

“I had shoulder surgery and this sling is wonderful!!! It fit all of my needs. It did it's job at immobilizing my shoulder. I could shower with it and it would dry quickly.”





Joslin Arm Slings were created to deliver the ultimate in comfort, fit and support. Since the introduction in 2000, our arm slings have received rave reviews from patients, healthcare professionals, elite athletes and celebrities alike.

Unlike traditional cloth slings, the unique combination of our stretch fabric and patented design assure a custom fit. The Ultimate Arm Sling®, our flagship product, was designed especially to relieve painful pressure points while providing maximum support and stability for both short and long term use.

PRODUCT LINEUP

Ultimate Arm Sling

Joslin ER Sling

Joslin Combo





Arm Slings

Designed for extraordinary comfort

STRETCH

Ultimate ARM SLING®

- Cotton spandex arm sling.
- Evenly eliminates pressure points while dramatically reducing neck fatigue.
- Easily adjusts in seconds.
- Latex free.
- Machine washable and tumble dry.
- Can be used for temporary, long term or permanent disabilities.

Toddler/Small Child

Item #	Weight	Height
J50001CS	25 - 50 lbs	2'5" - 3'75"

Child/Small Adult

Item #	Weight	Height
J50101CS	50 - 90 lbs	3'5" - 5'

Average Adult

Item #	Weight	Height
J50201CS	90 - 250 lbs	5' - 6'

Pro-3Xtra

Item #	Weight	Height
J50301CS	225 - 300 lbs	6' - 6'7"

Goliath

Item #	Weight	Height
J50401CS	300 + lbs	6'7" +



JOSLIN ER+Sling®

- Disposable arm sling.
- Made of soft disposable fabric that adjusts for custom comfort and fit.
- Designed for use anywhere arm slings are used in high volume for short-term injuries.
- Latex free.
- Clean with damp cloth.
- Fits both left and right arms.

U.S. Patent No. 7,018,349
CAN Patent No. 2,584,273
EP Patent No. 1,807,207

Child/Small Adult

Item #	Weight	Height
J61538	50 - 90 lbs	3'5" - 5'

Adult

Item #	Weight	Height
J62538	90 - 250 lbs	5' - 6'

Triple XXX

Item #	Weight	Height
J63538	225 - 300 lbs	6' - 6'7"





Arm Slings

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JOSLIN SWATHE®

- Effective, comfortable immobilizing strap for Ultimate Arm Sling.
- Made of lightweight fabric that adheres to hook and loop.
- Easily adjusted in seconds.
- Latex free.
- Machine washable and dryable.
- Designed for right and left arms.

Child

Item #	Weight	Height
J50601ZL	50 - 90 lbs	3'5" - 5'

Adult

Item #	Weight	Height
J50501ZL	90 - 250 lbs	5' - 6'

Goliath

Item #	Weight	Height
J50701ZL	300 + lbs	6'7" +



- Three-in-one kit which includes an Ultimate Arm Sling, abductor pillow and a waistband immobilizer.
- Made of lightweight fabric that adheres to hook and loop.
- Easily adjusted in seconds.
- Latex free.
- Machine washable and dryable.
- Designed for right and left arms.

Adult Regular

Item #	Weight	Height	Waist size
711J	100 - 200 lbs	5' - 6'	29 - 38"

Adult Large

Item #	Weight	Height	Waist size
712J	200 + lbs	6' - 6'7"	37 - 52"





Retail Portfolio



OUR HISTORY

Physician and surgeon Ivan E. Brown, Sr. launched Brown Manufacturing in 1965 after receiving a U.S. Patent for his invention, the Plastalume® Finger Splint. When sales of this new product increased, Dr. Brown moved operations from a workroom in his basement to a small building behind his residence. Under the leadership of Ivan's son, Ivan E. Brown, Jr., the company continued to expand. The SEAL-TIGHT® Cast and Bandage Protector, introduced in 1989, was instrumental in the evolution of Brownmed, as the product's success resulted in considerable sales and employment growth – and the need for increased manufacturing space.

A lot of things have changed since Brownmed produced the first aluminum/foam finger splint more than 50 years ago – but one thing remains the same, and that's Brownmed's mission: Improving Life is Our Passion.

Today, Brownmed employs more than 70 people and manufactures and sells more than 130 different products to a worldwide market. Exports contribute approximately 20% of sales and Brownmed has distribution relationships in 130 countries. Brownmed has been awarded 24 patents and has 11 pending with the United States Patent Office. Brownmed has 25 registered trademarks.



