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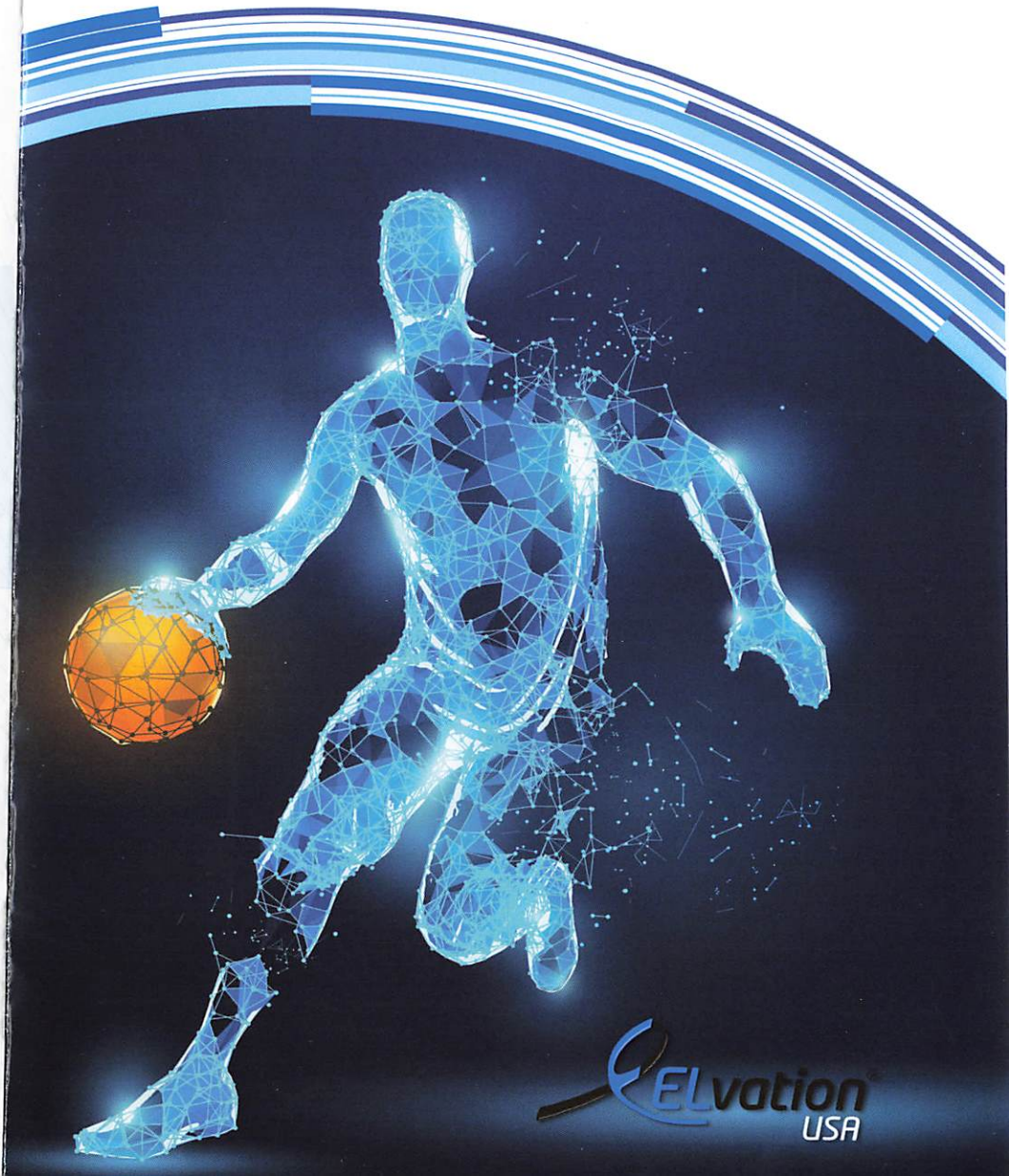


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Painless with the PiezoWave²

targeted, non-invasive pain relief



Introducing the PiezoWave² and Myofascial Acoustic Compression Therapy (MyACT)[™] with aptitude to pinpoint the pain and treat at the source

Myofascial Acoustic Compression Therapy (MyACT) is widely used in the treatment of acute and chronic pain in muscles, tendons and joints.

MyACT describes the use of acoustic waves to target tissue at varying depths to compress and manipulate tissue resulting in a focused and precise deep tissue massage.

The results of the mechanical stimulus delivered by MyACT can lead to increased circulation and pain relief – key components in the healing process.



Focusing in on your pain

The acoustic waves generated by the PiezoWave² painlessly pass through the body and converge at a point deep within the soft tissue to produce an intense, extremely short duration compression event. The focused acoustic compression is translated to tissue to provide a massage with pin – point accuracy to the affected area.

Patient guided pain relief

The sources of pain are not always found in the area where the pain seems to be radiating from. This is clinically called referred pain. The distancing of the pain sensation from its source can make treatment more difficult.

Diagnosis of referred pain and the recognition of the originating pain triggering points can be accomplished using the PiezoWave². Abnormal musculoskeletal tissue can be “flared” with focused MyACT in order to define the areas that require treatment. This process of defining the origins of pain is guided by the patient through verbal feedback to the healthcare professional providing the treatment.

How long does treatment take?

- A typical PiezoWave² treatment takes between 10 and 20 minutes
- Normally, 1-2 treatments per week are performed
- A total of 3-5 treatments may be necessary before lasting improvement is achieved
- With acute pain, a single session is often successful

Are there known side-effects of Myofascial Acoustic Compression Therapy[™]?

- Treatment side-effects are limited to reddened skin at the treatment site.

What to expect during your MyACT treatment

1. Your clinician will identify the treatment site or sites.
2. They will then apply a thin coat of coupling gel. This acoustic sound waves generated by the therapy head.
3. The clinician will start the treatment at a very low output level. The power to a level that you help define and is best for your condition. The output level and acoustic wave frequency rate will be adjusted based on the depth and type of tissue being treated.
4. As the clinician moves the therapy source around the area of concern, you may feel a deep, dull ache that is familiar to you. The clinician will ask you to describe the ache and will adjust the output of the device to the level of the ache. They may also ask you to confirm that you are creating the ache and may adjust the location of the treatment based on your feedback. If at anytime the treatment becomes uncomfortable, you will inform the clinician and they will adjust the output level.
5. After the treatment is completed, the coupling gel will be removed and you can return to your normal activities. You may experience some discomfort after treatment. It is not unusual for patients to have some reddened skin around the treatment site.