



Bespoke assistive beds

giving independence to couples and individuals

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Your independence has been our commitment for over 30 years

Theraposture Ltd is a privately owned, family run business based in Westbury, Wiltshire. As the leading specialist in bespoke assistive furniture for over three decades, Theraposture provides a unique, niche service in providing electrically operated beds and chairs that are individually specified to client's personal needs. We pride ourselves on our caring and understanding approach that offers a real choice in function, size and aesthetic design.

Your independence is our commitment – this isn't just a phrase constructed to impress. We really do mean this and that's why we have become the first choice of Healthcare Professionals, charities and individuals who want to ensure that the assistive technology is in place to help, whilst also looking at home in your own home.

Theraposture want to work with you to find a lasting effective solution to overcome everyday issues that impact on independence. This is best achieved by arranging a free of charge home assessment with one of our Trusted Assessors (or you could come to our Wiltshire factory if you prefer). This will allow us to

understand the difficulties that you need to overcome and to be able to offer you a choice of solutions, and ultimately be able to recommend a suitable product. By making a recommendation, we are personally taking the full responsibility for what is made.

Choosing the perfect bespoke bed

As the market leader, Theraposture can provide the widest choice of high quality bespoke assistive beds in the UK today. One of our expert product specialists will help you in identifying which bed best suits your own situation and if it is to help with an existing, qualifying condition, it is VAT free –

1. Choose the design of your bed and material that it is made from
2. Specify the function and size of your bed
3. Select a mattress and include any accessories that you may need

“ We were concerned that I would have to sleep separately from my husband because of my deteriorating condition, and we thought that a hospital type bed would look so out of place in our home. Thank goodness we found Theraposture Ltd and discovered that they made beds for couples allowing us to remain together. Their beds have all the benefits of a hospital bed but they look just right in our home – we are delighted with our purchase. It has helped us keep things how we want. ”

Sarah Collins – Wiltshire.

Solid natural oak beds

Handcrafted in beautiful solid oak, these stylish beds bear no resemblance to a hospital type bed in looks, but have all of the assistive function that you need in helping to maintain independence at home.



Double combination beds

Continue to share a bed with your partner whilst allowing independent function on either side for individual comfort and needs.

Your bed is specified to your exact requirements meaning that you can have any combination of functions and sizes together in a bed that looks like part of your home (see page 10 for function and size options).

Why not choose a beautiful solid oak bed enclosure to surround the metal mechanism that powers a Theraposture bed? There is a choice of wood finishes and colours:

- Natural Oiled
- Natural Lacquered
- Lime
- Smoke
- Olive
- Milan

Also you can choose between a slatted or panelled bed surround with high or low foot ends.

We also provide an extensive range of matching solid oak bedroom furniture such as bedside cabinets, chests of drawers and wardrobes. For further examples from this impressive collection, see page 13.



Oak beds for individuals

Theraposture's stylish solid oak beds look at home in your home.

They also help overcome everyday difficulties through their functionality and provide you with the opportunity to remain independent in your own home without the sacrifice of intrusive adaptation.

Beds for individuals can be any size and can have any function to help with everyday positioning and transfer difficulties. (See page 10 for function and size options).



Finishes

1. Natural Oiled
2. Natural Lacquered
3. Lime
4. Smoke
5. Olive
6. Milan



The upholstered range of adjustable beds from Theraposture are built using the same high quality metal mechanisms as we use in the solid oak range – the only difference is the way the beds look.

For those who prefer to have a fabric divan style surround to their bed, there is a choice of:

- Belgian Damask
- Faux leather
- Ultra leather
- Waterproof Panvelle
- Or any other fabric that you like

Separable halves

With an upholstered surround it is possible to have two individual matching enclosures that latch together (because the enclosures are much lighter than the oak). This allows for separation of the two sides to gain access to both sides of either half. For situations where carers are involved, this is a great help in reducing the risk of back injury. One or both beds will be mounted on locking castors allowing easy separation.

