Information for Clinical Choice

Forced air warming adult upper body blanket (single use)

Support document

Introduction

Information for Clinical Choice (ICC) has been developed to assist Clinicians in the decision-making process when assessing the suitability of a product by providing a clear illustration and description of the features of a range of similar products supplied through NHS Supply Chain.

The criteria provided, in the form of a Support Document, is the result of a product review conducted by the clinical team in the Category Management Service Provider with support from clinical stakeholders from across the NHS as part of our assurance process.

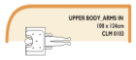
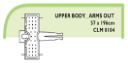
The aim, alongside delivering savings back into NHS frontline services, is to ensure that clinical choice remains at the forefront of any product switching decision.

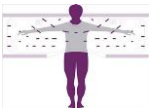
Patient Temperature Management - Forced air warming adult upper body blanket (single use)

Forced air warming (FAW) blanket is designed to prevent hypothermia and keep patients at a normal core body temperature for use before, during and after surgical procedures. Blankets are used in conjunction with a FAW blower which is specific to each supplier. FAW systems deliver controlled warm air through a connecting hose into a quiltlike blanket that have small holes on one surface and warm air escaping through these holes provides conductive and convective warming to the patient, they are single patient use. Upper Body Blanket provides coverage to the torso, arms, neck, and head and is ideally suited for surgeries on the lower body.

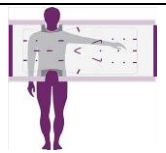
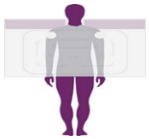
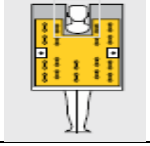
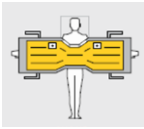
This ICC is one of a number that will look at different warming blankets to enable clinicians to make an informed decision when choosing products.

Further information and guidance
https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/cg65/chapter/recommendations

Supplier	KCI Medical Ltd	HEALTHCARE 21 UK LTD	AQUILANT Ltd BAS CRITICAL	AQUILANT Ltd BAS CRITICAL	AQUILANT Ltd BAS CRITICAL	AQUILANT Ltd BAS CRITICAL	GBUK Healthcare
Brand	Bair Hugger	Mallinckrodt WarmTouch	Aquilant	Aquilant	Cocoon	Cocoon	IOB
MPC	54200	5030870	CLM0103	CLM0104	CLM0131	CLM0132	IOB-001
NPC	VCB85056	VJJ080	VCB1067	VCB1064	VCB766	VCB767	VCB85197
Description	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Torso dual port - arms in	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Upper body caredrape	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Extended Full Torso Blanket 100x200 cm Hose port 1	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Extended Full Torso Blanket 100x200 cm Hose port 1	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Extended Upper Torso Arms-in Blanket 137.5x97 cm Hose port 2	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Extended Upper Torso Arms-out Blanket 76x197.5 cm Hose port 2	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Torso dual ports 142cm x 120cm
Picture							
Route	Stocked	Stocked	eDirect	eDirect	eDirect	eDirect	eDirect
UOI	Box 14	1	Box 10	Box 10	Box 10	Box 10	Box 40
Latex Free	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Country of manufacture	Germany	China	Australia	Australia	Australia	Australia	China

Supplier	GBUK Healthcare	GBUK Healthcare	GBUK Healthcare	GBUK Healthcare	CENTRAL MEDICAL SUPPLIES LTD (CMS)
Brand	IOB	IOB	IOB	IOB	Mistral Air
MPC	IOB-003	IOB-019	IOB-021	IOB-030	TSC-MA2260
NPC	VCB85224	VCB85227	VCB85214	VCB85213	VCB531
Description	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Upper Body Warming Blanket	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Torso Dual Port	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Extra Large Upper body	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Muti-position Upper Body	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Upper body plus blanket 216x76cm
Picture	-	-	-	-	
Route	eDirect	eDirect	eDirect	eDirect	Stocked
UOI	Box 40	Box 40	Box 40	Box 40	Box 40
Latex Free	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Country of Manufacture	China	China	China	China	Netherlands

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Patient Temperature Management FAW Upper body						
Supplier	**CENTRAL MEDICAL SUPPLIES LTD (CMS)**	**CENTRAL MEDICAL SUPPLIES LTD (CMS)**	**Healthcare 21 UK Ltd**	**Healthcare 21 UK Ltd**	**Healthcare 21 UK Ltd**	**Healthcare 21 UK Ltd**
Brand	Mistral Air	Mistral Air	Mallinckrodt WarmTouch	Mallinckrodt WarmTouch	Medtronic	Medtronic
MPC	TSC-MA2265	TSC-MA2270	5030870	5030900	CNOTO1	CNOUB1
NPC	VCB532	VCB533	VJJ080	VCB769	VCB85071	VCB85067
Description	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Half upper body plus blanket 160x76cm	Torso plus blanket for use with hot air blower 76x124cm	Upper body caredrape for use with hot air blower	Dual port torso carequilt for use with hot air blower 134cmx103cm	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Torso 108x110	Blanket patient warming for use with hot air blower Upper body 70x23
Picture						
Route	eDirect	eDirect	Stocked	Stocked	eDirect	eDirect
UOI	Box 40	Box 10	Each	Each	Box 30	Box 24
Latex Free	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Country of Manufacture	Netherlands	Netherlands	China	China	China	China

References:

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