

PROPER USE OF SIT/STAND WORKSTATIONS

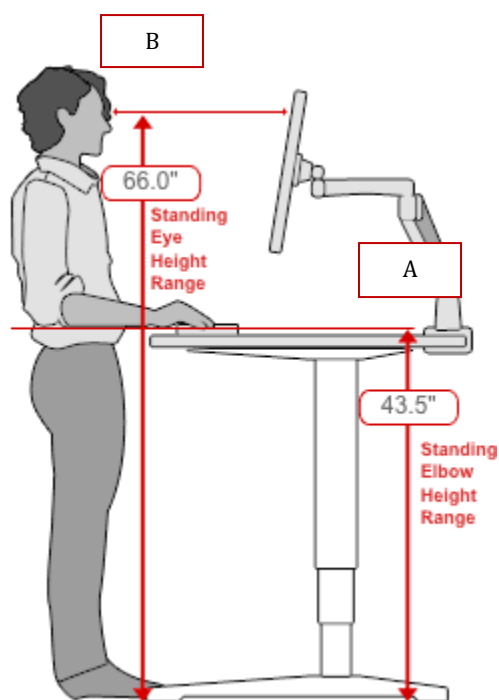
A sit/stand workstation is a desktop device or adjustable-height table, which allows users to easily alternate between working from a seated position to a standing position. Many types of sit/stand products have been developed over the years to accommodate this growing trend. The illustrations below show a small example of the types of sit/stand products available.

Examples of Sit/Stand WorkStations		
C-Clamp Desktop Sit/Stand	Monitor Arm Sit/Stand	Variable-Height Sit/Stand Table
		



What is the Impact of Footwear and Flooring?

Wearing cushioned footwear that provides support is very important. Standing in footwear such as heels, flats or thin sandals can cause substantial discomfort over time. Standing for extended periods on hard flooring such as wood, tile or concrete can also cause similar discomfort. An anti-fatigue mat can help reduce discomfort caused by hard flooring.



Standing Elbow Height Range (A)	Standing Eye Height Range (B)
36.5"	55.7"
37.1"	56.6"
37.8"	57.6"
38.2"	58.6"
38.8"	59.4"
39.6"	60.4"
40.1"	61.2"
40.7"	62.2"
41.9"	63.6"
42.5"	64.4"
43.3"	65.4"
43.5"	66.1"
44.3"	67.0"
45.2"	67.9"
46.1"	68.6"
47.0"	69.3"
48.1"	70.1"
49.2"	71.0"

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