1964

In his basement workroom, **Ivan E. Brown, MD** invented the Plastalume finger splint.



1965

Dr. Brown founded **Brown Manufacturing** and earned a patent for **Plastalume**.



1967

Dr. Brown expanded to a **2000 sq. ft building** in the backyard of his residence.



1982

A new era began.

Dr. Brown passed away. His three sons took over management of the company.



1985

Recognized with the **Iowa Small Business Exporter of the Year Award**.



1987

The company licensed the technology for **SEAL-TIGHT**.



1989

The company started manufacturing **SEAL-TIGHT** cast and bandage protectors.



1990

The company expanded to a **6,000 sq. ft building** and employed ten people.



1993

A new upper extremity line, **Steady Grip**, was released.



1994

Ivan E. Brown became CEO.

The **Steady Step** lower extremity line was introduced.



1997

A new location and expansion, this time to **30,000 sq. ft.** Credited with the **Governor's Export Award.**



1998

Brown assembled a **Board of Directors.**



1999

Polar Ice cold therapy line introduced.



2003

The company earned the **CE Marking** for entire product selection.



2004

The acquisition of **Soft Stride** orthotics from M-PACT.



2008

Credited with the **Governor's Excellence Award** and listed on the **Inc. 5000.**



2009

Plantar fasciitis line rebranded under **Nice Stretch** banner.



2010

The company acquired IMAK Products Corp. and received the **Ease of Use Commendation** for three products from the Arthritis Foundation.



2013

Brownmed launched **Intellinetix** and joined **Inc. 5000 Honor Roll**, making the list of America's fastest growing companies for the fifth time.



2014

Added **51,000 sq. ft.** to manufacturing facility in Spirit Lake, IA and acquired **NüRoo Products Corp.**



2016

Brownmed acquires Joslin Arm Slings



2016

Brownmed celebrates its **50th year** as a family-owned manufacturer of medical device products.



2017

Kyla Garver became President marking a transition to the third generation of family leadership.



2018

Brownmed launches **Spark Kinetic Sleeves.**



2018

Brownmed executive office moves into a new space.



2019

Brownmed launches **Body Furnace**, adding the first app-controlled device to product portfolio.



2020

Brownmed manufactured and distributed more than 1 million units of lifesaving PPE during coronavirus pandemic.

ABOUT US



OUR MISSION

At Brownmed, we believe you should be able to do what you love, no matter what. We believe pain causes road blocks that diminish your enthusiasm for life. We believe we can eliminate road blocks so you can get back to what drives you. We create products that are comfortable, well made and uncomplicated.

Improving life is our passion.



CERTIFICATIONS

CE Declaration of Conformity

The CE Marking allows Brownmed to trade its products freely within the European Union.

