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"Comfort you deserve"

Pressure Care Catalogue

Quality patient pressure care products

Gillespie's stock a wide range of pressure care & patient comfort products to suit needs from low to high risk situations.

Alleviating Constant Pressure

Please note, the information provided within is only a general guide to help with the prevention of sores, always seek professional medical advice.

- Keep patient off the sore area for periods of time
- Help the area breathe as much as possible
- Seek professional medical advice on how to best treat problem areas
- Reduce friction and sheen between patients skin and chair or bed

For more information on pressure care products or other equipment requirements, please contact our friendly staff or visit our website: www.ghss.com.au

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Foreword - Chris Gillespie

Pressure reducing products help ease the threat of skin shear and skin friction on patients especially those with bony prominences.

Pressure ulcers are local loss of skin and soft tissue as a result of pressure from prolonged bed rest or sitting and are liable to form over any points at which pressure is exerted by the weight of the body. They can occur on the buttocks and on bony points such as heels, elbows, shoulders and the back of the head.

Anyone who sits or lies in one position for a long time might get much benefit from the products contained herein. The ability to widen the area of distribution for overall pressure and reduce the peak pressures are the aims of all the manufacturers of these products. Pressure sores can be serious. Consult your doctor if a sore is forming.



Kind Regards,



Chris Gillespie - Managing Director

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Contoured Bed Wedge - \$165

Product Code - 3113



The Contoured Bed Wedge elevates your head and upper torso when sleeping or resting in bed to reduce or eliminate the symptoms of acid reflux or gastric reflux and other medical problems such as asthma, bronchial or breathing constraints, hernia and heart conditions.

Ideal for nursing homes, hospitals and home. Elevates and supports the head, neck, back and shoulders to support your body while sleeping or resting.

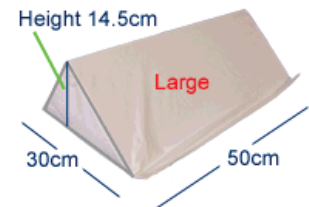
Pillow Slip White option \$32 or Waterproof \$45

Bed Wedge Small - \$82

Product Code - 117



Triangular foam wedges that can be used in a variety of ways to help support people in bed. The wedges are available in large and small sizes.



Pressure Care Assistant - \$106.30

Product Code - SCPCA



The Shear Comfort[®] Pressure Care Assistant is a 65cm x 20cm strip of sheepskin with linen flaps which can be tucked in under the mattress to keep it in place. Areas at risk, such as the heels, sacrum, shoulders or head, can be individually cared for.

Leg Relaxer - \$110

Product Code - LRW and LRQ



Contour shaped for the calves and scalloped for the thighs. Designed for use on the bed to aid circulation and diminish the load on the heart. It greatly assists vascular drainage and provides even weight distribution which helps alleviate lower back stain, tension and pressure on the sciatic nerve. Supplied with Quilted or Waterproof cover. Pillow case also available

BetterNeck Pillow - \$139

Code - 1644



USA Made - insures the correct support for the neck and shoulder area. Relieves the cervical vertebrae, muscles and nerve paths. Use directly with supplied washable pillow case.

Pyramid Pillow - \$67.95

Code - PAWHI



The multi-purpose comfort support for relaxing in bed or on the lounge featuring lumber bulb. Superb comfort pillow for those suffering hiatus hernia and other conditions requiring an elevated sleeping position. Also available Pyramid Pillow Case

Overlay Superior - \$496.45

Product Code -SCSO



A full covered bed overlay, designed to cover from head to toe. Suitable for long term patients. 3 - 9 full sheepskins are used to manufacture this quality product.
Size
Superior Overlay
75cm x 150cm

Overlay Silicon Fibre - \$380

Product Code - 4523



Cylindrical hollow core fibres provide greater comfort and shear reduction. Soft breathable cotton top side. Water resistant polyurethane underside. Overlay can be reversed to suit. Elastic corner straps secure overlay in position. Machine washable.

