Endcap FAQs

What is an endcap?

- An endcap is the curved or bent piece of metal or plastic (depending on the type of tanning unit you have) at the head and foot end of the tanning unit.
- Generally, there are 4 endcaps per tanning unit. (Except in the case of stand-ups or in units that have 2 piece endcaps.)
 If your tanning unit uses cylinders to lift the canopy, there is usually a place for cylinder attachment on the endcap.

When should I replace my endcaps?

Usually there is no need to replace the endcaps on your tanning unit unless one breaks. However, replacing the endcaps is an easy way to give your units a newer, cleaner appearance.

What information do I need to order the correct replacement endcaps and endcap accessories?

- You will need make, model, and year of the tanning unit.

 Have a physical description of the endcap. Have the following information: bench or canopy, head or foot, color of endcap, any holes or vents, curved or bent, and if bent, how many bends.
- When ordering endcap accessories, have the information above as well as a description of the endcap accessory and its function.

What if they do not make my endcap anymore?

- Many manufacturers discontinue body parts after a certain period of time. In this case, contact our parts department. If we do not have the endcap, we will either try to find one or refer you to another company.
- Our company offers aftermarket endcaps for some models. Most of these endcaps have been made without pre-drilled holes for cylinder attachment, so be prepared to drill your own holes.
- In some cases you will not be able to find a replacement endcap. If you have a plastic endcap, some people have tried repair methods such as bondo, fiberglass, and paint. This is only a temporary fix, however. Eventually you may have to replace your tanning unit.