If you require your bed to be separable, your double headboard will have to be mounted on the wall.



The Theraposture latching device provides an easy way to split the two bed halves and then re-secure. The use of castors can provide access for a hoist if needed.

Combination beds

Continue to share a bed with your partner and enjoy independent function on either side of the bed for individual comfort and needs. Your bed is specified to your exact requirement meaning that you can have any combination of functions or sizes together in a bed that looks like part of your home (see page 10 for function and size options).

Upholstered beds for individuals

Theraposture's stylish range of upholstered beds are designed to look like divan beds found typically in a domestic situation.

They also help overcome everyday difficulties through their functionality and provide you with the opportunity to remain independent in your own home without the sacrifice of intrusive adaptation.

Beds for individuals can be any size and can have any function to help with everyday positioning and transfer difficulties. (See page 10 for function and size options).

Who said that a single bed has to be 3' (90cm) wide? Your upholstered Theraposture bed can be any size that you choose up to 5' (152cm) wide.

For complimentary furniture, Theraposture's collection of oak bedside cabinets, chests of drawers and wardrobes perfectly suit this upholstered bed range (see page 13).



Upholstered enclosures

Modelled on a domestic appearance in a fabric and style of your choice.



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The Rotoflex bed from Theraposture is a unique solution to an everyday problem – getting legs into and out of bed. This is achieved by a unique rotational action that will sequentially transfer you from a sitting to a sleeping position with the touch of just one button. In many cases, the Rotoflex truly delivers independence as it is a real alternative to hoisting and carer assistance. In this situation the bed can pay for itself many times over as the cost of care in your home or in a residential home is so high.

The Rotoflex can be made to rotate to either side of the bed to ensure that it is compatible with your room situation. In addition to the unique rotation, the Rotoflex also has a profiling and variable height function with the latter helping to achieve a standing transfer if needed.

One of our qualified product advisors will guide you through a product demonstration during which you can actually try the Rotoflex bed and therefore be sure that it will meet all of your needs and expectations.

The Rotoflex® turning bed system

A real solution to getting legs into bed. Just one button to get in and out of your bed. Available as –

- Single or double combination
- Veneered wood, solid oak or upholstered enclosures.

Each bed is supplied with –

- High quality memory foam mattress
- Two side rail handles
- Two sets of fitted sheets with a sewn in pillow case
- A battery backup for up to four separate devices
- Five year full warranty (conditional on service schedule)





A Rotoflex as part of a double combination bed with a solid oak enclosure and matching furniture

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Theraposture mechanism options

A function or combination of functions to suit every situation.

In a bespoke bed from Theraposture, you have the choice of action or combination of actions in your bed. Your choice will depend on your own situation and can be individually specified to ensure that you get exactly the assistance that you require. Also the needs of anyone helping you in bed should be remembered as back care injuries are commonplace with carers, nurses, partners and other family members. The variable height function can help to reduce this risk of injury by lifting the occupant to a safe working height. It can also help you to stand up by raising the bed when sitting with your feet on the floor.

Our Product Advisors can help you to understand the benefits of each type of action to enable you to make an informed choice.

Our mechanisms are made using CNC technology from solid steel, rather than less durable wood (which is still an option for limited budgets).

It's important to state that we will not make (unlike many other companies) a variable height mechanism with any wooden components, as we truly feel that these are not as reliable or strong as metal and may be dangerous.

The motors used are the best that you can buy and can be specified to lift users weighing up to 55 stone (350kg) whilst remaining whisper quiet.

Theraflex – Profiling only (wooden)

This basic wooden profiling only mechanism will allow you to independently raise and lower both the back rest and the leg section by simply pushing a button on the hand controller. This is not a suitable mechanism for fitting grab handles or side rails as these need to be bolted to metal. Equally, this isn't recommended for heavier users. This mechanism can be used next to a metal mechanism as part of a double combination to help reduce costs or make the partner bed easier to move.



