

# The Klearside User Manual

# BaKare

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**IMPORTANT**

This symbol highlights critical safety information that must be followed



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This Product is a Medical Device and should not be used without a Risk Assessment in place. The Klearside side panels should be assessed against any tendency of the end user to push themselves down between the mattress and the Klearside panel in particular.

## The Klearside Declaration Of Conformity



EU Directive 93/42/EEC

The signatory  
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Confirms that the products described below and in the form distributed by ourselves meet the basic requirements of Appendix 1 of EU directive 93/42/EEC.

The following Standards apply  
EN 60601-1  
EN60601-1-2  
EN1970 (applicable parts only)

The requirements of the medical products law pertain to the display of a CE seal of approval are thereby fulfilled.

This declaration of conformity becomes invalid if the products are altered without the written agreement of the manufacturer.

Product description

Nursing beds Prestige Series  
Directive 93/42/EEC of 14/06/1993 concerning medical products. (Appendix I basic requirements). The testing and construction of this product conforms to a Class 1 (Appendix VII) of Medical Product Law of 02/08/1994

Signed

  
John Baker : Director

## Installation Instructions



- Ensure that there is sufficient clearance around the bed so that it will not make contact with any other objects when in operation
- The bed must be used on an even and flat surface
- Ensure that the space under the bed is clear
- Ensure that all cables are free from potential entrapment.
- **IMPORTANT : THE KLEAR SIDE BED MUST BE USED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE KLEAR SIDE MATTRESS TO AVOID ENTRAPMENT ISSUES**

## Warranty

The bed and motor system is covered by a 2 Year Parts warranty for manufacture defects. It does not cover damage resulting from abuse or misuse of the bed.

We do not accept liability for damage and disruption caused by operating errors

## Maintenance

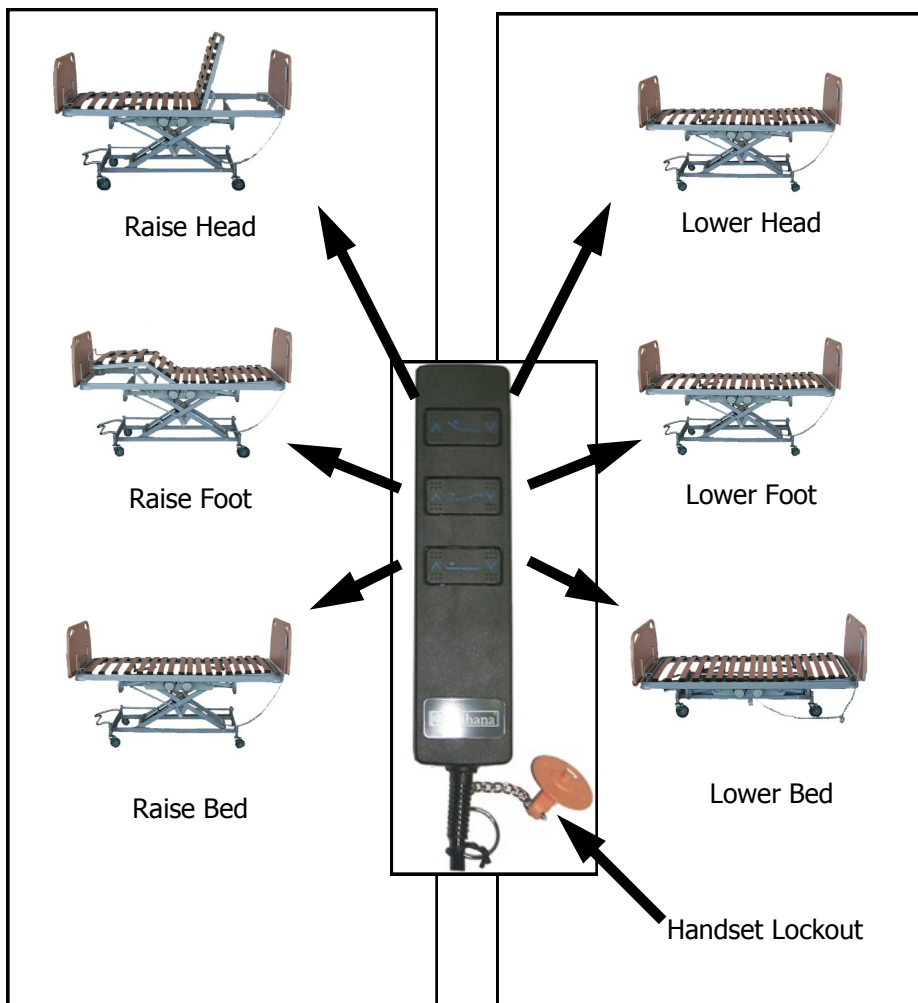
The bed should be inspected on a regular basis to ensure :-

- That there is nothing trapped within the mechanism of the bed.
- That the functions of the bed operate correctly.
- The wooden slats and holders are undamaged and secure.
- There are no loose fastenings.
- The Klearside Vinyl sides are correctly tensioned.
- The wheels are free to run and brakes can be operated

