

Mould Room upgrade for Southend Hospital

Southend Hospital recently carried out an extensive Mould Room upgrade as part of going refurbishment. Supplied by Oncology Imaging Systems Ltd, the upgrade included a Qfix Mould Room couch, an Aquapan waterbath and a large selection of complementary thermoplastics.

The Qfix Mould Room couch combines an electronic, height-adjustable base on lockable castors with a fully indexed carbon fiber top. This easy-to-use and mobile couch allows patient set-up techniques to be mirrored in a Mould Room environment, without restrictive treatment or simulation room access. The rigid carbon fiber top is resistant to damage from water, plaster, other moulding products or bodily fluids and the whole unit can be lowered to a minimum height of 17cm, perfect for getting patients on and off the couch.

The stainless steel waterbath or Aquapan Heating Pan is perfect for both Aquaplast and Fibreplast thermoplastics. The tank holds up to 40 liters of water and is made of heavy duty stainless steel with double wall insulation to ensure a long life of trouble free, energy efficient operation. It's easy to operate and has an adjustable temperature range of 38°C to 85°C (100°F to 185°F).

“Our new Mould Room Couch has made an enormous difference to patients who would previously have had difficulties getting onto the couch because it can be lowered almost down to the ground! And the indexed couch top has vastly improved the fixation of accessories, making patient positioning so much easier,” commented technician Nadia Salama. “Our patients are benefiting from the smooth and reassuring movement of this piece of equipment and it gives them more confidence in their Mould Room experience.”

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