

medi Australia – garment prior to surgery

medi Australia has over 75yrs of experience in providing quality compression garments.



The **garment you need prior to Surgery with Dr Somia** is:

Flat knit cosy fabric, class 2, pantyhose, open toe, black, with two zippers in the front or without gusset – for bathroom ease.

The photos show what the garment looks like and where the zippers will be.



You will need to be **measured by a qualified therapist** because there are **many measurements needed to make the garment fit** your specific shape. The therapist will charge a **consult fee** because it can take up to an hour to take the measurements.

Once the measurements have been taken the therapist will send them to us for a quote and the cost will be given to you. We have a **special price of buy one then get the second garment half price**. Usually, you will have **a garment prior to surgery** and then the **second garment several weeks post surgery**. Once paid for, the garment will be ordered and then it will take between **two to three weeks** to arrive. So please start the process of getting measured well in advance.



Please call **Mandy Galbraith** on **0498 021 039** to find out a therapist in your area that can **measure for medi's specific requirements**.

Please show the other side of this sheet to the therapist who will be measuring you.

Dear therapist,

Thank you for measuring for medi garment prior to surgery with Dr Somia.

The garment required is:



- Cosy flat knit fabric
- Class 2 for legs and panty section
- AT
- Open toe
- waistband
- Right and left front offset zippers (with or without hooks & eyes) or without gusset
- Colour black

There are some things to note:



- Posterior seam only (no lateral seam)
- Tick extra leg length for the front to ensure good fit (or request 2 to 3cm of extra leg length in the special section)
- Light tension at the ankle (not too tight)
- If the shape is suitable, one zipper centrally in the panty top is an option (with or without hooks & eyes)

See photos overleaf to see the position of the zippers and how the garment looks.



The medi clinical team would be **happy to assist with measuring** either online or in person if needed, so please contact **Mandy Galbraith** (National clinical & Education Manager) on **0498 021 039** to book a time or email **mandy@medi.au** for measuring forms, instructions or videos.

We have a special price of buy one get one half price for Dr. Somia patients undergoing surgery.

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