At least once a year

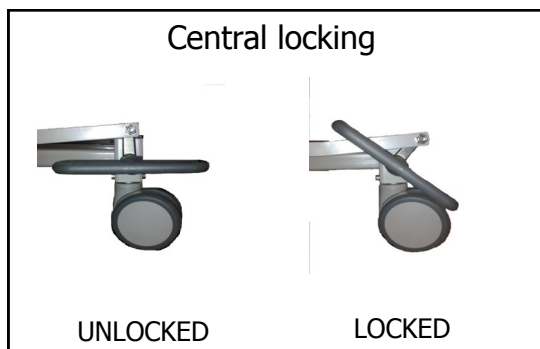
- Ensure that all fastenings are tight.
- Unplug the bed from the mains and check for damage along the cables.
- Grease the joins of the lifting bar from the motor.
- The bed is to be inspected by a BaKare technician or a qualified person trained by BaKare.
- The Klearside Vinyl sides are correctly tensioned

## Operating Instructions



- To operate hand controller press and hold the button.
- Once the button is released, the bed will stop moving.

### Operating The Brakes



**Safety**

**Ensure that the brakes are always locked before the bed is used and/or operated**

## Operating Instructions

### Profiling The Bed

Lifting the head section on it's own will cause the occupant to slide down the bed.



It is common practice to first raise the Foot section and then the Head section. This will reduce the sliding effect for the occupant using the bed.



Raising the foot section can offer comfort to the occupant if they are suffering from swollen ankles.



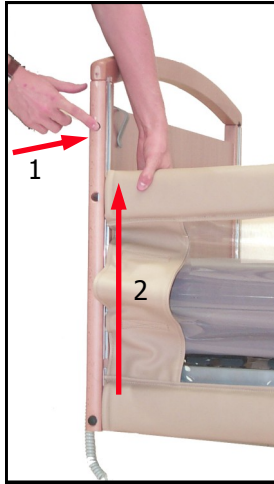
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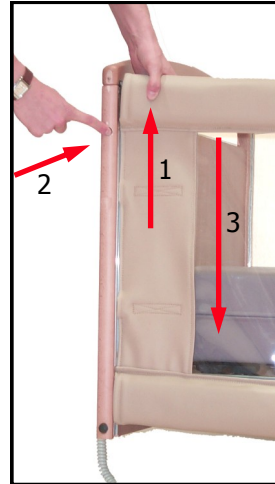
## Operating The Klearside Side Rails

### Raising



- To raise the side rail
- 1) Depress the top button on the side of the head/foot board.
  - 2) Pull the side rail up until it is higher than the button. Then release the button.

### Lowering



- To lower the side rail
- 1) Pull the side rail up
  - 2) Depress the button
  - 3) Lower the side rail to the bottom of the head/foot board

### Side rail positions

#### Side rails down

For normal use of the bed and access to the user.



#### Both Ends Raised

This gives full protection to the user.



**Warning— Both ends of the side rail must be raised.**

**Warning— Users are at risk of serious injury if they attempt to climb over the top of the side rails.**

**Warning— The Klearside is unsafe for use if a tear occurs on the Klearside.**

**Warning— Ensure Vinyl is correctly tensioned before use**



#### Safety

**Side rails must only be used after a full risk assessment has been carried out.**



## The Klearside Cleaning & Disinfection

### Wipe Disinfection

Use a wipe Sodium Hypochlorite Disinfectant using no more than 1000 parts per million of Active Chloride

**Wooden parts** may **not** get into contact with the relevant cleaning agent.

The use of solvents is **not permitted**.

**Do not use** abrasive cleaners, scouring pads or similar cleaning aids.

**Do not use** organic solvents such as halogenated/aromatic hydrocarbons and ketone

Please follow these instructions when using cleaning agents and/or disinfectants:

- Decontamination solutions in the prescribed concentrations may not exceed or fall below a pH-value of 6-8.
  - They may not contain any corrosive or caustic substances.
  - They may not contain substances that alter the characteristics of the surface or the properties of plastic or synthetic materials.
  - They may not affect the properties of the lubricants.
  - Water hardness may not exceed 0.9 mmol/l (to 5°d).
- (Fully desalinated water may not be used)

We accept no liability for possible damage to surfaces arising from the use of unsuitable cleaning agents or disinfectants, from the use of incorrect concentrations or from the unsatisfactory care of the bed.

### **Risk of electric shock, fire or breakdown**

Only clean and disinfect the bed after it has been switched off, i.e. when it has been disconnected from the mains power supply (pull plug out of socket).

Protect electrical components from water!

### **Spray wands**

Cleaning and disinfection with spray wands is prohibited.

The beds are not designed to be used with jet stream plants!

*BaKare beds makes every effort to ensure that this document is up to date but does reserve the right to make changes to its products without prior notice.  
For the latest information please contact us.*



## Service & Inspection Record

**The bed is to be inspected by a BaKare technician or a qualified person trained by BaKare every 12 months.**

Bed Serial Number \_\_\_\_\_

INSPECTION DATE	COMMENTS	ACTION TAKEN	ENGINEERS SIGNATURE

BaKare servicing department : 01752 512227  
 Please call for information on servicing, repairs and extended warranties.

Service & Inspection Recorded