

# Is configurable seating appropriate for your department?



## Configurable seating is used in many Equipment Stores across the UK but is it relevant to your department?

This depends on your specific situation and there are some simple indications you can check to see if configurable seating might be beneficial in your area:

- 1) An uncomfortable amount of money per year being spent on special chairs
- 2) A lot of special chairs are in stock at the equipment store which are difficult to recycle
- 3) Chairs sometimes get scrapped due to contamination or damage
- 4) Delivery lead times are excessive
- 5) The user needs change between assessment and delivery
- 6) Pressure cushions are placed on the top of the chair increasing the seat height and causing stability issues
- 7) Potentially expensive re-work and re-adjustment is needed after delivery of special chairs
- 8) Service users' sometimes reject the chair as it doesn't meet their needs

If some of these indications are present in your department, configurable seating may be able to make your life easier.

**To explore this in more detail, you might like to contact Nicholas Drake or Richard Smith on 01223 206100.**