

# NeutralPosture

**Safer – More Durable – More Ergonomic! Far better than a footring!**

<p>Traditional Footrings vs. NeXtep™ (Neutral Posture’s patented, ergonomic innovation)</p>	<p><b>Traditional Footrings</b> Less than effective ergonomically!</p> 	<p><b>Neutral Posture’s NeXtep™</b> The optimal ergonomic answer!</p> 
<p><b>Problems With Traditional Footrings</b></p> <p><u>Compared with</u></p> <p><b>Solutions with NeXtep™</b></p>	<p><b>Durability:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Not built to support user’s body weight</li> <li>➤ When user steps with full body weight on ring, over time it will breakdown and warp, and/or damages cylinder standpipe</li> </ul> <p><b>Stability / Safety:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Tends to roll or move (when casters are used) whenever the user tries to sit down</li> <li>➤ Awkward to use as step-up with support under the chair, as instructions are “don’t put full body weight on ring”</li> <li>➤ User may catch heel of shoe on ring when trying to exit stool</li> </ul> <p><b>Ergonomic Function:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Leg/foot support is positioned under and behind front edge of seat, so that user must maintain a bent lower leg. Uncomfortable for long term sitting</li> <li>➤ Position of support (under and behind seat edge) is poorly positioned for use when exiting stool, especially for short users.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Durability</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>Built to support up to 400 lbs.</b></li> <li>➤ Simple design encourages use as a “step”</li> <li>➤ <u>Platform material:</u> Reinforced glass fiber plastic is very strong</li> </ul> <p><b>Safety / Stability:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>Increased stability of chair</b> as user enters and/or exit the stool, as the platform provide strong, wide and properly positioned step-up</li> <li>➤ Stabilizes stool when user steps on platform, so stool won’t roll away, even with casters</li> <li>➤ Attached to stool, just like the footring does</li> </ul> <p><b>Ergonomic Function:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>Optimal ergonomic positioning</b> of user’s lower leg, in front of the chair to improves worker comfort and safety</li> <li>➤ Can be single, or combined in series or 2 steps for greater ease of use.</li> <li>➤ Offered with either Glides or with Locking casters (easier positioning mobility)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Other Points</b></p>	<p><b>Adjustability:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Height adjustable</li> </ul>	<p><b>Adjustability:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Depth adjustable (3 positions)</li> <li>➤ Can even be combined with footring,</li> </ul>