

Key features

Pressure redistribution

MicroFlow™ is a viscous fluid that is designed to conform to the shape of bony prominences to redistribute pressure equally without “hammocking” or surface tension.

As effective as active surfaces

In a study of 158 patients, 67% of pressure injuries improved in patients on the RIK mattress (n=75).¹ The study concluded that the RIK static mattress system may prove as effective as active mattress systems for appropriate patients.¹

Patient transfer

Firm foam around the perimeter provides a support edge for patient egress. The V-shaped cuts allow for bending of the mattress when the head and foot sections are elevated.

Uses standard hospital flat sheets

Sheet attachments located along the sides allow most standard hospital flat sheets to be attached loosely to eliminate “hammocking”.

INDICATION

The RIK Overlay is indicated for patients at high risk of pressure injuries.

CONTRAINDICATIONS

- Unstable cervical, thoracic and/or lumbar fracture
- Cervical traction

Specifications

	DIMENSIONS	WIGHT	SAFE WORKING LOAD
RIK Fluid Overlay	198 (L) x 83 (W) x 13.9 cm (H)	45 kg	159 kg (350 lb)
Supplemental mattress	198 (L) x 83 (W) x 6.4 cm (H)	4.5 kg	

Part Numbers

Complete Assembly	VL22000
Supplemental Mattress	MS22000
Top Cover	TC22000
End Pad	ES22000
Centre Pad	CS22000
Bottom Panel	BC22000

References:

1. Russell L, Reynolds TM, Towns A, Worth W, Greenman A, Turner R. (2003). Randomized Comparison Trial of the RIK and the Nimbus 3 Mattresses. British Journal of Nursing. 12(4):254, 256-259

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At Arjo, we are committed to improving the everyday lives of people affected by reduced mobility and age-related health challenges. With products and solutions that ensure ergonomic patient handling, personal hygiene, disinfection, diagnostics, and the effective prevention of pressure injury and venous thromboembolism, we help professionals across care environments to continually raise the standard of safe and dignified care. Everything we do, we do with people in mind.

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