Ripple Mattress Slimline3 - \$995

Code -MK11



The Slimline 3 alternating air support system offers a high level of comfort and options. Patient handling is greatly enhanced with the lower overlay profile and the heavy duty elastic strap handles which allow the overlay to be secured firmly.

Ripple Bubblemat - \$375

Code -HW-032B



A simple low profile alternating air system which is easy to set up and use. The bubblemat system aids in localised reperfusion and lymphatic flow in lighter patients at lower risk of pressure ulcers.

Spine Reliever Body Pillow - \$99

Product Code - 1659



Also available
Body Pillow Case

Filled with 5lbs of hypo-allergenic premium fiber
Cylindrical shaped body pillow that is designed to provide total body support and assist proper alignment of your spine. Extra long to fit the whole body, Dimensions: 20"W X 54"L X 12"H



Keyhole Cushion - \$82

Code - KC



The Keyhole Cushion is a high density cushion with a symmetrical aperture. Designed for post natal or post operative discomfort, haemorrhoids, bruised coccyx and other painful conditions. The keyhole seat cushion gives therapeutic, pressure-free comfort when sitting.

Coccyx Wedge - \$49.95

Code - COX01



Promotes proper posture by enabling longer periods of sitting by supporting the back from underneath. It also has the added benefit of a cut out area relieving pressure on the tailbone and anal area.

Seat Wedge Coccyx cut out \$60

Code - 1641-BK



Helps improve spinal alignment for improved back posture. It is angled to neutralize the concavity of sunken and sloping seats that compress the body and spine.

Backmate - \$169.95

Code - BMEDBM



The go anywhere back support. It fully supports both the lower and middle regions of the back, reducing stressful loads on the spine.

Events Cushion - \$19.95

Code -CP4PH



Creates the ultimate comfort experience in the hardest of seats. Readily moulds to the shape of the body and seat, at the touch of a button. Easily deflated and folded for transportation.

Synthetic Cover Cushion - \$49.50

Code - FS571S



Easily portable foam cushion, provides additional support and comfort and assists in pressure relief .

Also available in Vinyl.
Code: FS571F

Seat Wedge - \$70

Code - 169



Designed to help relieve & prevent back pain, numb buttocks & other discomforts associated with long periods of sitting. Improves circulation in the legs. Posture in the car

Cairecush - \$63.95

Code - 3069



Lightweight PVC air cushion. Improves blood circulation to reduce risk of pressure related problems. Unique two layered design for greater immersion. Cell pattern improves surface stability. Easily cleaned with soap and water.

Diffuser Cushion - \$102

Code - DIFF



Specially formulated, premium density viscoelastic foam conforms and cushions for near-weightless comfort and support. Disperses pressure and spreads the load

Action Commuter - \$350

Code - AK8508



The Polymer promotes even pressure distribution while foam provides additional comfort and significant shock and impact absorption.

Combination 13mm Polymer Gel and 44mm Foam.

ROHO Quadtro Cushion \$752

Code - QS109C



Cells are interconnected and their unique shape promote blood circulation to facilitate pressure prevention, healing and relief. Air pressure can be adjusted to suit individual requirements. Cushion comes fitted with a durable synthetic cover.

Action Pilot - \$395

Code - AK9008



Quality polymer gel which unlike fluid gel, does not displace from areas requiring pressure relief. Isolates and protects areas where shear forces and pressure points are relevant.

Multi-Purpose Cushion - \$61

Code - MP



Extremely durable dimple foam which enables the bodyload to be gently spread. Ideal for anyone sitting for long periods. Available in corduroy or waterproof cover 42cm x 42cm x 5cm.

Single Cell Archi - \$69.95

Code - WCP1S



An innovative concept in seating and wheelchair cushions that addresses pressure distribution and positioning needs. Cushions mould to individual body contours by expelling air.

Also available in Dual Cell valve - **\$269**
Code: WCP1D

Ring Cushion 2 - \$79.95

Code - RC



Made of natural Latex which because of its load bearing qualities needed for its donut shape is the ideal compound to provide adequate compression to withstand such pressures.

