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Vertical
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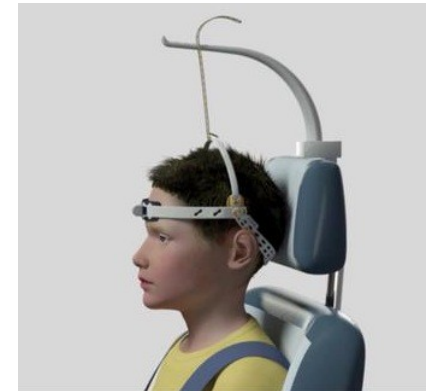
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Headpod™

**The Dynamic Vertical
Support System for
the Hypotonic
Head**



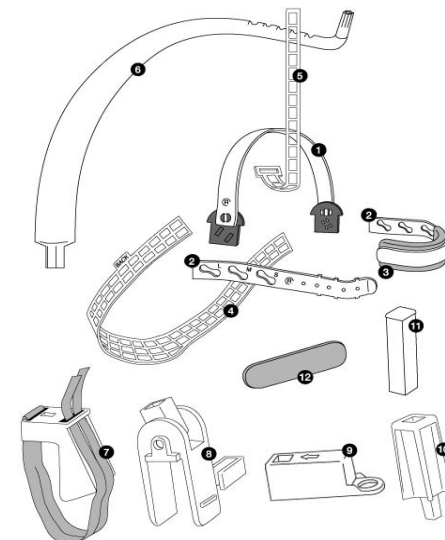
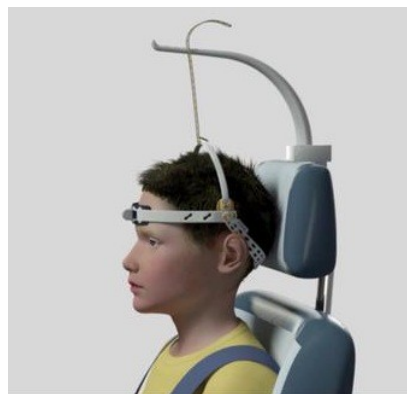
Finally a solution for the hypotonic head!

What does it do?

- The Headpod gives a child the opportunity to move within their plane of strength and on towards the goal of independent head control
- It provides the child with a “real world” visual field
- Can be used during feeding
- For many children, use of the Headpod will reduce hyperextension of the arms often seen as a child attempts to raise their head without adequate head control. If the arms are not required as a pattern to lift the head, the hands are available for functional use
- The Headpod can help reduce fatigue as the child no longer struggles during their day to maintain an upright head
- The Headpod fastens easily to a variety of headrest systems on a child’s adaptive stroller, wheelchair or stander
- Easy to clean, lightweight and removable when not in use.

Who is it for?

- For children who are unable to sustain the weight of their own head due to neck weakness, provided that there is not severe extensor tone in the trunk or significant structural deformities of the head or spine.
- Optimal for ages 2-8, but also can be utilized with children up to 15 years with hypotonicity in the neck and trunk.
- **For the child who wants to interact with their world but is restricted by the lack of a functional upright head!**
- **Not indicated** for Down Syndrome, Chiari Malformation, congenital deformities of the cervical spine, Hydrocephalus with IV shunt and structural deformities of the head



What is in the Basic Kit? Everything for most applications!

- 3 archs, 2 frontal straps, 2 occipital mesh straps
- 3 strengths of tensor straps and 2 sizes of forehead sponges
- Overhead suspension arm
- Adaptors Included: for seats with headrests (most commonly used), one for strollers with rigid backs, one universal adaptor, one height extender, one metal tube with plug

Options Available: Extra sponges, Headpod Visor, mounting for Tumbleform Type Seats

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