



The Richie Brace® was developed in 1995 by Douglas Richie D.P.M. and introduced to the podiatric market in 1996 after significant prototype testing and modification.

The Standard Richie Brace® is a custom ankle foot orthosis that contains a balanced functional foot orthotic attached to a semi-rigid ankle brace. It is designed to apply force both above and below the axis of rotation of the major joints of the foot and ankle (rearfoot complex). The Riche Brace® is designed to control foot and ankle movements in situations where traditional foot orthosis may fail.

Many different brace models are available.

- Standard Richie Brace
- Dynamic Assist Richie Brace
- Little Richie Brace (Childs)
- Richie Soccer Brace
- Richie Brace Solid AFO
- California AFO
- OTC Richie Brace
- Richie Gauntlet

The full line of Richie Brace®'s is available from both Burns Podiatric Laboratory, Inc. and Eastern Podiatry Laboratory as both facilities are authorized distributors of the Richie Brace®.

Casting Instructions

A neutral suspension casting technique is used with foot held 90 degrees dorsiflexed. With a felt tip pen outline lateral and medial malleoli. Make large dot at distal (tip) of each malleolus. Check cast to assure transfer of skin markings. For severely pronated feet, please also advise us of the amount of tibial varum (in weight bearing).