

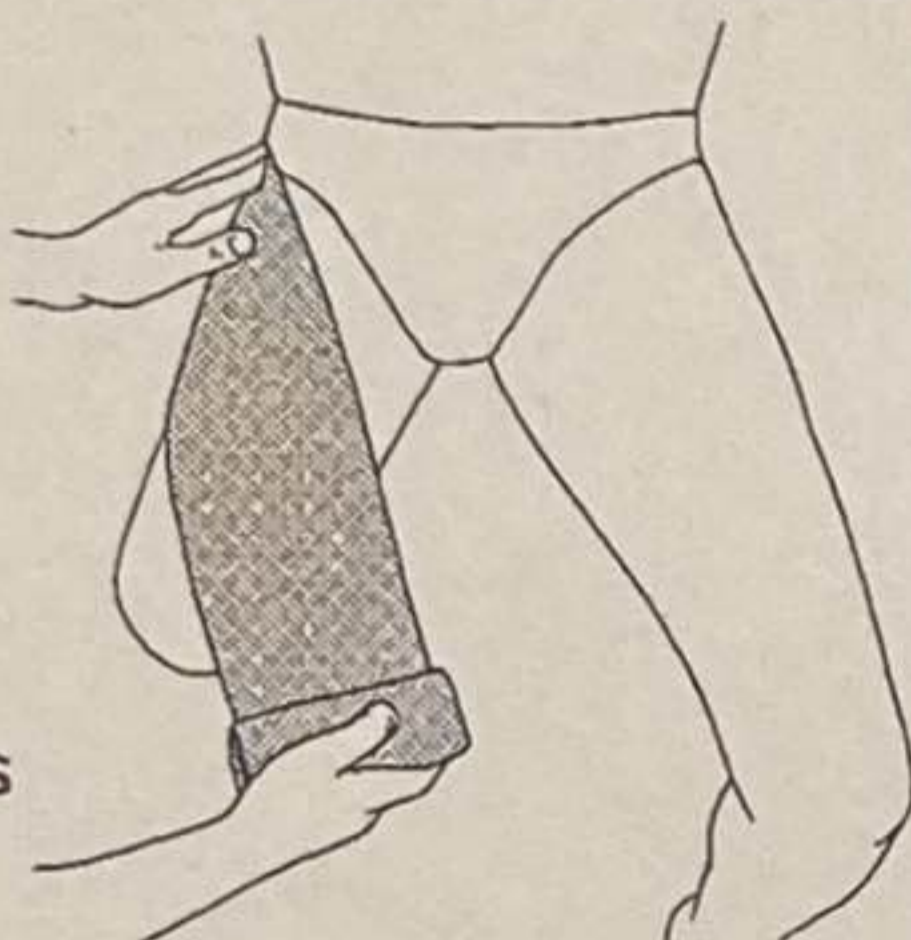
Ace Wrapping **Transfemoral Amputee**

- Ace wrapping should always be initially instructed by a trained health care professional, because inappropriate application can be harmful.
- Always use a clean wrap with good elastic quality.
- Wrapping should always be completed in a diagonal pattern with no wraps directly horizontal all the way around the limb and without excessive wrinkles.
- The wrap should be anchored to itself with tape. Avoid using clips or taping to the skin.



