



## Iontophoresis

Iontophoresis is used primarily for tendonitis and bursitis. This is often used instead of cortisone shots that are administered by physicians. Iontophoresis works by applying a low level electrical current to a similarly charged drug solution that is injected into a special pad that is placed over the affected area. The special electrical stimulus repels the drug ions through to the underlying tissue without trauma to the tissue.

Why should you use Iontophoresis?

- Non-invasive, therefore virtually painless

- Great option for the needle phobic patients

- Great for tender/sensitive areas

- Lowers risk of tendon damage

- The current draws water particles out of the medicine, delivering only a small amount of fluid to the affected areas.