Obusforme Seatpad - \$135

Code - OBS



Lightweight polyurethane foam cushion. Assists shock and impact absorption. Ideal when sitting in a vehicle or when travelling. Encourages proper alignment of the pelvis and thighs, evenly distributing body weight for extended sitting comfort. Flexible sections to suit a wide range of seating surfaces.

Obusforme Highback Backrest Support - \$152 Code -OBH **Lowback - \$135** Code -OBL



Highback Features

Added benefits and comfort of extended neck & head support. Ideal for those who spend long hours driving. Specially designed to accommodate vehicles with bench seating. Includes removable lumbar pad.

Lowback Features

Lightweight and portable, perfect for use at home, in the office or on the go! Includes a removable lumbar pad for additional back support that can be adjusted to fit your individual needs. Award winning design.

Bifom Back Cushion - \$37 Code - 1663-BL



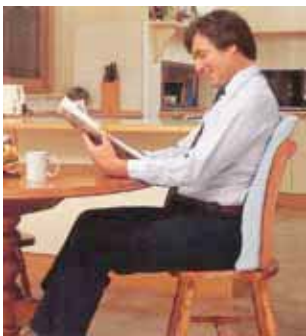
Promotes proper posture and helps alleviate discomfort associated with sitting for long periods. Includes zipped cover and straps to affix to chair.

Lumbar Bucket Seat - \$55 Code - 1668-N



Ergonomically designed to promote proper posture for all day comfort, and back pain relief. Tapered back ideal for bucket seats in cars.

Contoured Full back Support - Large \$65 Code - CBL **Med \$65** Code - CBM **Sm \$65** Code - CBS



Therapeutically designed to support the spine all the way! Carved from heavy duty foam, and tailored in beautiful hard wearing covers. Value price and ideal for car, couch and chair.

Available in 3 sizes:

- Small - 122cm to 158cm
- Medium - 159cm to 186cm
- Large - 187cm 200cm

90% of people use medium

Lumbar Roll D - \$35 Code - LRD



Helps prevent the onset of lower back pain. Four sizes to hug all backs. D-shaped, Round, Oval and Egg. Helps maintain the spine's natural curvature.



D-Shape - Compact size, formfits car seats and couches. Length 30 cm x 14 cm x 9 cm

Lumbar support - \$15.95 Code - CP1PH



Provides support for lower back to help banish back pain. Ideal for use in a car, plane, train or bus. Expell air to mould to lower back Easily deflated for compact transportation.

Back Eze I - \$59.95

Code - 3092



Back Eze II - \$71.95

Code - 3093

The Original Moulded Back Support Cushion for relief, comfort and prevention of most lower back pain.

Improves posture, can improve health. Designed with a unique two way curve for optimum back support.

Silicon Fibre 1 - \$115

Code - CQ4521



Silicone coated fibre cushion, manufactured from cylindrical hollow core fibres for greater comfort and shear reduction. Soft breathable cotton top side, moisture resistant PVC underside. Machine washable.

Silicon Fibre 2 - \$230

Code -CQ4522



Silicone coated fibre filled wheelchair cushion, manufactured from cylindrical hollow core fibres for greater comfort and shear reduction. Back and arm pads for greater user comfort. Machine washable.

Total Spine Support \$102

Code - TS1



A full moulded back support featuring unique flanking support designed to prevent lateral movement. Relieves stress on the major structure of the lumbar spine and rib cage. The perfect backrest support if you spend long hours driving.

Alternating Air Seat Cushion - \$650

SC-01-NH



The alternating air seat cushion offers a continuum of care for patients capable of spending time out of bed. The integrated foam layer does away with the need for an underlying cushion, whilst its 6 cells alternate 1 in 2 every 10 mins.