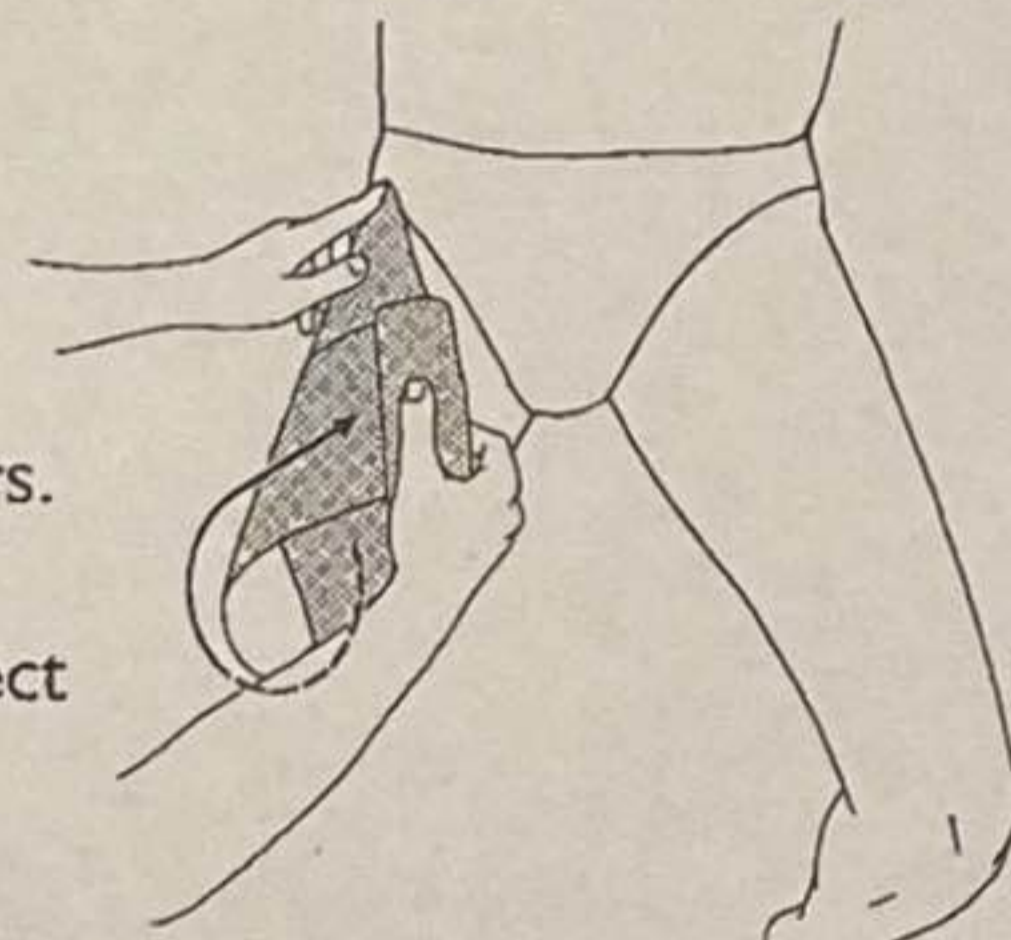
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Anchor end of 6" ace outside of hip with one hand and hold roll in the other hand. Initiate wrapping diagonally down across to bottom inside corner.