Certificate to Foreign Government

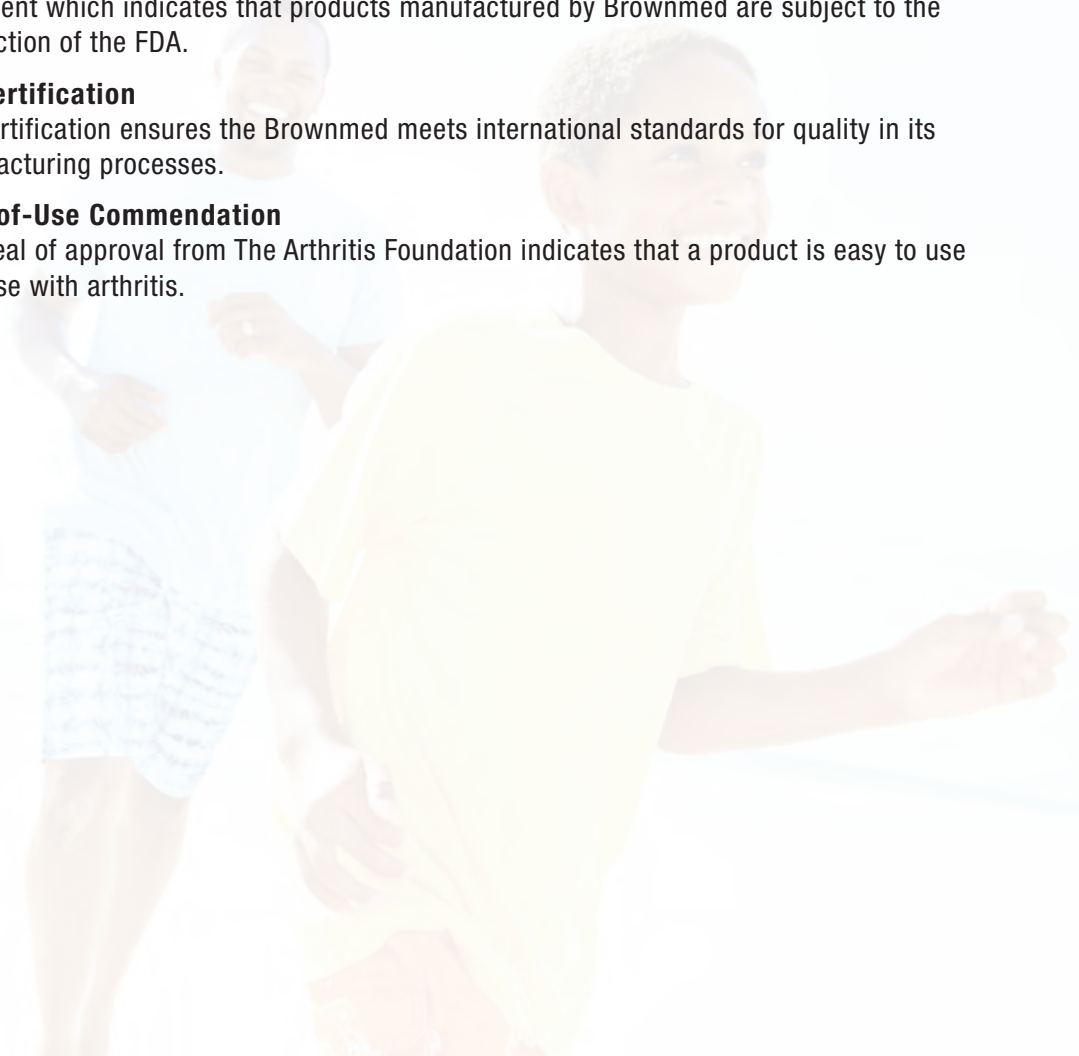
The Certificate to Foreign Government is a United States Food and Drug Administration document which indicates that products manufactured by Brownmed are subject to the jurisdiction of the FDA.

ISO Certification

ISO Certification ensures the Brownmed meets international standards for quality in its manufacturing processes.

Ease-of-Use Commendation

This seal of approval from The Arthritis Foundation indicates that a product is easy to use by those with arthritis.



ABOUT US



GREEN INITIATIVES

Operating Mindfully

Brownmed's manufacturing facility is nestled within the Iowa Great Lakes. In fact, it is less than five miles away from one of only three blue water lakes in the world, West Lake Okoboji. This area is home to more than 500 animal species and we have nearly 20,000 Public Wildlife Acres. Respect for and preservation of the environment is ingrained in our culture at Brownmed.

Our actions – the building and grounds:

We've transitioned to geothermal energy. This eliminated the need for all natural gas for heating. In addition, all air conditioning is provided by geothermal. Lighting is provided by high efficiency fluorescent bulbs that we recycle through an approved Universal Waste Management Company. We voluntarily requested a facility-wide waste management and environmental compliance survey by the Iowa Waste Reduction Center (2005). The lawn sprinkler system is supplied with water from a water retention pond fed by runoff from our roof and parking lot drains.

Our actions – manufacturing processes:

Zoned lighting system and skylights maximize energy efficiency. All used oil is recycled through a used oil recycler. All scrap vinyl and aluminum is recycled.

Our actions – packaging and shipping:

IMAK Compression, IMAK RSI and IMAK Ergo display boxes are made from 75% recycled pulp.

IMAK Compression, IMAK RSI and IMAK Ergo inner and outer cartons are made from 100% recycled pulp. Recycled paper is used for packing fill material. Customers are invoiced electronically to reduce paper use.

Our actions – recycling:

All cardboard generated in the plant is recycled. All batteries are recycled the ergoBeads found in many of our IMAK Compression, IMAK RSI and IMAK Ergo products are 100% recyclable.

INTRODUCING OUR BRANDS



Moisture Protection for Casts,
Bandages Wounds and more



Ergonomic Comfort for
the Digital World



Supporting Kangaroo Care and
Skin-to-Skin Contact



Dynamic Vibration
Therapy Products



Stretch-to-Fit Armslings

NICE STRETCH

Splints and Supports



Cold Therapy for Post-Surgical
Rehabilitation and Other Injuries

Plastalume®

The Best in Splinting Technology



Make Walking Easier
and More Comfortable



Flexible Foot Orthotics

