

# PROF. FARHADI'S BREAST SURGERY PADS

PLASTIC SURGERY GROUP BY PROF. J. FARHADI

### DOCTOR'S EVALUATION





# PROF. JIAN FARHADI

Chief of the plastic surgery unit at the Breast Cancer Centre in Zuerich

"Prof. Farhadi's breast surgery pads have replaced the forced air warming system in all patients after a microsurgical breast reconstruction. The patients have described the pads as soft, comfortable and non-scratching.

It gives them safety and security after a traumatic procedure of losing their breasts."

#### COMMENTS RECEIVED FROM PATIENTS:

- It is soft and warm
- It feels nice
- It does not scratch/itch
- It does not move under the bra
- It gives an optimal possibility to move
- It gives nice temperature
- It feels like it protects the breast
- It is relaxing and gives a feeling of security



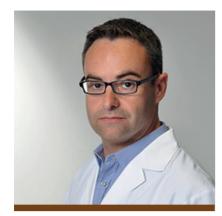
### DR. IRENE L.WAPNIR MD

Professor of Breast surgery, Chief of Breast Surgery, Stanford Cancer Institute, Stanford, USA

"The pads provide warmth, promote blood flow and potentially reduce ischemic problems to breast skin."

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# DR.JAUME MASIA

Chief of Plastic Surgery Department,Hospital de la Santa Creu i Sant Pau and Hospital del Mar,Barcelona, Spain

"For years surgeons have tried to find methods to improve the blood flow in the skin of the breast and the complex areola and nipple, and thus reduce the risk of complications after a mastectomy. Different systems for providing heat, such as electric blankets, hot water... all are uncomfortable for the patient and can sometimes pose negative effects, such as skin burns.

Today, I am glad to work with plastic surgeon, Professor Georg Panczel, from Norway, and his team, who have had the insightful idea to provide heat in a very simple way, which is comfortable for the patient. We found the solution in the use of a pad in merino wool from LANACare, which is placed on the breast the day before surgery. It acts as a thermal blanket, very pleasant and soft to the touch. It increases the temperature in the covered area. And because it is pure wool, which absorbs moisture without feeling wet, the skin may perspire, which is the most important condition for increasing blood circulation."



## DR. GEORG PANCZEL

Head of plastic surgery, Aleris Private Hospital Rogaland, Norway Consultant Stavanger University Hospital , Stavanger, Norway

"In Norway there are an increased number of women with BRCA mutation; these women have an increased risk of developing breast cancer during their lifetime. The treatment is usually prophylactic mastectomy.

I perform many of these types of surgeries in team with a breast surgeon. In these procedures the breast surgeon performs a so-called skin-sparing-mastectomy and I, as a plastic surgeon, then reconstruct the breast, usually using implants together with skin-muscle flaps or with the use of cellular dermal plates. The main problem is that the skin coverage over the implant can be very thin, and thus, have compromised circulation and decreased thermal abilities. I have used your wool pads postoperatively routinely since 2012 to maintain normal body temperature in the breasts and to prevent hypothermia, which can lead to yet decreased circulation in the breast skin. The patients tolerate the pads very well, and many continue to use the pads even after many weeks, because they find them comfortable and they feel less sensation of cold on the reconstructed breast."

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100% organic incredibly soft merino wool.

These pads were created for cases of breast cancer reconstruction surgery, cases of radiation, mastectomy or breast prothesis. The pads give optimal healing conditions and comfort.

#### SIZE GUIDE:

- XS 18x16 cm (7 x 6 in.)
- Small 21x16 cm (8 x 6 in.)
- Med 22x18 cm (8 x 7 in.)
- Large 22x27 cm (8 x 10 in.)

GIVES WARMTH AND COMFORT OPTIMAL HEALING CONDITIONS SOOTHINGLY SOFT WOOL

#### INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

The pads are intended to be placed over the bandaged area, under the bra or fixated under the Tubigrip<sup>®</sup>.



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