



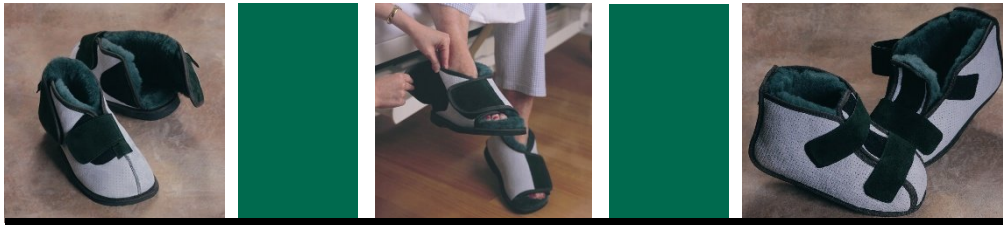
# Shear Comfort™

## Foot Care Products



**Medical quality  
materials to  
provide proven  
foot protection**





The Shear Comfort™ Foot Care range has been designed to provide comfort, support, security, and freedom to those at risk from damage to the skin of the feet or ankles. Skin damage can be a common and debilitating infliction particularly for those with diabetes, and which can not only limit the quality of life for the individual, but also represent an avoidable financial burden.

Shear Comfort™ Foot Care products are made from Medical Grade HiTemp-UR Sheepskin, combining the proven efficacy of pressure relief, as well as effective shear, water vapour and heat dissipation. Infection control concerns are covered in that Shear Comfort can withstand repeated washes at 80°C, killing bacteria effectively.

The water vapour absorption of pure wool helps keep feet dry, and the warmth benefits those with poor circulation or with painful arthritic joints.

Shear Comfort™ Foot Care products are available in a range of styles, shapes, and sizes to ensure that, whatever the scenario, you can benefit from the exceptional properties of Shear Comfort™, offering cost-effective prevention of, and rehabilitation from damage to the skin of the feet or ankles.



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# Wrap Around Boot™

The Wrap Around Boot™ has been designed for those who require an easy to don or doff item of protective footwear

Comfort and an accommodating fit are ensured by the generous Velcro strapping on the heel and top of the foot, allowing simple adjustment throughout the day to accommodate any changes in swelling. Incorporating a low profile rubber sole ensures the shoe can be worn outside as well as in, offering freedom of movement to the wearer. The rubber sole does not affect the washing procedure for the shoe.

The natural properties of sheepskin ensures that comfort is provided to the foot by its being fully enclosed. The water vapour dissipation qualities of the wool ensure any perspiration is effectively wicked away from the skin.





*Microbiologists have shown that even the most resistant bacteria will be killed in large numbers if exposed to 80°C for 10 minutes [You too can also keep those bugs at bay, and wash Shear Comfort™ products at 80°C time and again].*



*Pressure ulcers arise when bony parts in our skeleton push for extended periods against our blood vessels and their covering skin, thus reducing the blood circulation and supply of life maintaining nutrients to the skin [Shear Comfort™ wool pile allows the pressurised skin room into which to expand].*

Available in pairs in 7 sizes (see page 12 for size chart)

001582	Wrap Around Boot™	XXSmall
002039	Wrap Around Boot™	XSmall
001513	Wrap Around Boot™	Small
001544	Wrap Around Boot™	Medium
001230	Wrap Around Boot™	Large
001551	Wrap Around Boot™	XLarge
001575	Wrap Around Boot™	XXLarge

# Pressure Care Boot™

The Pressure Care Boot™ is designed to provide comfort, support, and freedom to those at risk from skin ulcers of the foot or ankle. The open toe design allows toe separation and circulation inspection without the need to remove the shoe

The Velcro straps around the heel and across the bridge of the foot allow the shoe to be opened fully and adjusted to ensure that the shoe moulds comfortably to the shape of the foot, and can be adjusted as required to accommodate any changes in foot size through the day. The low profile rubber sole ensures the freedom to experience the comfort and support of the Pressure Care Boot™ both outside and in. The rubber sole does not limit the washability of the shoe.





