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BULLETIN DETAILS

Product Group:	Seating		
Model Affected:	JAY BALANCE, J2, J2 DC Cushions		
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Bulletin Subject:	Improvements to JAY BALANCE, J2, J2 DC Cushions		

Subject of Bulletin:

In an ongoing effort to improve the design, functionality and performance of our JAY Balance, J2 and J2 DC cushions, a series of improvements have been introduced with immediate effect. These include for the Balance – new obliquity build up pads and corner cuts to the base foam. For the J2 and J2 DC - new microclimatic covers, stretchable neoprene side band material (same style as on Balance) and new style logo and rubber labels.

Feature	Benefit
<p>Obliquity build up pads for the JAY Balance</p> 	<p>New foam obliquity pads are now available sized specifically to fit the JAY Balance PLA. These can now be used to effectively correct or accommodate flexible or fixed pelvic obliquities when using the JAY Flow 'Fluid' insert pad.</p> <p>Velcro strips will now feature on positioning and non-positioning inner covers of in the PLA region to enable fitting or retrofitting of foam or fluid pads as required.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New 10mm high foam "Balance" obliquity pads (similar to the J3 pads) – designed to be 'stacked' (one on top of another) for more precise application to correct or accommodate obliquities. • Existing JAY Fluid supplement pads (JAYF119) can also be used either on top of the existing foam pad or on their own to produce more localized fluid protection (e.g. when a client is prone to bottoming out under an IT)

Seat Rail Relief cut (Corner Cuts)



JAY Balance cushions will feature a corner cut on base foam from front to back (first introduced on the new JAY LITE).

Benefit:

- ✓ **Reduced overall cushion height** (when used with manual chairs) by allowing the cushion to sit lower on the seat upholstery.
- ✓ **Reduced 'bowing' or curving** of the base foam.

Bundling with Quickie Powerchairs



Updated Quickie Power chair order forms have been introduced to allow:

- **Easier ordering** of Quickie Powerchairs and JAY Balance, J2 or J2 DC cushions
- Better meet user's high skin protection needs.

New style logo and rubber labels



New style logo and rubber labelling gives the J2 and J2 DC a distinct, clearly identifiable and modern look.

New outer covers featuring 3DX™ Spacer Fabric



Both J2 and J2 DC cushions will feature new **3DX™ Spacer Fabric** (same as JAY Balance).

New Microclimatic and Incontinence covers will replace the old style air exchange incontinence covers.

Both covers types will feature the **3DX™ Spacer Fabric** which;

- Compresses without losing ventilation
- More effective heat and moisture reduction
- Machine washable and quick to dry.

No new part numbers – it will be a rolling change.

New neoprene sidebands



J2 and J2 DC cushion now have neoprene stretchable sidebands.

Benefits:

- Reduces surface tension to allow optimal immersion into the fluid pad
- Allows better functionality when the cushions are used with positioning components
- Improved aesthetics

Please refer to www.sunrisemedical.co.uk, or contact Customer Services Department for more information.

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Literature Affected:

Sunparts:	Available from http://parts.sunrisemedical.eu
Order Forms:	Updated and available via Customer Services
Website:	Available on www.sunrisemedical.co.uk
Owners Manual:	Available on www.sunrisemedical.co.uk

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