

**Baxter**

**The Vest APX**

AIRWAY CLEARANCE SYSTEM

ADVANCED PULMONARY EXPERIENCE

**CLEAR RELIEF**



**The Vest APX**  
System is the latest  
generation of **The Vest**  
System from Hillrom.

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# BREATHE EASY

The **Vest APX** System delivers the same time-tested technology of its predecessor while embracing modern advancements.

By keeping your airways clear, it may help you feel better and stay healthier longer, using state-of-the-art technology by Hillrom, the company that pioneered airway clearance therapy. Hillrom is a part of Baxter.<sup>1,2,3</sup>



Helps you maintain better lung health<sup>4,5</sup>



Helps reduce hospitalizations<sup>2</sup>



Helps reduce pulmonary exacerbations<sup>2</sup>

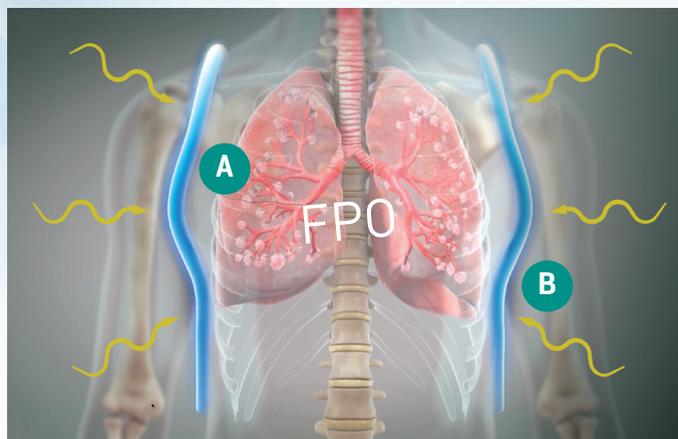
## THE VEST APX SYSTEM CAN BE USED TO TREAT PATIENTS WITH:

- Bronchiectasis
- ALS and other neuromuscular conditions
- Cystic fibrosis
- Spinal cord injuries



# WHAT IS AIRWAY CLEARANCE THERAPY?

When you have a chronic lung condition, mucus can plug the small airways in your lungs, where it gets stuck and aggravates respiratory problems. **The Vest APX System** uses a technology called High Frequency Chest Wall Oscillation (HFCWO) to help dislodge that mucus and move it into the larger airways, where it can be coughed or suctioned out.

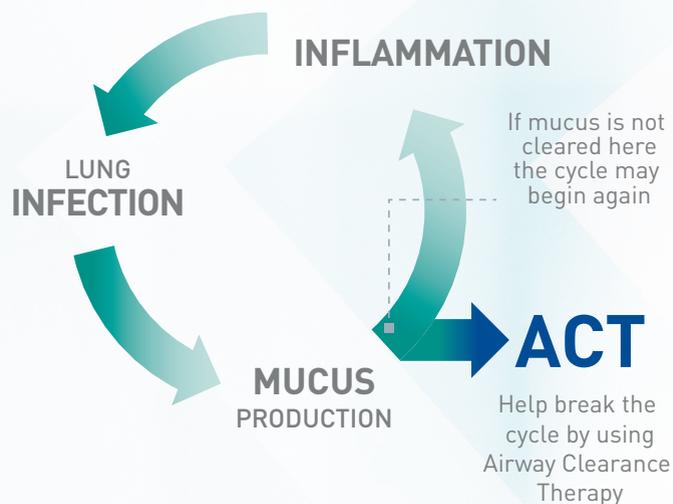


**A** **The Vest APX** garment hugs the chest area, focusing HFCWO therapy on the lungs.

**B** Precisely delivered oscillation loosens and dislodges mucus that is stuck in the small airways.

## WHY IT'S SO IMPORTANT

Mucus trapped in your airways can trigger a cycle of problems that can result in repeated serious infections, hospitalizations and damaged lungs. Airway clearance therapy with **The Vest APX System** can play a key role in breaking the cycle to help you feel better and potentially stabilize your respiratory health.



- When mucus plugs the airways, it traps bacteria
- Bacteria can cause lung inflammation and infections
- Infections can lead to hospitalizations and reduced lung function
- Infections produce mucus, which further plugs the airways and damages the lungs

# SLIP IT ON PUSH THE BUTTON CLEAR THE CRUD

**The Vest** APX System is comfortable and simple to use.<sup>3</sup> The garment—also available in a wrap style—is trim and lightweight. It's quick and easy to put on.<sup>3</sup> The control unit is preprogrammed with your personal therapy settings, so all you have to do is push START for therapy that's exactly what your doctor ordered, every time.

Streamlined garment allows for effective therapy without the extra bulk\*

Wicking fabric helps dissipate heat to keep you cool and comfortable

Designed for comfort, keeping the abdomen free, and focusing therapy on the chest area



Wrap garment is an alternative therapy option if the full garment style isn't right for you



Easy to adjust for the ideal customized fit<sup>3</sup>

Intuitive navigation that allows for therapy that is simple and straightforward

**Velcro** brand closures help make it easier to get the optimal fit\*

\*Compared to **The Vest** System Model 105

# IN YOUR SEAT ON YOUR FEET AT HOME OR AWAY

Whatever your condition or daily activities may be, **The Vest** APX System is designed to make it comfortable and easy to fit therapy into your life.



Sit back and relax—the sleek, modern design of **The Vest** APX System won't bind or ride up during therapy.



Go ahead and multitask. You can do your treatment along with other daily activities.

The compact, lightweight unit comes with its own carrying case that's perfect for travel.



Your provider will help you choose a wrap or vest garment style, for your best fit and comfort during therapy.

## CLEARER AIRWAYS LOOK GOOD ON YOU

Pick your favorite garment color or pattern, and put a little style into your treatment routine.



Colors and patterns clockwise from top:

- Burgundy\*
- Hunter Green
- Magenta Ribbons<sup>†</sup>
- Navy Blue\*
- Slate Grey
- Playful Posies<sup>†</sup>

\*Also available in Wrap garment

<sup>†</sup>Magenta Ribbons and Playful Posies only available in adult size 30" – 34"

# YOUR LUNGS ARE IN GOOD HANDS

With **The Vest** APX System, you can be confident you are receiving the same well-established, patented technology with new modern advancements driven by clinician and patient inputs.<sup>3</sup>

From the pioneer and  
**TECHNOLOGY LEADER**  
in HFCWO therapy

Trusted by nearly 200 thousand  
patients\* for over

**30 YEARS**

Tested in over

**60**

clinical studies\*

\*Adult and pediatric patients



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- Understanding your insurance, warranty coverage and financial options available to you
- 24-hour clinical care with multilingual customer service and product support
- Device setup and configuration from licensed clinical trainers

The **CARE Connex** Program support team can be reached at **1-800-426-4224**.

# FINANCIAL QUESTIONS?

**The Vest** APX System is generally covered by Medicare, Medicaid, and private commercial insurance when your doctor prescribes it. The Baxter team will work with your provider to facilitate the coverage process. The cost to you will depend on your specific insurance. Baxter has a team of professionals that are ready to assist you with understanding your insurance, warranty coverage and financial options available to you. Please feel free to reach out at **1-800-426-4224** if you need help, and have your insurance card handy.

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