Theramatic – Profiling only (metal)

The profiling only action will allow you to independently raise and lower both the back rest and the leg section by simply pushing a button on the hand controller. This mechanism is often the choice of partners in a double combination bed as it allows both individuals to sit up independently together. The metal construction makes this mechanism more durable for long term use and the only choice if grab handles or side rails are needed.



Theramatic – Variable height and profiling

In addition to the profiling only mechanism the variable height function is of significant benefit to less able people in a number of ways. If a carer or family member assists a person in bed, the variable height function will smoothly and safely raise the occupant to a safe working height, thereby reducing the risk of a back care injury. Additionally, this function will help a person to achieve a standing transfer by vertically raising them to standing from sitting in a controlled and safe movement.





Ergonomic and simple-to-use controllers are standard with all Theraposture beds.

They encompass clear icons and large buttons for controlled, quiet and precise movement.

Rotoflex turning system

In addition to the variable height and profiling action, the remarkable Rotoflex turning system is a unique solution to an everyday problem – getting legs into and out of bed.

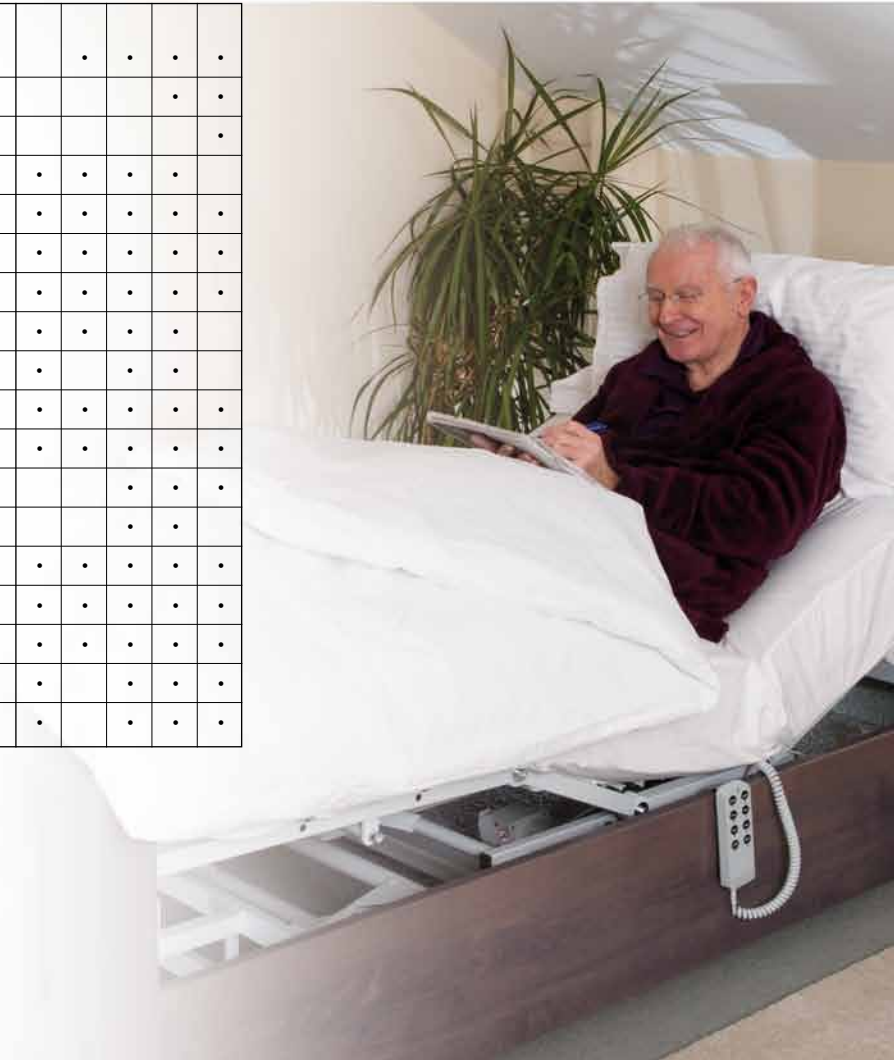
This is achieved by a unique rotational action that will sequentially transfer you from a sitting to a sleeping position with the touch of just one button. In many cases, the Rotoflex truly delivers independence as it is a real alternative to hoisting and carer assistance. In this situation the bed can pay for itself many times over as the cost of care in your home or in a residential home is so high.

