



A modern patient stretcher for the modern emergency department



ONE STRETCHER, **MULTIPLE ENVIRONMENTS**

The UK's NHS emergency departments don't provide one type of care, for one type of patient, in one type of clinical area. Patients can move through different areas and in doing so, the needs from the patient stretcher changes - through assessment, examination, imaging, treatment, observation and recovery.

A modern emergency department demands a versatile patient stretcher and a QA3™ Emergency Stretcher is just that. From SDEC to Resus - a QA3™ Emergency Stretcher is designed around the entire emergency department journey.

Suitable for children and adults across a range of emergency department clinical areas, including:



Triage



Rapid Assessment
& Treatment (RAT)



Same Day Emergency
Care (SDEC)



Major Injuries



Resuscitation



Minor Injuries



Clinical Decision
Units



Observation Areas



X-Ray



DESIGNED FOR **PATIENT SAFETY AND COMFORT**

Designed around the current British Standard for patient stretchers - BS 5402 - and in compliance with BS EN 60601-2-52 - a QA3™ Emergency Stretcher provides exceptional levels of patient safety required for the modern emergency department, especially where extended stays are a necessity.

With an excellent low height, 320kg safe working load, 700mm wide patient surface and high-quality pressure care mattress, the ED patient is both safe and comfortable. The conveniently placed, base mounted cylinder holder can accept up to F/ZX sized cylinders during resuscitation and critical illness, exacerbations, COPD management and emergency transport.



REDUCED MANUAL HANDLING BUILT IN

The need for staff to manually handle patients getting on or off a QA3™ Emergency Stretcher is reduced with the stretcher's excellent low height and stow-away vertical side rails. But more than that, the reduced stretcher weight, low rolling resistance castors, and exceptional 5th wheel steer offer supreme manoeuvrability when transporting a patient around an emergency department and beyond.

Power your manual handling

And yet more. A QA3™ Emergency Stretcher is available with powered functions to reduce the manual handling challenges of altering a stretcher position with a patient onboard - and also DRIVE; an intuitive drive-assisted 5th wheel where sites experience increased patient transport challenges.

A QA3™ Emergency Stretcher is also available with an 800mm wide patient platform and drive assist as the QA3™ <800> Bariatric DRIVE Stretcher, to help reduce the manual handling associated with treating patients on the higher end of the BMI scale.

Infection control by design

Smooth moulded surfaces and enclosed stretcher mechanics minimise dirt traps and result in a patient stretcher that is quick and easy to clean and disinfect.



TRUSTED WHERE IT MATTERS & SUPPORTING THE NHS PRIORITIES

50% of the UK & Northern Ireland's Major Trauma Centres, and 42% of all UK & Northern Ireland's emergency departments, are where you can find the QA3™ Emergency Stretcher - trusted where it matters the most.

Being designed, manufactured and shipped within the UK, the QA3™ Emergency Stretcher supports both NHS Sustainability and Social Value priorities, as well as supporting SME's around the UK and contributing to local economies, employment and skills.

It's also available through the NHS Supply Chain (*Operating Theatre Equipment & Related Accessories + Services - Patient Stretchers and Trolleys Contract*)

It has been designed to support a long lifecycle through manufacturer-backed 10 year warranty, available through after-sales support, allowing the investment to be protected - rather than more frequently replaced.

DISCOVER THE RANGE:



QA3™ Emergency Stretcher



QA3™ DRIVE Emergency Stretcher



QA3™ Powered Emergency Stretcher



QA3™ <800> Bariatric DRIVE Emergency Stretcher

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