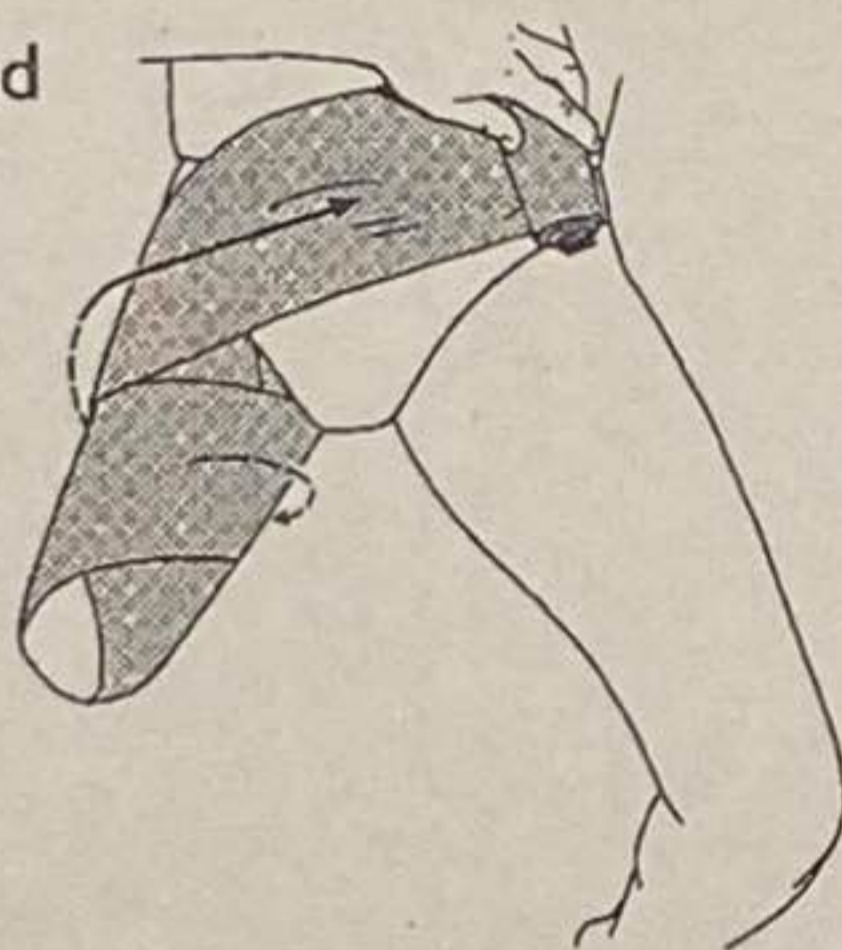
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Wrap around back bottom end to encompass both bottom corners. Advance diagonally up across front aspect toward groin.



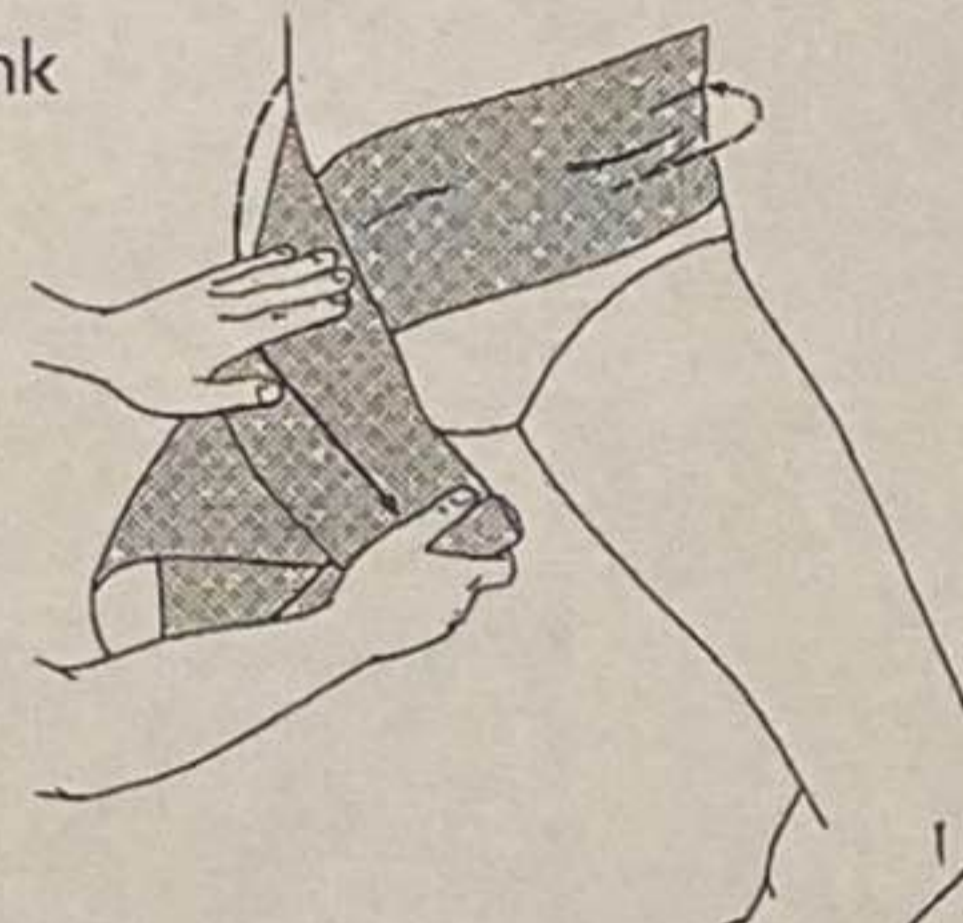
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Continue wrapping around the top back thigh, outside of hip and initiate first "hip spika" by advancing across the abdomen.



