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POSTURE MANAGEMENT &  
SPECIALIST SEATING SOLUTIONS  
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Here at Independence Mobility, our number one mission is to help improve lives for the better! We've been supplying specialist healthcare equipment since 2004 and we're proud to have helped improve the lives of thousands of customers, and we're committed to helping many more.

We work closely with the leading UK manufacturers to ensure we offer the latest innovative mobility solutions for consumers. We supply a wide range of specialist seating, wheelchairs, beds, children's cycles, pressure care products, moving and handling equipment, and more, for both adults and children.

As well as our commitment to consumers, we're also committed to supporting and working closely with physiotherapists, occupational therapists and other clinical professionals. Our vast experience in the healthcare industry means we're well-placed to provide advice and support to ensure clients receive the very best equipment for their unique and individual needs.

Our team of knowledgeable and caring consultants provide impartial product advice and offer client assessments across our complete product range. We're proud to be respected for our professional yet personal approach and we absolutely love what we do – helping to change a child's or adult's life for the better!



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Anthony Mitchell - Company Director

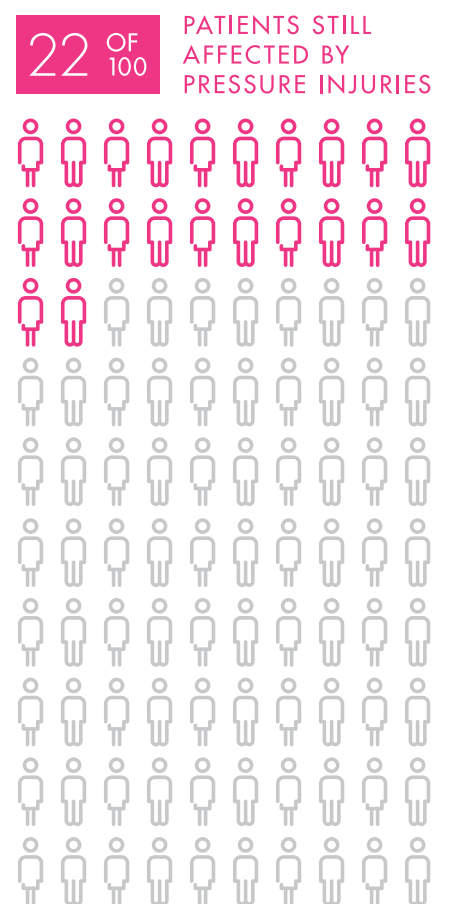


knowledgeable about  
the importance of seating

It's astonishing to believe, but the style and quality of a chair can have a huge impact on a person's life - particularly for those with limited mobility who spend a large part of their day in a seated position. Too many people endure pain and discomfort associated with poor posture and it's usually because they haven't been prescribed the correct type of chair for their specific needs.

In addition, a staggering 1 in 5 patients across acute care, long term care and home care environments are affected by avoidable pressure ulcers and over 50% of those patients sadly die within 1 year.

Research from clinical trials at Ulster University\* prove that support from the correct chair can improve a person's psychological, physiological and activity related function and can reduce the occurrence of pressure injuries by up to 88%.



## THE INDEPENDENCE MOBILITY SEATING RANGE

Helping to ensure every patient is provided with the correct chair for their unique and specific needs, Independence Mobility supply a wide range of riser recliner and specialist chairs from leading UK manufacturers. Our chairs are available in a variety of styles and designs, and include features that are suited to a wide range of medical conditions and needs.

\*Research carried out by Seating Matters



# SPECIALIST SEATING

The range of specialist chairs from **Seating Matters** are changing the world of healthcare seating. Extensively researched and designed by clinicians, these revolutionary chairs meet pressure, posture, comfort, mobility and functional requirements together in one device.



## PHOENIX™

The Phoenix™ is designed to give maximum support to the upper body through lateral and head supports. It will also adapt to the changing needs of a person being rehabilitated or meet the long-term needs of a progressive condition.

The unique adjustability allows the Phoenix™ to be used with individuals of different dimensions and with varying needs which is ideal for use in acute wards or changing environments.



## SORRENTO™

The Sorrento™ is a simple to operate and stylish tilt in space chair which is designed to improve and maximize comfort as well as postural support and pressure management.

With its adaptability and effortless adjustability, the Sorrento™ lends itself easily to multi-user environments where the seating needs differ between users.



## MILANO™

The Milano™ is an accessible, universal chair that incorporates the clinical features, quality and durability expected of a Seating Matters chair. Perfect for multiple users, the Milano™ can be adjusted in seat width, seat depth and footplate height to fit a different patient. It also passes stringent infection control standards and makes re-issue of the chair very simple.