Wheelchair & Armchair cushions

3 PRODUCTS



Code - 90220 \$110
Wheelchair cushion with Techmaflex cover
Size (cms) 9.5 x 40 x 40

Code - 90221 \$120
Wheelchair cushion with Techmaflex cover
Size (cms) 9.5 x 42 x 43

Code - 90223 \$149.95
Armchair cushion with Techmaflex cover
Size (cms) 9.5 x 50 x 50

The Techmaflex cover is made of a polyurethane coated polyester and features: Extendibility in all directions, soft steam-permeable material which regulates heat and humidity. Resistance to dust mites, bacteria and liquid. Anti static, washable, non slip underside, also fireproof.

Head & Heel Holder - \$54

Code - 0735



Dual purpose pressure care item. As a **Heel Holder**, it is used to elevate the ankle away from the mattress, allowing air to circulate freely around the heel. This also allows a second person to change dressings easily.

As a **Head Holder**, it supports weak neck muscles whilst eating and reclining. It provides a sturdy support to ensure the neck is kept in a comfortable position.

Heel & Elbow Protector - \$45

Code - 4524, 4525



Padded Heel or Elbow cushion. Provides comfort and assists in the prevention of pressure build-up in the heel or elbow. Internal seams are carefully positioned to avoid creating pressure points.

Shin Pads- \$60

Code - 271



The Shinpads are particularly helpful for diabetic patients who may walk into chairs, beds, etc., causing ulcers that could take a very long time (possibly a year) to heal. They are made from foam with two layers over the shin bone, a soft interlock cover.

Hand Contraction Pad - \$31

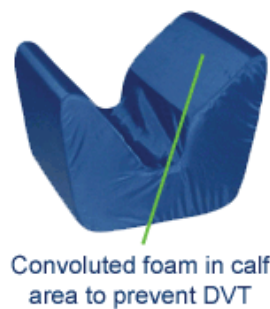
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Used to help keep the hand clean when contracted. The Hand Contraction Pad will help stop skin touching skin, and help prevent perspiration building up in the palm and between fingers.

Leg Support- \$112

Code - 1615



Convoluted foam in calf area to prevent DVT

No pressure on heels

Convoluted foam

Prone Pillow - \$140

Code - 1921



Slightly raised with ventilation to the patient's face



Ventilation channel

This pillow will allow the patient to lie in the prone position with their head straight. The pillow is slightly raised with ventilation to the patient's face.

Commonly used in post eye surgery, to stop movement of the head.

The removable waterproof cover can be wiped clean or hand or machine washed, up to 80°C.

Pressure Care Boot - \$132.20

Code - SCPCBM



Is designed for those at risk of foot ulcers. They can be worn outdoors and the open toe design allows toe inspection without the need to remove.

Medium size.
Also XXS, XS, S, L, XL

Elbow Protector - \$91.15

Code - SCEPL



The Elbow Protector is designed to help the healing process as well as being a preventative aid.

Calf Plate Protector - \$47.05

Code - SCCALF



Relieves pressure for wheelchair users.

Foot Plate Protector also available.
Code - SCFOOT

Heel Protector - \$91.15

Code - SCHPM



Are effective wherever the feet are placed. It wraps around the heel and ankle leaving the rest of the foot unencumbered.

Medium size sold in pairs. Also XS, S, L

Short Slipper Boot - \$146.90

Code - SCSSBM



Ideal for indoor use and in bed where the foot is at risk of ulcers. The large tongue and generously sized Velcro straps allow for normal and swollen feet.

Wrap Around Boot - \$132.20

Code -SCWABM



The toes are enclosed in this boot. With generous Velcro straps for easy closure and rubber soles for outdoor and indoor use.

Tall Slipper Boot - \$280.45

Code - SCTSBL



Designed for vascular problems and is particularly suitable for those with diabetes and at risk of leg ulcers

Overlay Superior - \$496.45

Product Code -SCSO



A full covered bed overlay, designed to cover from head to toe. Suitable for long term patients. 3 - 9 full sheepskins are used to manufacture this quality product.