*Velcro fastenings make life easier for those with impaired hand function*



*As we grow older our skin loses its elasticity, making it more susceptible to damage, and it is slower to repair, thus the greater need to protect it.*

*To bring you a Shear Comfort™ product, there are 75 steps in the tanning and production process – this is twice as much as for cowhide leather.*

Available in pairs in 7 sizes (see page 12 for size chart)

000776	Pressure Care Boot™	XXSmall
002053	Pressure Care Boot™	XSmall
000714	Pressure Care Boot™	Small
000721	Pressure Care Boot™	Medium
000738	Pressure Care Boot™	Large
000745	Pressure Care Boot™	XLarge
000769	Pressure Care Boot™	XXLarge

# Short Slipper Boot™

The Short Slipper Boot™ is designed to provide full foot protection, and is ideal for use both indoors and in bed



The Velcro strapping and tongue flap down the entire length of the upper part to ensure the boot is easy to put on and adjust throughout the day, providing adaptive security and comfort. By not incorporating a sole, the Short Slipper Boot™ heightens the ability to mould to the foot, and allows the boot to be worn comfortably in bed. The boot design ensures the bony prominences of the ankle are also fully protected, ensuring comfort and support when worn in bed, or with your feet up.

The natural properties of the sheepskin help to keep feet warm, benefiting those of any age with poor circulation, and providing alleviation of some degree of the pain of arthritis.



*For the less active and immobile, the heart tends to pump smaller volumes of blood to the body's extremities such as the toes. There is, therefore, a greater need to retain heat at these places by the use of lined footwear that helps provide insulation.*

*Until research scientists in Australia developed the new tanning techniques incorporated in Shear Comfort™, one could not wash natural sheepskin without their becoming shaggy, and losing their bounce.*



Available in pairs in 7 sizes (see page 12 for size chart)

001384	Short Slipper Boot™	XXSmall
001360	Short Slipper Boot™	XSmall
001315	Short Slipper Boot™	Small
001322	Short Slipper Boot™	Medium
001338	Short Slipper Boot™	Large
001353	Short Slipper Boot™	XLarge
001377	Short Slipper Boot™	XXLarge

# Tall Slipper and Pressure Care Boots™

The Tall Slipper and Pressure Care Boots™ are designed to provide protection and support to the entire lower limb in as unencumbered a design as possible

This makes it ideal for providing the necessary security to those at risk from skin ulcers to the feet and legs, or those with vascular problems.

Generous Velcro strapping up the entire boot ensures it can accommodate securely and comfortably any leg or foot, regardless of any swelling, and can be readily adjusted as required. This also ensures that the boot can be used in conjunction with compression bandages or support hosiery. The open toe design ensures toe separation, and circulation. Inspection can be carried out without the requirement for removing the boot.

The Tall Slipper Boot™ has no sole, making it ideal for use indoors, or in a bed or an inclined chair, whereas the Tall Pressure Care Boot™ has a rubber sole to enable going outside as well as in.



One size fits all, available in pairs

000752 Tall Pressure Care Boot™  
001223 Tall Slipper Boot™

# Sovereign Snugs

The Sovereign Snug is a low profile moccasin style slipper designed to provide exceptional comfort in a pleasing design

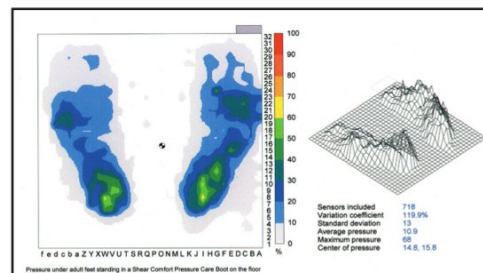
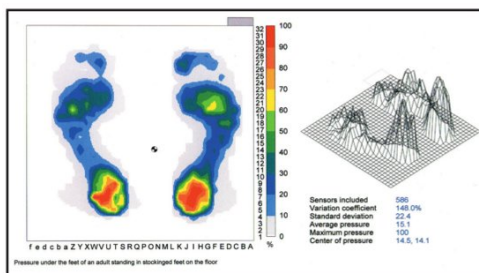
The small, refined style of the Sovereign Snug makes it ideal for those who want to experience the added comfort and support of Shear Comfort™ footwear wherever you may go, whether in the home, or on your travels.



