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MEDICAL APPLIANCE FOR APPLYING A PUMPING ACTION TO THE SOLE OF A FOOT

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP0150553A2] A medical appliance for applying pumping pressure to the sole (10) of a human foot (11) comprises an inflatable bag (1) which in use is held in engagement with the foot (11), for example by means of a sling (4), a plaster cast or an article of footwear, and which can be inflated rapidly by means of, for example, a pump (3). At least the part of the bag (1) in contact with the foot (11) can be of air permeable material allowing controlled deflation of the bag. The appliance serves to stimulate venous blood flow in the limb carrying the foot (11)

[origin: EP0150553A2] The medical appliance for applying pumping pressure to the sole (10) of a human foot (11) comprises an inflatable bag (1) which in use is held in engagement with the foot (11), a sling (4), a plaster cast or an article of footwear. It can be inflated rapidly by a pump (3). At least the part of the bag in contact with the foot can be of an air permeable material allowing controlled deflation of the bag.

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