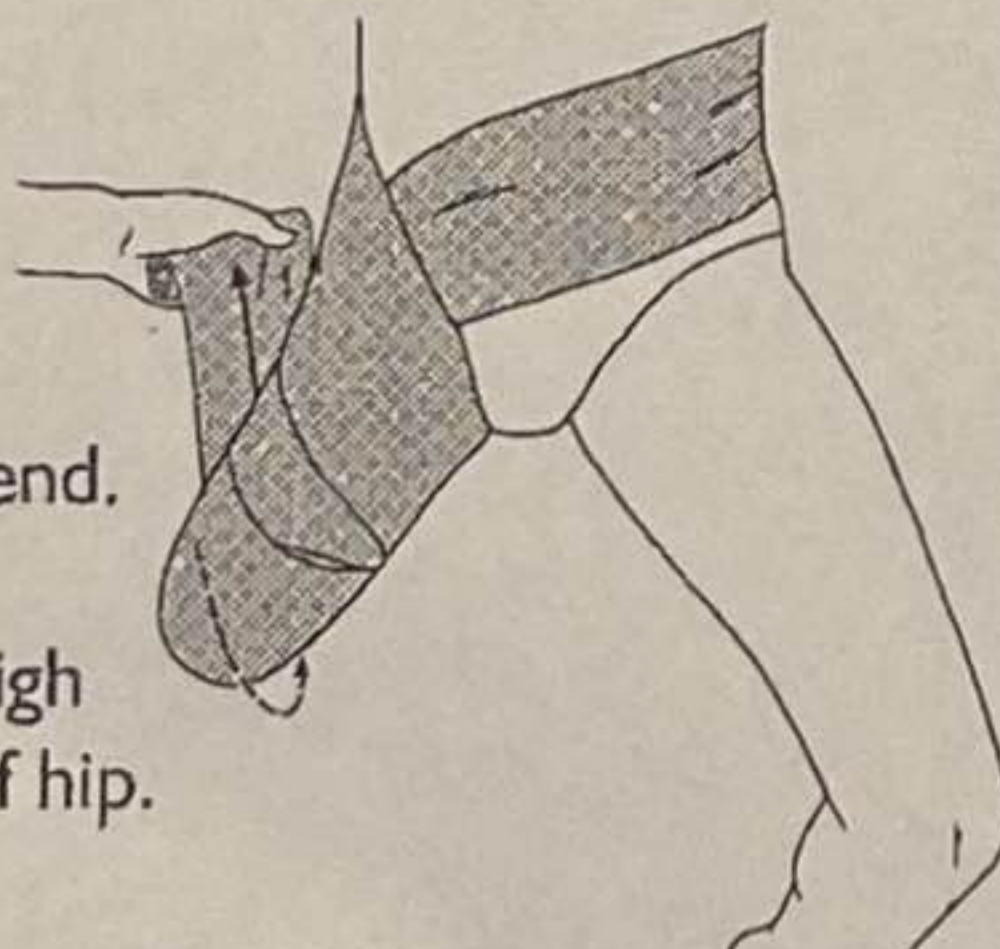
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Wrap around the trunk one time and then angle down around as high as possible through the groin region.



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Progress around back thigh and then down across front aspect to close the bottom end. Continue wrapping diagonally up back thigh toward the outside of hip.



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Complete second "hip spika" by wrapping across the abdomen and around the trunk. 6" ace will usually end over residual limb hip or thigh. Anchor with tape.