The Rotoflex can be made to rotate to either side of the bed to ensure that it is compatible with your room situation.



MECHANISM
 Flat Divan, no function
 Theraflex, Profiling only
 Theramatic, Profiling only (wooden)
 Theramatic, Profiling only (metal)
 Rotoflex, Variable height and profiling (metal)
 Rotoflex, Rotation variable height and profiling (metal)

FEATURE					
Electronic profiling		•	•	•	•
Electronic variable height				•	•
Electronic rotation					•
2'6" wide	•	•	•	•	
3" wide	•	•	•	•	•
3'6" wide	•	•	•	•	•
4' wide	•	•	•	•	•
4'6" wide	•	•	•	•	
5' wide	•		•	•	
Available in a double combination	•	•	•	•	•
Available as a single	•	•	•	•	•
Compatible with grab handles			•	•	•
Compatible with cot sides			•	•	
Suitable for castors	•	•	•	•	•
Suitable for static feet	•	•	•	•	•
Standard length 6'6"	•	•	•	•	•
Shorter length available	•		•	•	•
Longer length available	•		•	•	•



Theraposture mattress options

Theraposture offer a choice of either high quality domestic or healthcare mattresses to cater for each individual's requirements. Personalised comfort is vital for good health, therefore we endeavour to allow people to try different mattresses during any home visit or assessment. If a bed is supplied and the mattress doesn't suit you within seven days following the delivery, we will exchange it for a different mattress to an equivalent value.

Domestic mattresses

Luxury pocket sprung

Encompassing premium quality natural fillings, 1,250 pocket springs and luxury soft Belgian Damask material, the Luxury pocket sprung mattress delivers the very best night's sleep. It has a quilted top and borders, flag stitched handles and encapsulated high density foam for extra support.



Luxury pocket sprung plus

With all the benefits of the Luxury pocket sprung mattress, the 'plus' version also incorporates memory foam for even better personalised support. It also includes a thermic cover which delivers an ingenious temperature controlled surface at night.



Theracare Ortho

The Theracare Ortho mattress is often described as an orthopaedic mattress as it is very supportive and quite firm. The mattress is actually made with a combination of foams and is finished in a quilted cover to achieve a domestic look and feel.



Healthcare mattresses

W24, Hi-viscose memory foam mattress

Offering a HIGH degree of pressure redistribution, this mattress is suitable for individuals at high risk of developing a pressure sore. The cover is waterproof and has a multi-directional stretch allowing the foam inside to work with optimum performance. Each longer side of the W24 has an in-built firm transfer edge designed to be more supportive when sitting on the edge of the bed.



W17, Castellated reflex foam mattress

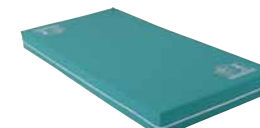
Offering a MEDIUM degree of pressure redistribution, this mattress is suitable for individuals at medium risk of developing a pressure sore. The cover is waterproof and has a multi-directional stretch allowing the foam inside to work with optimum performance.



	Luxury pocket sprung plus	Luxury pocket sprung	Theracare Ortho	W14	W17	Galaxy 2000 air mattress	Roroflex memory foam	Roroflex air mattress	W24
FEATURE									
Pressure relieving									
Domestic	•	•	•						
Available in 2'6"	•	•	•	•	•				
Available in 3'	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Available in 3'6"	•	•		•	•	•	•		
Available in 4'	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Available in 4'6"	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
Available in 5'	•	•	•		•	•			
Max. user weight	30st	30st	30st	25st	30st	30st	45st	20st	20st
Max. pressure rating				low	med	high	very high	med	very high
Hardness	med	med	hard	med	med	med	med	soft	med
Mattress thickness	7.5"	7.5"	7.5"	6.0"	6.0"	6.0"	8.0"	5.0"	5.0"
Std. 6'6" length	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Shorter option	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Longer option	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Waterproof covers				•	•	•	•	•	•
Welded seams				•	•	•	•	•	•

