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**Subject:** New mini lift slings

Is it possible to make prescribers aware of the following changes to the Mini lift slings, MOB 778,779 and 789?

The mini lift slings used to come from Handi care, they now come from Ro medic and as a consequence, there have been a couple of changes that I would just like to make everyone aware of.

The dimensions and weight limits remain the same.

The fabric of the sling has changed, particularly around the edges. We have put a new sling through the cleaning process and they seem to have washed well and appear robust.

The pocket at the back has now been removed.

The holding loops have changed colour.

The bones at the end of the sling used to be removable, they no longer are and are integral to the sling. They now do not appear so ridged.

The fabric inside which helps grip against the torso is of a different material.

The label with the instructions on it appears to be clearer, which should mean less scrappage of the product in the future.

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