## BARIATRIC SORRENTO™

The Bariatric Sorrento™ was designed to help seat bariatric patients by using improved postural support and repositioning, while reducing the risk of injury to the patient and staff alike. It accommodates those with increased body weight and physical size and is the world's only tilt in space bariatric chair.



## KIDZ PHOENIX™

The Kidz Phoenix™ is the most supportive and functional chair of the Seating Matters chairs. It provides pressure distribution due to the multi-stretch material and reflex foam in the seat cushion and offers a great deal of support with the tilt in space mechanism and adjustable supports. The head support accommodates those with kyphotic postures, hyperextension, or those who require upper body and head support.



## MONACO™

Known for its effortless use and enabling qualities, the Monaco™ has been designed for comfort and mobility with independence at the forefront of its design.

The Monaco™ is ideal for users with reduced mobility or sitting balance who require comfort and support without compromising independence in transfers and function. Its unique angle adjustable seat creates an optimum and safe sitting position when adjusted posteriorly.



## MONACO ASSIST™

Built on the foundations of the Monaco™, the Monaco Assist™ has been designed to support those requiring assistance to transfer from the chair.

The Monaco Assist™ is ideal for users with reduced mobility or sitting balance who require comfort and support without compromising independence in transfers and function.



## ATLANTA™

The Atlanta™ has been carefully designed for those who require the comfort, safety and security that only a Seating Matters chair can provide.

The Atlanta™ is a robust and durable chair which provides a safe and comfortable seat for those with vigorous involuntary movements, while reducing the risk of falling from the chair.



## KIDZ SORRENTO™

The Kidz Sorrento™ is a simple to operate and functional chair which is designed to improve and maximise comfort as well as provide postural support and pressure management. With its adaptability and effortless adjustability, this paediatric specialist chair lends itself easily to the needs of growing kids or those with changing needs, meaning their comfort, posture and pressure management remain uncompromised.

## CHAIR DIMENSIONS & COLOURS

Chair	Seat Width (mm)	Overall Width (mm)	Arm Height (mm)
Phoenix	300 / 400 / 450 / 500 / 550 / 600	640 / 670 / 720 / 770 / 820	High - 765 / Med - 740 / Low - 715
Sorrento	350 / 400 / 450 / 500 / 550 / 600	640 / 670 / 720 / 770 / 820	High - 765 / Med - 740 / Low - 715
Monaco	380 / 450 / 500 / 550 / 600	635 / 690 / 740 / 790	High - 210 / Low - 180
Monaco Assist	380 / 450 / 500 / 550 / 600	635 / 690 / 740 / 790	High - 210 / Low - 180
Atlanta	380 / 450 / 500 / 550 / 600	635 / 690 / 740 / 790	High - 660 / Low - 630
Milano	400-500	700-810	765
Bariatric Sorrento	550 / 600 / 650 / 700 / 750 / 800 / 850	885 / 935 / 985 / 1035 / 1085	High - 765 / Med - 740 / Low - 715
Kidz Phoenix	250 / 300 / 350 / 400	555 / 575 / 625	High - 740 / Low - 715
Kidz Sorrento	250 / 300 / 350 / 400	555 / 575 / 625	High - 740 / Low - 715





# SPECIALIST SEATING CASE STUDIES

EXAMPLES OF HOW SEATING MATTERS CHAIRS HELP TO IMPROVE LIVES.

## BEN'S STORY

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Ben had Kyphosis and a history of pressure injuries and spent 14 hours per day in his chair. He was hoisted for all transfers. Following assessment, Ben was sat in a Phoenix™ chair which greatly improved his postural alignment and prevented further kyphotic deterioration.



## MARGARET'S STORY

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Margaret, 81, had a history of pneumonia and had recently suffered a stroke (CVA). She also had a high risk of pressure injuries and needed pain medication when sitting out. Following assessment, Margaret was sat in the Atlanta™ chair and was much more comfortable. She no longer required pain medication whilst sitting in her new chair.



## VALERIE'S STORY

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Valerie, 86, had dementia and limited mobility. She previously sat in a standard wooden frame chair but spent much of the day with her arms crossed to stabilise herself in her chair. However, her posture improved immediately after being seated in a Seating Matters Sorrento™ chair and she started communicating more, and being more alert and responsive through the day.



## ALAN'S STORY

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Alan, 41, was 294kg (46.5 stone) and was unable to sit unaided. He was in a prolonged hospital stay and spent most of his day in bed because he was too weak to transfer and there was a high risk to both staff and the patient during transfers as no suitable chairs were available. At assessment, Alan used the Bariatric Sorrento™ which enabled him to sit upright for hours at a time. His strength increased and he fully recovered from his respiratory infection.