Size
Superior Overlay
75cm x 150cm

Convuluted Foam Mattress Overlay

Code - FNO24776



Soft open cell foam which provides additional comfort to existing mattress. Convoluted profile provides increased air circulation.

Available in Single, Double or Queen sizes.

Prices:
Single Overlay - \$140
Double Overlay - \$170
Queen Overlay - \$190

Cushion it - \$124.75

Code - SCCI



Provides extra pressure care and comfort for standard seating and back products such as wheelchairs and standard foam seating.

Sovereign Snug - \$105.85

Code - SBSSM



Beautifully crafted Snugs will accommodate foot oedema whilst offering support and comfort to the user. Made especially from carefully selected medical lamb-skin material.
 Sizes. XS, S, M, L

Overlay Standard - \$154.05

Code - SCOL



The Shear Comfort Overlay is a complete skin which will cover from the shoulders to the sacrum area on an adult. This versatile product can be placed in the bed, used when seated in a chair or used in the car.

Shear Comfort Overlay provides an interface between the patient and surface. The Overlay will assist in pressure reduction, will absorb moisture, transfer heat away from the body and reduce the shear friction.

Ripple Mattress Premium5 - \$1595

Product Code - MC-5-PA



18 high density alternating air cells supports patients up to 150kg. Multi-stretch, water proof, vapour permeable top cover. Compact, ultra quiet control unit. Transport function holds air in system for up to 30hrs. Quick release zipper for easy top cover removal for cleaning. Heavy duty straps securely bond the overlay to any standard single bed mattress. Overlay can be rotated 180 degrees for control unit positioning.

Shoulder Support - \$89.95

Code - N71



Unique orthopaedic elastic support strap fits comfortably under the arm pit & assists to generate support to the shoulder. Assists soft tissue swelling. Self application & adjustment. Promotes greater blood circulation, Completely washable & hygienic..

Hernia Support Belt - \$89.95

Code - 590



Removable foam pads can be adjusted to suit left or right side. Made of lightweight material construction & assists to inhibit skin irritation. The belt can be worn whilst showering or swimming. In cases of post operative recovery it is recommended to remove both pads.

Lightweight Back Support - \$89.95

Code - A495



Delivers firm support. Includes 2 layer closure. First layer consists of lightweight elastic across the lower back, attached to lycra panels. When closed the first layer delivers mild compression so the brace to be worn without effect. The outer straps deliver firm, powerful support when attached. The harder applied, the more compression. 5 pliable support stays.

Vibration Control Gloves - \$32

Code - 206B



Assists with Arthritis, Repetitive Stress Injury & Carpal Tunnel Syndrome. Provides excellent protection & firm support. Outer wrist strap locks the wrist firmly for even greater overall support. Leather outer protects the hand. Lycra upper segment increases overall air flow ventilation.

Posture Shoulder Brace - \$49.95

Code - 750



Assists with 'Round Shoulder' Syndrome. Easily applied, the brace improves posture position. The brace can be applied directly over bare skin with comfort. Improves posture, allows unrestricted movement, delivers all day comfort and is totally washable and hygienic.

Deluxe Pouch Arm Sling - \$49.95

Code - 861



Supports the arm during recuperation from broken bones, sprains and general injury. For maximum immobilization the Swathe secures the arm against the body. Fits left or right. Soft foam construction. Touch tape closure

Carpal Tunnel Wrist Support - \$39.95

Code - A454



Contoured neoprene support for weak, injured wrists. Includes a plantar splint to minimize wrist movement. Recommended in cases of fractures, after removal from a plaster cast, injuries to ligaments, muscles & tendons. Thermal neoprene material construction and fully adjustable. One size fits all. Specify Left or Right.

Patella Stabilizer - \$49.95

Code - NHPSB



Designed according to knee cap taping technique - locks the knee cap. For general deficiency in knee cap tracking movement & assists in the treatment of chondromalacia patella, general aches & pains behind the knee, runner's knee, bowler's knee, & patella bursitis. Shaped to provide orthopaedic support. Retains body warmth & can increase blood circulation.