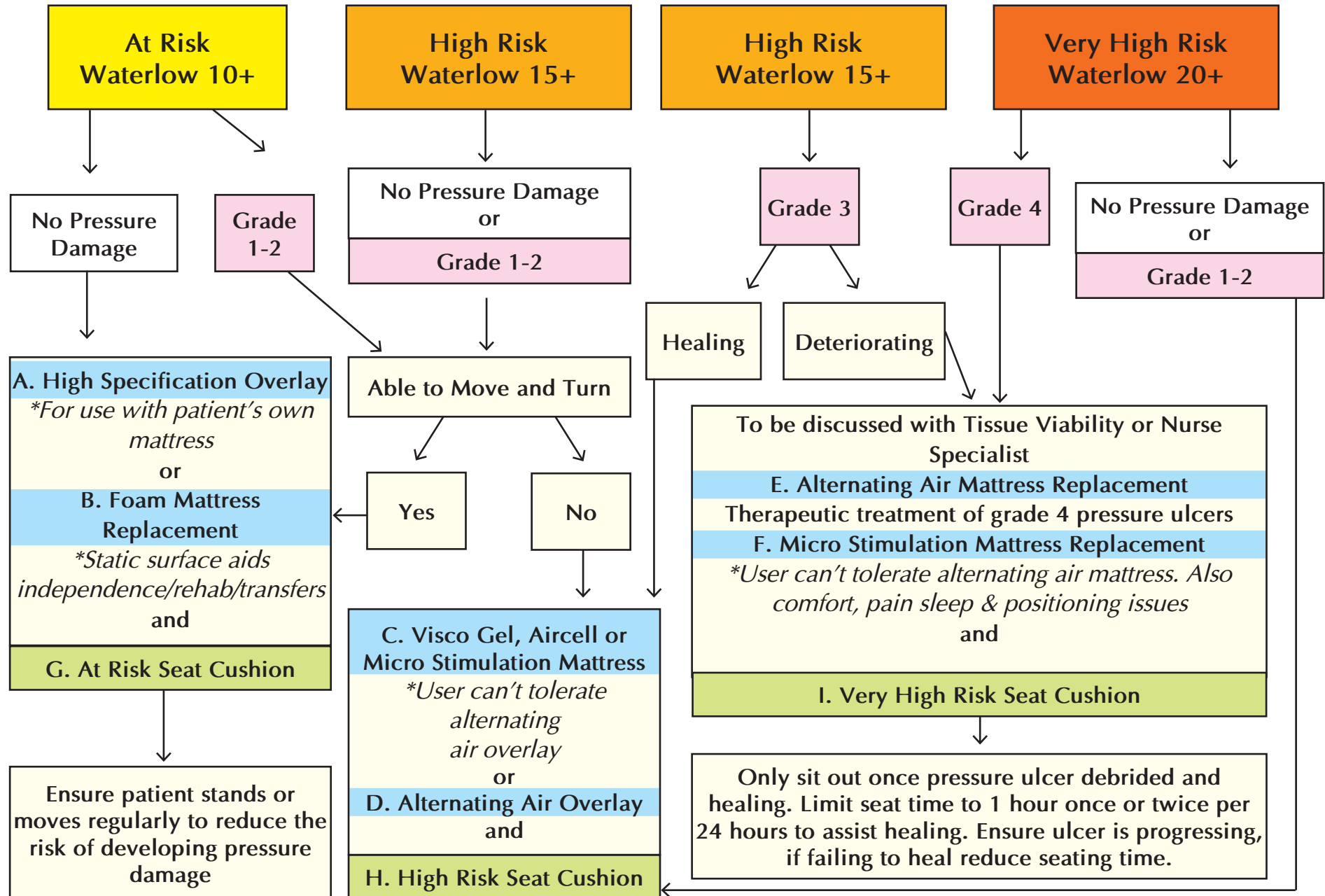


# Pressure Mattress & Cushion Selection Flowchart



This is guide & should be used in conjunction with clinical judgement. Patient turning regime is required on all mattresses. See the following pages - Which Mattress? A Guide (facing page 9), Which Cushion? A Guide (page 24)

# Which Pressure Mattress? A Guide

				Pressure Assessment				Condition / Problem				
Category/Mattress A - F	Code	Client Weight Kg	Page Ref	Waterlow Score	Grade 1-4	Prevention	Healing	Pain	Perception	Sleep	Heat	Positioning
<b>A. Overlays</b>												
Permapad	PL082	30-90	10	10+	-	-	-			-	-	
Memaflex	PL110	25-100	10	15+	1-2	▲▲	-			▲	-	
Memaflex Airlayer	PL133	25-100	10	15+	1-2	▲▲	-			▲	▲	
<b>B. Foam Mattress</b>												
Permafex Non-Turn	PL100P	30-247	11	10+	1-2	▲▲	-					
<b>C. ViscoGel, Aircell, Micro Stimulation Mattresses</b>												
Memaflex Plus (5 sizes)	PL111	30-140	12	20+	1-3	▲▲	▲	-	-	▲	-	-
Memaflex - Bariatric	PL174	<318	22	20+	1-3	▲▲	▲	-	-	▲	-	-
Memaflex Airlayer (5 sizes)	PL115	30-140	13	20+	1-3	▲▲	▲	-	-	▲	▲▲	-
Vicair	ARM415	<250	14	20+	1-4	▲▲	▲+	▲	-	▲	-	▲▲
Vicair-Paediatric	VARM2	<60	20	N/A	-	-	-	▲	-	▲	-	▲▲
Thevo Adapt	THE644	<130	15	15+	1-3	▲▲	▲+	▲	▲	▲▲	▲▲	▲
Sleeping Star - Paed/Child	64421/5	7-60	21	N/A	-	-	-	▲	▲	▲▲	▲▲	▲
<b>D. Alternating Air Overlays</b>												
Prelude & Seat - Professional	PA3500	30-100	16	10+	1-2	▲	▲					
Eclipse & Seat - Professional	PA5500	30-140	16	15+	1-3	▲▲	▲+					
Slimline 3 - Affordable	MC3PA	30-100	17	10+	1-2	▲	▲					
Premium 5 - Affordable	MC5PA	30-150	17	15+	1-3	▲▲	▲+					
<b>E. Alternating Air Mattresses</b>												
Slow Air Plus & Seat	PA3800	30-120	18	10+	1-2	▲+	▲	▲	-	▲	-	-
Nova	PA6000	30-180	18	20+	1-4	▲▲	▲▲					
Phase III	PA7900	30-230	19	20+	1-4	▲▲	▲▲+					
Delta Bariatric	PA8500	<350	22	20+	1-4	▲▲	▲▲					
<b>F. Micro Stimulation Mattress</b>												
Thevo Activ	THE654	<130	19	20+	1-4	▲▲	▲▲	▲▲	▲▲	▲▲	▲▲	▲

▲ Recommended ▲▲ Highly Recommended