Pioneering Changing Places with Welcome Break

Aveso have been working alongside Welcome Break to provide Changing Places toilets in Motorway services across the UK. As sponsors of the Changing Places campaign, we are proud to install into these integral locations, to allow users, their families and carers to travel with confidence.

The Changing Places installations all include:

- 12m² of space ideal for those in need of space for a wheelchair and two carers
- The **OT200 Ceiling Hoist** with our unique gravity charging, system designed to help ensure carers avoid risk of injury.
- The **Nivano** adult-sized height adjustable Changing Table
- **A mobile Privacy Screen**
- Grab rails, Support arms, a Colostomy Bag shelf and
- Other ancillary products included in the BS8300 Changing Places standard.
With Welcome Break pioneering accessibility in service stations and marking the way for future considerations for the disabled community, Rod McKie, CEO of Welcome Break, commented:

“As a company we feel that our facilities should be accessible for everyone. We want to be able to make life easier for carers and people who have severe disabilities. These toilets make such a huge difference to people, and will help our customers go to the toilet comfortably and with dignity, which are small privileges that everyone deserves.”

Clare Carder a supporter of the campaign and in need of Changing Places to travel with her daughter said:

“Due to you putting in a changing place meant my daughter could go to her great grandma’s 100th birthday celebrations. The venue we knew would have nowhere to change her so with a four-hour journey it looked unlikely we could safely take her… This is such a much needed facility for many disabled people and carers”.

You can find these vital facilities installed into Welcome Break services; Membury [M4 Junction 14-15], South Mimms [M25 Junction 23], Hopwood Park [M42 Junction 2], Gordano [M5 Junction 19], Corley North [Highfield Lane], Newport Pagnell Services, Keele [M6 Southbound], Fleet [M3 Junction 4a-5], Charnock Services [Junction 27/28 Mill Lane], Sarn Park.

With three more Changing Places scheduled for installation. These facilities can all be found on the Changing Places map alongside images, description and services available, designed to allow the disabled community to plan their journeys.

To plan your journey with Changing Places please visit: http://changingplaces.uktoiletmap.org/

Aveso are the official sponsors and equipment manufacturers of the Changing Places Campaign. Aveso have installed Ceiling Hoists, Adjustable Sinks and Changing Tables in Changing Places projects throughout the country, from motorway services, hospitals, retail to sport stadia.

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