Available in pairs, in 4 sizes (see page 12 for size chart)

003036	Sovereign Snug	XXSmall
003012	Sovereign Snug	XSmall
003005	Sovereign Snug	Small
003029	Sovereign Snug	Medium

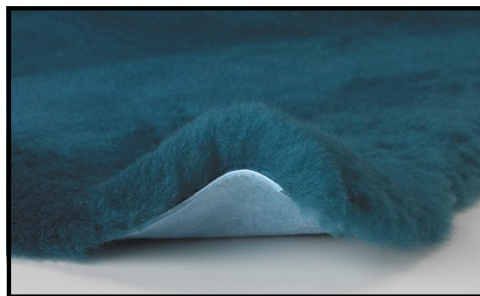
## Shear Comfort™ - Objective Evidence of Effectiveness



### Pressure Reduction with the Shear Comfort Pressure Care Boot™

These two pressure maps show the pressure distribution under the feet of a stockinged 90kg individual, first on a normal shoe surface, and then with Shear Comfort Pressure Care Boots™, showing the reduction of peak pressure points under the feet that the Pressure Care Boots provided.

# Shear Comfort™ - Natural Raw Materials



The Shear Comfort™ Foot Care range is manufactured from Shear Comfort™, a medical grade, natural sheepskin meeting the Australian Standard for Textiles for Health Care Facilities and Institutions (AS4480.1) that is processed through an advanced, multi-stage tanning process. This ensures that not only do all Shear Comfort™ Foot Care products retain the natural and proven efficacy of sheepskins (pressure distribution, shear reduction, as well as water vapour and heat dissipation), but can also safely go through standard thermal disinfection procedures. Thus it can withstand multiple washes at 80C, effectively killing any bacteria. A further benefit of this tanning process is that the skins are urea-resistant meaning that the leather will not harden as a result of interaction with skin secretions.

All our footwear has been designed to offer the best protection possible, with all seams and attachments positioned to avoid infringement on the pressure care qualities.

All Shear Comfort™ Skin Care products are fire retardant and carry the medical Class 1 CE mark, meaning you can be assured of receiving the highest possible quality designed for specific medical benefits. Air Tec™ gives a matrix of small holes across the surface to aid in air and water vapour exchange, thereby increasing the product's effectiveness in wound prevention, healing, and comfort. And all products are designed to offer the best support possible, with all seams and attachments positioned to avoid infringement on the pressure care qualities.

# Heel Protector

Providing security and comfort to the heel and ankle areas

Shear Comfort™ Heel Protectors provide effective prevention of skin ulcers in this “at risk” area. The wool wraps around the heel and ankle, while leaving the rest of the foot unencumbered, and is held in place by a Velcro™ strap. Any seams are positioned to be away from any skin areas at risk of pressure sores. One size fits all. Sold in pairs.



000912 Heel Protectors (Pair)

# Total Foot Protector

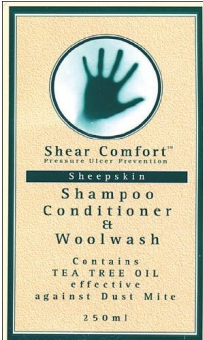
The Shear Comfort™ Total Foot Protector is designed to provide protection and comfort for the whole foot, giving extra care for the ankle and heel areas.

This product gives broader protection than the heel protectors for the whole foot, and is the ideal product where protection is needed for just the one foot. One size fits all. Sold singly.



003081 Total Foot Protector (Single)

# Wool Shampoo & Conditioner



To maintain the comfort and therapeutic advantages of Shear Comfort™ wool products, the laundering of the skin and wool fibre is very important. Pure new wool has a coating of protein over and around each fibre which acts as a shield and contributes to the air circulation which provides the unique comfort and therapeutic advantages of wool. On woollen garments it is this protein coating that gives it the unique feel of pure new wool.

Shear Comfort™ Wool Shampoo & Conditioner removes stains and contains a conditioning agent to lubricate the leather and enhance the performance of the wool fibre. The shampoo includes Tea Tree Oil which is an antibacterial agent that protects against bacterial growth, eliminating cross infection, and prevents odours, particularly in medical and baby products. Tea Tree Oil is also effective against dust mites which are a known allergenic source for asthmatics.

