

# Podiatric Specialty Views

**HINDFOOT ALIGNMENT**-patient stands on plexiglass platform specially made for the hindfoot alignment view. The cassette is placed in the holder, have the patient touch great toe to middle of film. Place a lead strip 3mm x 2mm x 6cm behind the patient's affected heel. The tube is at an angle of 20° off of horizontal (perpendicular to the cassette).

**CHARGER VIEW OF LATERAL ANKLE**-weight bearing ankle done in dorsiflexion. The knee on the affected side is flexed to place stress on the ankle, bring the opposite leg forward for balance. The affected foot is kept flat.

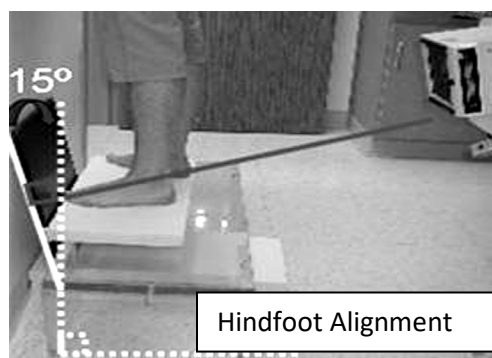
**SUNRISE VIEW OF THE HEEL**-position similar to that of an axial heel with an angle of 20° caudad off of vertical. This view is done to visualize the posterior rim of the heel.

**BRODEN'S VIEW OF THE ANKLE/HEEL**-patient is laying on table with foot internally rotated 40°. Start with a 30° cephalic tube angle entering medially to the distal fibula. You may have to do several exposures, ranging between 10 and 40 degrees.



## Harris/Beath Views (Coalition views):

Position as you would a routine axial. Angle tube 30°, 35°, & 45° as CR enters the plantar surface.



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