

How do I care for a partial foot prosthesis and the residual foot?

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5 tips to care for your silicone prosthesis

1. Take off your partial foot prosthesis before you go to bed.
2. Wash your prosthesis once a day using lukewarm water and hand soap.
3. Allow the prosthesis to air dry.
4. Do not use chemicals to clean your prosthesis. They can permeate the silicone and later be absorbed by your skin.
5. If your prosthesis gets very dirty, clean it by boiling it for 30 minutes in tap water.