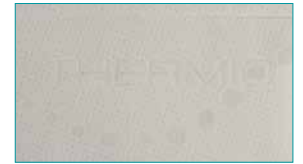
W14, Reflex foam mattress

Offering a LOW degree of pressure redistribution, this mattress is suitable for people at low risk of developing a pressure sore. The cover is waterproof and has a multi-directional stretch allowing the foam inside to work with optimum performance.



Extras

Thermic cover – is a fully encapsulating quilted cover that will fit over any of the foam mattresses to provide a more natural feel.



This is particularly useful for individuals who are very sensitive to heat as the quilt has a Thermic 'cool feel' surface designed to help keep the mattress feeling cool. Additionally the Thermic cover helps maintain air flow between the mattress surface and the skin.

Memory foam pillow – the Memory foam pillow will mould itself to the contours of your head to ensure a good night's sleep.



Fitted sheets – Theraposture provide a range of fitted cotton sheets (not shown) that have a sewn-in pillow case to ensure that when you sit up in bed or get out of bed, your pillow stays exactly where you need it – a simple idea that makes a real difference.

Galaxy 2000 – full replacement system suitable for VERY HIGH risk users

This dynamic ripple mattress is pump activated offering the highest pressure relieving option available up to Grade IV. The Galaxy 2000's dynamic alternating pressure cycle results in reactive hyperaemic responses for enhanced blood flow of oxygen rich blood to any compromised or wound area.



Theraposture accessories

Designed to personalise your bed and further assist with overcoming everyday issues. If you don't see what you need on this page, please ask us to help – as manufacturers, we have great scope to ensure that your bed is perfect for you by designing and making personal accessories and adaptations.

Cot sides

In some situations, people are at risk of falling from their beds either at night or when their bed is raised when someone is caring for them. Cot sides can help reduce this risk significantly. They can be raised when needed and when not, they can be left in the down position so that they don't interfere with transfers. Padded fabric covers can be supplied to soften the visual impact if

required. It is possible to have cot sides on all bespoke Theraposture beds with the exception of the Rotoflex.



Multi-positional grab handle

As its name suggests, the multi-positional grab handle has been designed to be flexible with changing needs and varying abilities. The actual handle can be repositioned along the entire length of the head section of your bed, ensuring that it remains in the best place for you. It can also be removed altogether as and when required. These grab handles are made from solid steel. They can only be used with metal mechanism beds.



Castor/feet options

Castors are available in three different sizes. They each have individual brakes and can in most cases be added retrospectively if needed. The addition of castors will allow you to easily move your Theraposture bed. Alternatively, your bed can be supplied with adjustable feet.



Latching device

Double combination beds can sometimes present a challenge for carers if they need to help someone from both sides of their bed. The latching device, used in conjunction with separable halves and locking castors, can hold the two enclosures together when needed and allows easy separation to ensure that access to both sides of either half can be achieved. There is a choice of either a brass or nickel finish.



Complimentary oak furniture

We also provide an extensive range of matching solid oak bedroom furniture such as bedside cabinets, chest of drawers and wardrobes. This brochure only contains a few examples from the collection, for details on the complete range please contact Theraposture.

Lifting pole

Repositioning in bed can be very difficult. A lifting pole can be used to offer increased leverage by pulling against the overhead adjustable handle.





Helping you to own the perfect Theraposture bed

1. Having a choice

Within our brochure you will hopefully see a clear message repeated over and over again. With Theraposture you have real choices of function, size and style to ensure that you get exactly what you need and want.

Before a comprehensive and free home assessment by one of Theraposture's DLF (Disabled Living Foundation) and BHTA (British Health Trades Association) approved Trusted Assessors (all of our staff have been cleared by the enhanced CRB check), you can have a detailed initial conversation with a dedicated product expert to fully understand how we may be able to help you.

