

Inflation Instructions

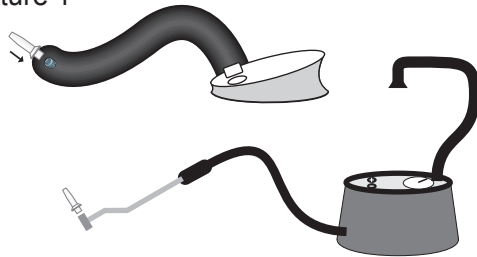
For Swiss Balls With The TheraGuard™ Anti-Burst System

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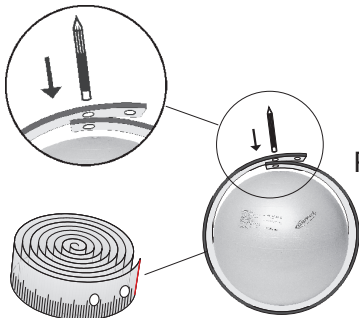
TheraGuard™ Ball Type	Load Weight	TheraGuard™ Limit
TheraGuard™ Swiss Pro Ball,	Up to 2200lbs / 1100kg	Up to 500lbs / 230kg
TheraGuard™ Exercise Ball,	Up to 1500lbs / 680kg	Up to 300lbs / 140kg

Swiss Balls with the TheraGuard™ ABS System offer greater safety against a sudden bursting of the ball during use - provided a certain body weight is not exceeded. For details, see the Load table above.

Picture 1



Picture 2



Picture 3



ATTENTION:

This package contains small objects, keep out of reach of children under 3 years.

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Congratulations on your purchase of a Swiss Ball with the unique TheraGuard™ ABS System. With the purchase of this Burst Proof Swiss Ball, you've acquired a high-quality ball.

When following the inflating instructions and used with proper care, the TheraGuard™ Swiss ball is burst-proof during an accidental puncture up to a total (body) weight of 500lbs / 230kg (TheraGuard™ Swiss Pro Ball), or 300lbs / 140kg (TheraGuard™ Exercise Ball). However, in the event of larger tears, for example if the ball chafes along sharp edges and is ripped open, even the TheraGuard™ ABS System can no longer help and the ball could lose air suddenly following such damage. For this reason the ball should be checked regularly for scratches or chafe marks, which can appear even during correct use or can gradually develop.

How to properly inflate the Swiss Balls with the TheraGuard™ ABS System:

- 1) The ball should be stored in at least 20°C (68° Fahrenheit) for 2-3 hours before inflation.
- 2) Inflate the ball in stages up to 80% of its maximum size at room temperature or at a maximum outside temperature of 25° C (77° F). Use the enclosed measuring tape for sizing (Picture 2). Remember that the ball may be very hard in this phase
- 3) Let the ball sit for at least 4 hours. The ball will feel very hard, even if inflated slowly. The ball reaches its optimum elasticity (softness) after 2 days at the latest.
- 4) Slowly inflate the rest of the ball to the optimum size for you at room temperature. Use the measuring tape, taking care not to inflate over its maximum size (Picture 3).

Check the diameter of the ball after 24 hours. The ball can become larger as a result of air expansion inside the ball. If the maximum diameter has been exceeded simply let some of the air out until the ball reaches the correct diameter.

Characteristics of the Swiss Ball with TheraGuard™ ABS System:

The TheraGuard™ Swiss Ball can show creases, when it is first inflated, because it gets folded for packaging. These creases will disappear over time, and do not affect the balls functionality or safety in any way. The shape of the ball can change slightly during use on account of the TheraGuard™ Weight Limit. The ball returns to its original shape approx. 10 min. after you leave it, due to the restorative force of the material. We guarantee our balls do not contain latex or expel any vapors that may be detrimental to your health.

For more information about the original Swiss Ball please visit:
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