## RACHEL'S STORY

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Rachel, 94, had arthritis and a history of falls. She mobilised with a walking frame and needed assistance for transfers. Rachel's old chair was much too big for her, causing her to slide from the chair. Following assessment, it was decided that Rachel should use a Monaco™ chair. Rachel no longer slid and she was able to easily maintain upright posture.



## JACK'S STORY

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Jack was a 10-year-old boy who suffered from complex epilepsy, scoliosis and chronic lung disease. He sat in unsafe chairs which offered him very little postural support or pressure management. Following assessment, Jack was seated in a Kidz Phoenix™ chair which has provided him with a 'safe place' where he can comfortably recline, tilt and take a nap without fear of falling out.





# RISER RECLINER CHAIRS

Riser recliner chairs are the perfect solution for the elderly and for people with medium levels of mobility but who struggle to stand up and sit down. The riser function helps a person sit down and stand up from their chair. The recline action makes the individual more comfortable.

Here at Independence Mobility, we offer riser recliner chairs that are tailored to the user’s unique and specific needs. Each element of a chair can be made-to-measure, to create a completely bespoke product that provides the correct levels of support.

**ARM HEIGHT**  
Arms should be able to rest comfortably on the armrests.

**SEAT HEIGHT**  
The correct seat height is important to ensure comfort and support for the legs and back.

**SEAT WIDTH**  
If the seat is too wide, the user may lean to the side. If it's too narrow, it can put pressure on the hips.

**SEAT DEPTH**  
The user should be able to sit right back in the chair to ensure they are fully supported.

**SEAT CUSHIONS**  
Different cushion types are available to accommodate specific needs.

**RISE & RECLINE ACTION**  
A choice of single or dual-motor recliner action ensures the chair is easy to get in and out of.

**BACK HEIGHT**  
The back height is important to ensure that the neck is fully supported.

## MODULO

The Modulo is a fully adjustable and flexible riser recliner chair. With adjustable seat width, height and depth, it can be easily reconfigured for different users making it the perfect solution for equipment loan stores and care homes.

## ABERDARE

The Aberdare riser recliner chair has classic scroll arms and full chaise footrest, which combined with a deep buttoned back, gives excellent lumbar and head support.

## BRECON

The Brecon rise and recline chair features scroll arms, a full chaise footrest and a three-pillow waterfall back. Each cushion can be adjusted vertically to give added comfort.

## CONWAY

A neatly designed rise and recline chair, the Conway has solid wood arm knuckles and a deep buttoned back giving excellent lumbar and head support. A full chaise footrest and padded wings complete this design.

## DENBIGH

The Denbigh riser recliner chair has a 3-tier waterfall back, full chaise footrest, padded wings and solid wood arm knuckles.

**NOTE**  
The chairs shown above are just a few examples of the styles available from Independence Mobility. Visit our website to see more.

## DIMENSIONS

All chairs are available in a choice of petite, compact and standard sizes.

## COLOURS & FABRICS

A wide range of colours, patterns and fabric types are available to select from.

## RISE & RECLINE ACTION

Chairs are available with a choice of action types including single or dual motor.

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# SEATING ASSESSMENTS & ORDER PROCESS

Our team of skilled and knowledgeable mobility equipment specialists are available to assist clinical professionals with seating assessments and offer impartial advice on the best products for the client's individual needs.

After an assessement, our quotation, ordering and delivery processes are simple and efficient, with after-sales support continuing all the way.



## ARRANGING AN ASSESSMENT

- Simply call us on **0113 262 8000**.
- We are happy to accompany OT's or Physios on appointments or we will attend on your behalf.



## DURING THE ASSESSMENT

- We take our time to observe the client with the equipment they currently use and take details and measurements.
- We will bring along some sample equipment for the client to try.



## PROPOSAL AND COST QUOTATION

Within 48 hours of the assessment, we will email a detailed quotation for the equipment that we recommend for the client.



## PLACING AN ORDER

- To go ahead with the order, simply sign the quotation and fax/email it back to us as soon as possible.
- We will advise you of estimated delivery times.



## DELIVERING THE EQUIPMENT

- When the order is ready, we will get in touch to arrange a convenient delivery date and time.
- During the delivery, we will ensure the quipment is setup and configured correctly for the client.



## AFTER-SALES SUPPORT

- Should the client have any queries or problems with their equipment after the delivery, they can get in touch and our knowledgeable team will help.

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