

WashPod

A Solution by Dignity Access

WashPod at Home

The Temporary Disabled Wetroom Range

WashPod is a range of accessible, temporary wetrooms designed for the newly disabled or elderly disabled by a team of architects who specialise in designing spaces for accessible living. The units can be rented or bought via the DFG with a range of models for different spaces and needs, most of which are fully compliant* that can be installed within days, quickly and easily, without the need for any adaptations. They can be 'bolted on' to a property externally or erected internally in a spare room, conservatory, garage or even in the corner of a bedroom.

Our customers have given us a 5 STAR rating for

OVERALL SERVICE



WashPod Benefits

Installing a WashPod unit has many benefits:

- Cost-effective alternative to care home or continued stay in hospital
- On-site within 2– 6 weeks; installation in 1– 5 days
- Minimum disruption – therefore less stress
- No need to wait or pay for house adaptations or relocation
- Designed by care professionals
- 'Plug and Play' for quick installation - water supplies and drainage do not need to be in the same room
- Different models available to suit most spaces and needs
- All units are modular and can be carried in sections through the front door of the house to access difficult spaces if required
- Stay at home in a safe environment in familiar surroundings
- Our professional teams makes sure they leave the house as they found it after the WashPod has been removed.
- High quality products used to avoid breakdowns
- High functionality specification
- 100% waterproof
- Low threshold entrance
- Nationwide service

WashPod Costs

Costs can vary depending on the final specification and specific needs of an individual but rental rates are from as little as £220—£450 a week or they can be bought. We offer a unique DFG Turnaround Service for Local Authorities and Housing Associations.

Tracking hoists and specialised equipment can also be fitted to most models but are budgeted separately.

* the Micro, Mini & Compact models are too small to be fully accessible.



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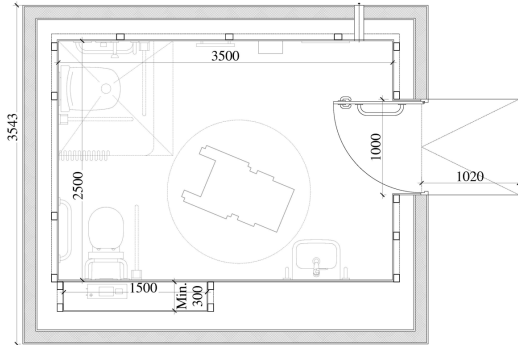
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The WashPod Models

There are now 8 models of WashPod with 3 external and 5 internal versions.

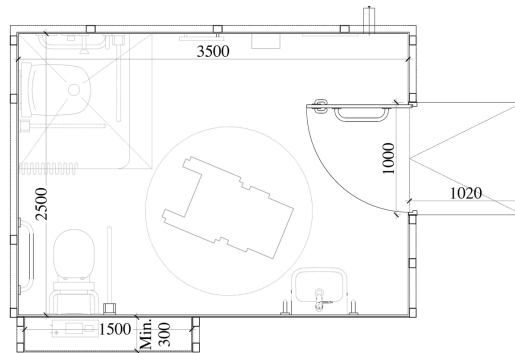
Large External

- fits on patio, drive or in the garden with a connecting lobby, if needed
- sufficient room for 2 carers, trolleys and wheelchairs
- hoist can be fitted
- highly insulated, waterproof outer case
- internal hot water tank and a pressurised shower unit
- electric, underfloor heating together and heated towel rail to maintain minimum temperature at 25°C if required
- installation in 4—5 days
- fully compliant



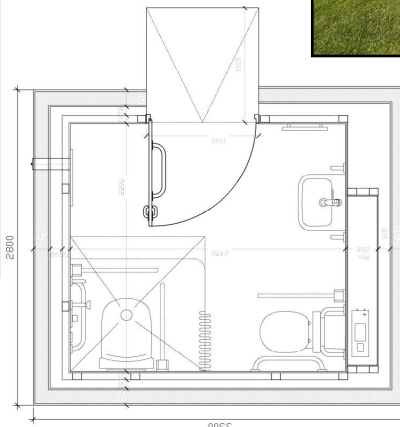
Large Internal

- fits into a large room or spacious double garage
- sufficient room for 2 carers, trolleys and wheelchairs
- hoist can be fitted
- installation in 2 – 3 days
- fully compliant



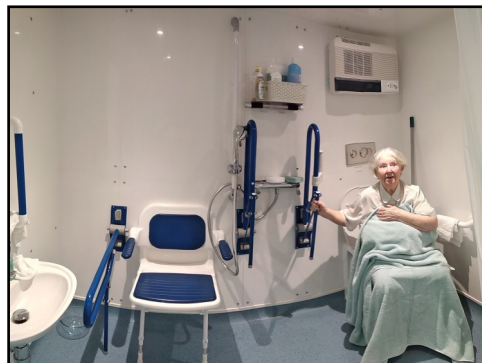
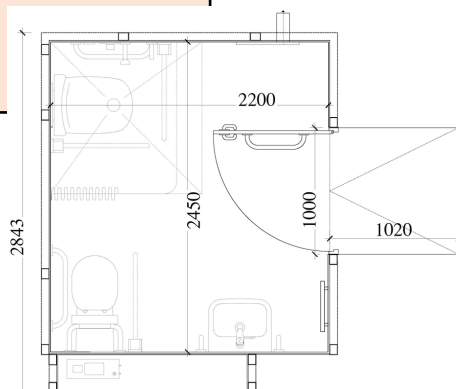
Standard External