2. Free home assessment

During a visit to your home, one of our qualified assessors will have the opportunity to fully understand your requirement. This is a vital part of the process in supplying you with exactly what you want and need both now and in the future. Equally, it's our way of taking the responsibility for what is made away from you. We are there to advise and recommend to you a suitable product that practically helps to overcome everyday mobility difficulties so that your independence can continue – by having the opportunity to do this with you, we stand by our recommendations and if we get it wrong it's our problem, not yours!

This whole assessment process is clinically driven as far as the function of your bed is concerned but it is also personally driven by you regarding the way the bed looks. The process is free of charge and there is absolutely no obligation to buy.

3. Product recommendation

As a direct result of the free home assessment, Theraposture will be able to provide you with a detailed written quotation for your new bed. This quotation is unique to your own specific requirement; it is broken down into individual product components and will have a unique quotation reference. The quotation will show the cost of your new bed and the details of the deposit required to place your order.

Once we have received your deposit payment (meeting the requirements of the BHTA approved Office of Fair Trading Code of Practice) we will then start the process of making your bed, keeping you informed of the progress as we go. Your bed will be fully tested and will leave the factory with a fully inclusive warranty.

4. Installation, warranty and aftercare

Having made a mutually convenient delivery appointment, your bed will be installed by our own delivery team, which in many cases, includes the engineers and craftsmen that actually made your bed.

These highly experienced members of staff will ensure that the product is installed with great care so that both the product and your home are treated with respect. They will then take as much time as is needed to ensure that you and any other relevant people are fully briefed in the safe use of your new bed so that you get the maximum benefit from it for years to come.

All Theraposture beds come with a fully inclusive three year warranty.

Badges to trust

Theraposture has a leading reputation in the assistive furniture sector and has achieved an impressive range of accreditations. These accolades reflect the ethical and caring approach that Theraposture consistently delivers time and again.



Theraposture are active long standing members of the British Health Trades Association

(BHTA) and as such comply with its Office of Fair Trading (OFT) approved Code of Practice. This code exists to ensure that the customer is always protected and that only decent reputable companies can comply and have to work in an ethical, professional and honest way.



Theraposture have achieved the ISO 9001 accreditation which demonstrates an effective quality manufacturing and management

system is in place. This is a measure of our organisation and how we achieve consistency and good practice at all times.



Theraposture are Trusted Partners of the Disabled Living Foundation (DLF). This is an information based charity that provides accurate and impartial advice to less able people and therapists working with them.

Theraposture support this organisation and have been involved in the development of their award winning Living Made Easy website. Part of their website provides product information and offers choice to the consumer based on impartial informed advice.



All Theraposture staff have been cleared by the enhanced CRB check. This ensures that every

Theraposture representative that you come into contact with is safe, responsible and trustworthy.



Theraposture are corporate friends of the College of Occupational Therapists. We have achieved a gold standing with this professional organisation demonstrating our commitment to working with the

College and all its members to ensure that Occupational Therapy is included in everything we do. We believe that we are the first choice of Occupational Therapists for bespoke beds because of our willingness to assess clients needs, demonstrate equipment and ensure positive outcomes.



Theraposture is a caring and ethical family company incorporated in 1981 with an outstanding reputation within the healthcare industry. Well-respected and regarded as a leading expert in its field, Theraposture is a highly pro-active member of the British Healthcare Trades Association (BHTA) and fully complies with its Office of Fair Trading (OFT) approved Code of Practice. Regularly recommended by professionals who include Occupational Therapists, GP's, Nurses, Case Managers and Manual handling advisors, Theraposture is seen as

the first choice for reliable, quality assistive furniture that delivers a remarkable improvement to the lives of so many less able individuals.

Theraposture takes its corporate social responsibilities seriously and is key sponsor of the Disabled Living Foundation charity (DLF) and has also been accredited as a corporate friend of the College of Occupational Therapists.

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