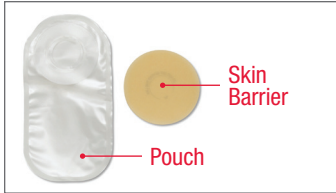


# Pouchkins Premie Pouching System

## Collect Supplies



Gather pouch, skin barrier, measuring guide, scissors, pen, water, and gauze, cotton balls, or tissue.

## Remove Used Pouching System



Carefully lift an edge of the adhesive and peel downward, gently pushing the skin away from the skin barrier. Properly dispose of used pouch. Do not flush down toilet.

## Clean and Dry Skin



Clean the skin with water or with a gentle soap as recommended by your healthcare professional. Rinse and dry thoroughly. Do not use oils, powder, lotion, or lotion-type soaps on the skin.

## Prepare the Skin Barrier and Pouch



Measure the stoma using a stoma measuring guide before every barrier application.



Trace the determined barrier size opening onto the skin barrier. The skin barrier should fit where the skin and stoma meet. Verify that no skin is showing between the skin barrier and the stoma to help prevent leakage and skin irritation.



Using small curved scissors, carefully cut an opening in the skin barrier to match the pattern. Do not cut beyond the line on the release liner.



Remove the release liner from the pouch.



With the paper side of the skin barrier facing up, center the skin barrier on the adhesive of the pouch. Hold together for 10 seconds. No adhesive should be visible beyond the skin barrier.

## Apply the New Pouching System



Remove the release liner from the skin barrier. Set aside with the adhesive facing up.



Center the skin barrier opening over the stoma. Apply gentle pressure to the skin barrier for about a minute for best adhesion.

## Tips

- The Premie pouch (3777) is intended for low-birthweight infants and has a capacity of 10 cc. If the capacity is insufficient, consider a larger pouch such as the Newborn pouch (3778)
- If using the premie pouch as a drainable pouch, carefully cut off the bottom above the seam. If too much is cut off, the pouch capacity will be diminished
- Apply the soft wire closure at end and fold ends securely. Refer to detailed instructions in box
- The skin around the stoma should not be irritated or broken. If the skin is irritated, contact a WOC/ET Nurse or ostomy specialist
- The Pouchkins stickers (included in each box) can be placed on the pouch to identify the date and time the pouch was changed

## Additional Information

- *Caring for Your Child with an Ostomy* (an educational booklet for parents and caregivers of infants with ostomies)
- *Can They Still Wiggle and Giggle* (a coloring book for children who want to know more about ostomies)

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## Additional Instructions:

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Routine follow-up with your healthcare professional is recommended.

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

**Product Description:** Premie ostomy pouch and skin barrier suitable for frequent pouch changes or use on fragile skin. The pouch is designed to be removed and disposed of after use or it may be configured to be emptied. The pouching system is most suitable for colostomies or ileostomies. Product is made of polymer/copolymer plastics, and nonwoven fabric, and polyethylene foam wire.

**Indications and Intended Use:** This product is intended to collect output from a stoma (e.g., colostomy, ileostomy) or skin opening (e.g., wound, fistula).

**Warnings:** Reuse of a single use product may create potential risk to the user such as poor adhesion. Reprocessing, cleaning, disinfection, and sterilisation (sterilization) may compromise the product. This may result in odour (odor) or leakage. Ensure proper fit as instructed. If the barrier opening is incorrect or leakage occurs, skin damage may occur (e.g., irritation, broken skin, rash, or redness). This may decrease wear time. (W4)

### Precautions:

**Soft Wire Closure:** This product with the soft wire closure attached is “MR Conditional.” A patient with this device can be scanned safely with this device in an MR system under the following conditions:

- Static magnetic field of 1.5-Tesla and 3-Tesla, only.
- Maximum spatial gradient magnetic field of 466-Gauss/cm (4.7-T/m).
- Maximum MR system reported, whole body averaged specific absorption rate (SAR) of 2-W/kg for 15 minutes of scanning (i.e.: per pulse sequence) in the Normal Operating Mode.
- A 15.2cm (6 inch) X 2.5cm (1 inch) length of adhesive tape must be applied over the metallic strip to help stabilise (stabilize) this product when it is necessary for a patient to undergo an MRI examination at 1.5-Tesla or 3-Tesla.

**Notes:** To help ensure proper adhesion, apply to clean, dry intact skin. Do not use oils or lotions. These products may interfere with adhesion of the skin barrier. Product fit is affected by many factors such as stoma construction, stoma output, skin condition, and abdominal contours. Contact a stoma care nurse or healthcare practitioner for help with theostomy pouching system or skin irritation. In case of serious injury (incident) in relation to your use of the product, please contact your local distributor or manufacturer, and your local competent authority. For more information, see [www.hollister.com/authority](http://www.hollister.com/authority) or contact EC Rep or local distributor.

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