



## The Intrauterine Device (IUD)



This is often called the COIL

The IUD is a small copper and plastic device which is put into your womb



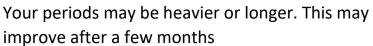
It is over 99% effective



It can stay in place for 5 to 10 years depending on the type



## Side effects





Your periods may be more painful



## **Other Comments**

It requires a small procedure to put in and take out the IUD.

Not affected by other medicines.

