

# CASE STUDY

## London International Airport Changing Places Stansted Airport, London



UK Airports are really starting to realise the importance of increased accessibility and as such **Stansted Airport** approached Aveso, the official Changing Places sponsor for help with 2 new Changing Places.

London Stansted Airport have called upon the expertise of Changing Places sponsor Aveso to help increase their accessibility for disabled holidaymakers by installing 2 new Changing Places toilet facilities which have been positioned air and land-side for holiday makers.

Until recently the Airport offered special signage, seating areas, parking, standard accessible toilets and shopping assistance for disabled users but saw that there was an increasing need to offer changing facilities area for disabled visitors and their carers to use.

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Ceiling Hoist – Air-Side Changing Places Facility

### Careful Specification

The equipment in these changing areas are situated in multi-user environments with limited resource for monitoring by staff.

With this in mind, the ceiling hoist specification required the ability to self-charge and be simple to use without supervision but also achieve full room coverage and multiple lifts.

The unique Aveso 2 function Ceiling Hoist was specified as it the perfect complete solution and can be used 24/7.



### Working Space

All equipment installed at Stansted by Aveso can be folded away or returned to a docking position in order to maximise the working space of the changing area for the users.

Integrated gas cylinders on the Changing Table enables users to easily fold the surface against the wall themselves if extra floor space is required.



Changing Bench – Air-Side Changing Places Facility

<b>Client:</b>	Stansted Airport, London
<b>Project:</b>	Changing Places facility
<b>Product Specified:</b>	2x OT200 Ceiling Hoist 2x Powered Shower and Changing Bench 2x Shower and Privacy Screen

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Changing Bench and Ceiling Hoist – Land-Side Changing Places

## What are Changing Places?

Changing Places are life changing facilities for many thousands of people who require extra care and are unable to use standard accessible toilets comfortably.

Without Changing Places, people with profound and multiple learning disabilities as well as other serious impairments such as spinal injuries, muscular dystrophy, multiple sclerosis or an acquired brain injury, often need extra facilities to allow them to use the toilets comfortably.

## Products Specified

### Powered Changing Bench

The Aveso Powered Changing Table comes with an extendable safety guard, water collection tray, adjustable neck support and optional splash curtain. (Other models available).

The height of this unit can be adjusted to a suitable working height using the hand control and offers the user an easy and independent way of changing themselves.

### Ceiling Hoist

The Aveso Ceiling Hoist System charges itself whenever it is in use, so that down time is never a problem. This reduces running costs by up to 25%.

An X-Y system such as this is often used in bathrooms where full room coverage is required for many points such as toileting, washing and drying.

The system can notably be used either manually or via the hand control system depending on the amount of support required by the client.

Aveso have supplied equipment for a number of landmark Changing Places facilities. These include Arsenal FC Emirates stadium who became the first premiere league football club to install a Changing Places as well as the very first Tesco Supermarket in Stourbridge.

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