealing with extremely highly-elastic, high-quality medical bandages containing abt. 99.6% purity percentage of silver, which requires careful handling and use, especially with regard to the strain on seams (e.g. due to frequent dressing and undressing or washing).
- The seams on PADYCARE® silver coated bandage materials for babies and children face outwards, to avoid friction with sensitive skin. If desired, the textiles can be worn with the seams inwards as well.
- Trial fitting of silver textiles on creamed skin is prohibited due to hygienic reasons.
- Worn goods cannot be taken back.
- Please keep the packaging/ polybag away from children, to avoid risk of suffocation.
- Patients shall not use, when sensitive to silver or any of the dressing components.

**Appropriate care instructions**

PADYCARE® silver coated textiles can be treated like silk. Wash them with sensitive-liquid soap or liquid detergent in the washing machine or by hand. Allow textiles to dry at room temperature. For correct care, we recommend our PADYWASH® liquid laundry soap.

- Do not use fabric softeners by PADYCARE® silver coated bandage materials. We recommend fluid, mild detergent.
- Please, wash the PADYCARE® textiles separately in the gentle wash cycle or with other synthetic fibers.

Adherence to care instructions can maintain the characteristics of PADYCARE® silver coated textiles and bed encasings products, even after laundering over 200 times – with little or no loss of their antibacterial effectivity.



Wash at 30°C, Gentle cycle



DO NOT use chlorine cleaners, disinfectants or fabric softeners



Air-dry. DO NOT tumble dry  
The silver surface is sensitive and oxidizes by direct contact to heat or sunshine.



DO NOT iron. The silver surface oxidizes when exposed direct to heat or sunshine.



No chemical cleaning

**Caution: Skin intolerance can result, if allergic to silver!**