



Comparison of Copper Intrauterine Devices Available in Canada

Brand Name	Copper (mm ²)	Horizontal length (mm)	Vertical length (mm)	Years in Situ	Suggested User	Cost [†] (\$)	Comments
Nova-T[‡]	200	32	32	2.5	N/A	186	The monograph states it can be left in situ for 30 months but studies indicate it is effective for up to five years. ^{1,2}
Liberte TT	380	Standard		10	Uniparous, Multiparous or ≥ 7 cm uterus	64	TT has copper on body and arms; UT just copper on body. Significance of this not established.*
		34	29.9				
		Short		5	Nulliparous or < 7 cm uterus	64	
		29.5	23.2				
Liberte UT[‡]	380	Standard		5	Uniparous, Multiparous or ≥ 7 cm uterus	56	
		35.4	32				
		Short		5	Nulliparous or < 7 cm uterus	56	
		28.4	32				
Flexi T 300[‡]	300	23	28	5	Nulliparous	73	
Flexi T+ 300	300	28	32	5	Multiparous (≥2 deliveries); ≥40 yo	83	
Flexi T+380	380	28	32	5	Multiparous (≥2 deliveries); 23-40 yo	83	
Mona Lisa N[‡]	300	23	29.1	3	<6 cm uterus	67	All indicated for parous and nulliparous
Mona Lisa 5[‡]	380	31.8	31.9	5	6.5-9 cm uterus	52	
Mona Lisa 10[‡]	380	31.85	35.85	10	6.5-9 cm uterus	52	

[†]Acquisition cost as of 19 Aug 2015 [‡]NIHB benefit * When asked about the significance, manufacturer suggested the TT may be slightly more effective because of greater distribution. (Phone communication with Sandra Moon, MediSafe Sask/AB Sales Rep, 2013 Aug 15.) References available upon request.

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