

LEVO

Reduced-ligature
recliner



Pineapple

Inaccessible reclining mechanism minimises ligature risks



Activated by bodyweight alone, with no buttons or levers

Patients living with mental health disorders also experience higher frequencies of physical illnesses including cardiovascular¹, respiratory² and metabolic³ disorders.

These comorbidities can result in patients with complex mobility needs who can benefit from the restful and re-positionable nature of a reclining chair.

There are also situations, for example during crisis stabilisation, during which short periods of rest and sleep may be required until an assessment has been made.

Many reclining chairs can present safety risks in mental health environments, either due to their controls (handles, buttons and electric handsets) or their reclining mechanisms, which may be tampered with or used as a ligature point.

The Levo reduced-ligature reclining chair has been designed to minimise these risks. Activated by body weight alone, there are no external controls, and the reclining mechanism has been made inaccessible to minimise ligature risks.

DESIGNED TO MINIMISE LIGATURE RISKS



Levo's reclining mechanism has been carefully designed to be inaccessible to deter tampering and minimise ligature risks.



Levo's arms and base are made from a single piece of polymer which creates an extremely durable, waterproof and hygienic surface.

EASE OF CLEANING

Levo's modular construction allows staff to separate the seat from the base to enable thorough cleaning and safer inspection practices. The modular design also means sections can be repaired individually, extending the life of the furniture and minimising waste.





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Levo reduced-ligature recliner
 Standard weight (90kg): 1LV1-00
 Added weight (134kg): 1LV1-134

Upright dimensions:
 1229H | 852W | 1283D (mm)

Reclined dimensions:
 881H | 852W | 1833D (mm)

*A comfortable, safe
 solution for Mental Health
 Crisis Assessment Services*

KEY FEATURES

- Reclining motion is controlled with body weight - no controls or power required
- Inaccessible internal mechanism designed to minimise ligature risks
- The generous width seat provides comfort during long periods of sitting and sleeping
- The high-back design offers head and neck support
- Robust and hygienic polyethylene base
- Base is made from 100% recyclable materials

OPTIONS

- Available with additional weighting (134kg)
- Seat and back available in a wide range of water-resistant upholstery
- Arms and base available in 13 versatile colours







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PERFECT
COLOUR
COMBINATION

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