002527	Wool Shampoo & Conditioner	250ml
000905	Wool Shampoo & Conditioner	1 litre

## Foot Wear Size Chart

All Foot Wear Products are sold in broad size categories owing to the adjustable nature of the range

Size	UK Female	UK Male	Europe	USA
XXS	2 - 3	1 - 2	35 - 36	2 - 4
XS	4 - 5	3 - 4	37 - 38	4 - 6
S	6 - 7	5 - 6	39 - 41	6 - 8
M	8 - 9	7 - 8	42 - 43	8 - 10
L	10 - 11	9 - 10	44 - 45	10 - 12
XL	12 - 13	11 - 12	46 - 47	12 - 14
XXL	14 - 15	13 - 14	48 - 49	14 - 16

# Shear Comfort™ Skin Care

You've enjoyed the benefit of Shear Comfort™ foot wear. Now savour the sleep enhancing benefits of our Shear Comfort™ skin care products

For those looking to prevent and rehabilitate skin ulcers, Shear Comfort™ also offers a range of skin care products, incorporating the great performance of Shear Comfort™ into overlays, wheelchair support covers, and protectors for at risk areas. Shear Comfort™ Skin Care products are designed to facilitate actively effective and consistent skin ulcer management. Thus our Skin Care range offers the following benefits:

- Improved Sleep
- Skin Ulcer Prevention
- Wound Healing
- Urea Resistance
- Cost Efficiencies
- Infection Control
- Hypoallergenicity
- Fire Retardancy

For full details of these products and to find out what you can achieve with the Shear Comfort™ Skin Care range please visit our website or give us a call.



XD1900  
Overlay



Pressure  
Care  
Assistant™



Cushion-It™  
Seat or  
Back Cover



Arm Support,  
Calf and  
Foot  
Protectors



Palm  
Protector



Elbow  
Protector



Also available from BES Rehab Ltd: The FSA pressure mapping systems for assessment of feet in both stationary and moving scenarios, with and without foot wear.



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# How to order



## Phone us **0845 1300 237**

You can order by phone if you have a credit or debit card. It may be helpful to complete the order form (overleaf) so you have all the details to hand when phoning.

Lines open from **8 am to 5.30 pm, Monday to Friday**  
Outside these hours we have an answer phone for messages



## By Post

Simply complete the order form overleaf, tear it off and return it to us, together with your card details, or a cheque payable to BES Rehab Ltd:

131 South Liberty Lane, Ashton Vale, Bristol, BS3 2SZ



## By Fax **0845 1300 238**

You can place an order by simply completing the order form overleaf and faxing it back to the number above.



## Over the Internet **www.besbiz.eu.com** **info@besbiz.eu.com**

You can buy Shear Comfort™ products at any time from our easy to use and secure online shop or send us an email.

Cards acceptable for ordering



# Shear Comfort™ Order Form

Page	Product	Product Size <small>Please circle the size reqd.</small>	Price Excl VAT	Price Incl VAT(17.5%)	Qty
2	Wrap Around Boot™ (Pair)	XXS, XS, S, M, L, XL, XXL	£72.34	£85.00	.....
4	Pressure Care Boot™ (Pair)	XXS, XS, S, M, L, XL, XXL	£63.83	£75.00	.....
6	Short Slipper Boot™ (Pair)	XXS, XS, S, M, L, XL, XXL	£67.23	£79.00	.....
8	Tall Pressure Care Boot™ (Pair)	One size only	£148.94	£175.00	.....
8	Tall Slipper Boot™ (Pair)	One size only	£114.89	£135.00	.....
9	Sovereign Snugs (Pair)	XXS, XS, S, M	£58.72	£69.00	.....
11	Heel Protectors (Pair)	One size only	£42.54	£49.99	.....
11	Total Foot Protector (Single)	One size only	£38.30	£45.00	.....
12	Wool Shampoo & Conditioner	250ml	£8.50	£9.99	.....
		1 Litre	£21.28	£25.00	.....
	Postage and Packing (Per Order)		£ 7.00	£8.23	.....

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Post Code \_\_\_\_\_ Tel No. \_\_\_\_\_

**How would you like to pay?**

I enclose a cheque for £ \_\_\_\_\_ payable to BES Rehab Ltd

Please charge my credit / Debit card            

Card No.

Card Security No.  The last 3 digits only of then number printed on the signature strip on the back of the card

Start Date \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date \_\_\_\_\_ Issue No. \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