- sufficient room for carer and wheelchairs
- hoist can be fitted
- fits on patio, drive or in the garden with a connecting lobby, if needed
- highly insulated, waterproof outer case
- internal hot water tank and a pressurised shower unit
- electric, underfloor heating together and heated towel rail to maintain minimum temperature at 25°C if required
- installation in 4—5 days
- fully compliant



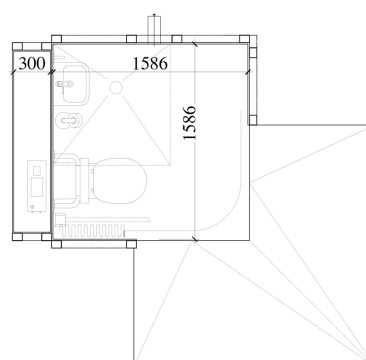
Standard Internal

- fits into medium room or double garage
- sufficient room for carer and wheelchairs
- hoist can be fitted
- installation in 1 day
- fully compliant



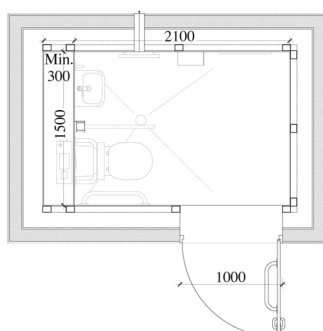
Compact (External and Internal)

- great for when space is at a premium
- can be installed in a conservatory
- versatile addition of a platform to gain wheel-chair turning circle
- Ramp on one side can be removed for tight installations
- Panels can be configured to accommodate different orientations
- Installation in as little as 1 day



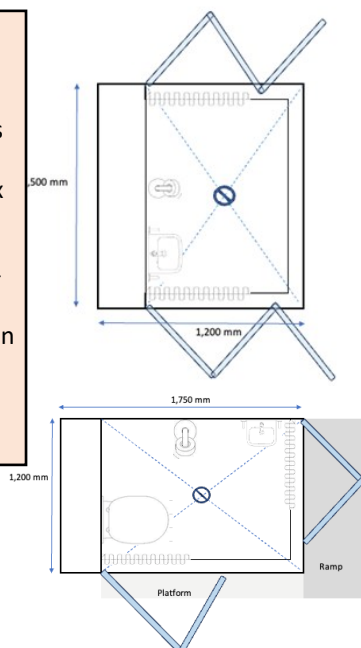
Compact External Model:

- highly insulated, waterproof outer case
- electric underfloor heating together and heated towel rail to maintain minimum temperature at 25°C if required



Micro Internal (& Mini with a Toilet)

- designed for the most limited spaces such as an existing bedroom or utility room
- minimum space required (1.5m L x 1.2m W x 2.0m H plus ramp). The Mini with a toilet is slightly larger at 1.75m L)
- its bi-fold doors allow carer access from outside if needed
- fits snugly into the corner of rooms or even in utility rooms if the configuration suits
- only takes half a day to install



ABOUT US

WashPod is designed and manufactured by Dignity Access Ltd, a small private business that is borne out of Cowan Architects, a chartered architects' practice specialising in accommodation designs for the disabled.

Cowan Architects, in acting as both designers and accommodation experts for the disabled, understood that little or no interim provision was available for those clients who needed to either adapt an existing property, or have a new one built to suit their needs. Using this experience, Dignity Access approached modular specialists to develop the high quality, modular, temporary wetroom that WashPod now is.

The whole of the Dignity Access team is totally committed to the benefit and empowerment that WashPod can give to people at very difficult times in their lives. This is obvious to all our clients who value not only the professionalism, but the empathy and discretion shown by those of us they meet.

We believe that WashPod is unsurpassed by any alternative as it is designed by architects and health professionals who have decades of experience in accessible design, adaptations and modular concepts.

“ TESTIMONIALS ”

"I would like to recommend WashPod to my industry colleagues. A Compact WashPod has recently enabled independence, dignity and empowerment at a critical point in the rehab pathway. It has no doubt contributed to the excellent clinical outcomes that we are seeing with this client. Allyson Ballard, Director of Remedy Healthcare UK

We're all thrilled with the Compact WashPod because it was only three weeks between finding the right rental property for our customer and installation. The Compact WashPod is a perfect solution as we haven't had to wait for costly adaptations. Neither will we have to make good at the end of the rental period – so a double saving. Eleanor Hales, OT, Sherwood Therapy Services

I am so pleased with our WashPod as it's given Luke so much independence and dignity at a difficult time which has been crucial. It's been of huge benefit to him and allowed him home from hospital without disruptive adaptations. Annette, Luke's Mother

I cannot thank the WashPod team enough. You have been simply superb. Your speed of reaction, 'can do' attitude, friendly & professional manner are a credit to you. Mum's life was significantly improved by your pod and I'm eternally grateful. Colin for his mother in Bristol

Fantastic. Saves peoples' dignity. I've seen this in person and it's even better! Maggie Sargent, Maggie Sargent and Associates Case Management

WashPod is a life-changer for me and my daughter. I would definitely recommend it as a safe way to shower and perfect for disabled people if you can't get upstairs. Isabella's Mum, Jessica, Sheffield

WashPod's plug 'n play format meant that we just needed to find an ordinary rental property, closer to home so that my mother-in-law's carers could still come. There's much less disruption for all of us and no alterations to make good for the landlord. Taahira, Anisa's daughter-in-law



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