



Putting clothes into and out of the washer/dryer is usually a repetitive back lifting job. What makes it worse is the fact that it is not the weight of the clothes that matters, but instead the <u>weight of your upper body</u> that your lower back must hold up. The best way to get away from lifting your upper body weight as you load and unload the washer or dryer is to <u>stand at the corner of the machine in a wide</u> <u>PowerLift® stance</u> and <u>bend your knees</u> a little. This position lets your legs do the work of holding up your upper body weight and takes it off of your lower back.

USING THE CLOTHES WASHER AND DRYER