

This guide is meant to help the therapist differentiate between Jay cushions. It is not a prescriptive tool. Please use this guide along with clinical reasoning to select the most appropriate cushion for an individual client. Refer to www.sunrisemedical.ca for additional detailed information regarding Jay cushions.

Questions to consider when choosing a Jay cushion:

1 – Skin Protection

2 – Positioning

What level of skin protection is required?

What level of positioning is required?

1	Low risk for skin breakdown		Low to Moderate risk for skin breakdown		Moderate to High risk for skin breakdown		High risk for skin breakdown	
	2	No positioning needs	Some positioning needs	Mild to Moderate positioning needs	Moderate to maximal positioning needs	Mild to Moderate positioning needs	Moderate to maximal positioning needs	Mild to Moderate positioning needs
	Consider: • Basic	Consider: • Soft Combi P	Consider: • Ion^a • Go • Lite • Gel • Duo • Easy	Consider: • Lite P^b • Care (for fixed posterior pelvic tilt)	Consider: • Union^a • Solution^a • Active • Xtreme	Consider: • Fusion^c	Consider: • Fusion • J3^{bc} • J2^{bc} • J2DC^{bc} • J2 Recline^{bc} • J2 Plus^{bc}	Consider: • J3 P^{bcd} • J2 P^{bc} • J2 DC^{bc} • Fusion^c

a = These cushions can be modified at the factory for improved positioning. Possible modifications include: leg length cut, contracture cut, medial support cut, scrotal cut, and increased lateral support.

b = In addition to a contoured foam base for positioning, these cushions can have positioning pieces added for off-the-shelf customization in the field. Positioning pieces include: lateral pelvic support/hip guides, medial thigh support, lateral thigh support. The closed cell foam base for these cushions can be carved in the field to accommodate fixed deformities (e.g. leg length discrepancy, hip contracture trough). These modifications can also be done at the factory level.

c = Customization of the fluid can be requested at the factory level (e.g. overfill/underfill; obliquity overfill/underfill).

d = Supplemental fluid pads can be used with the field variable PLA insert for off-the-shelf customization in the field.

Note: Commonly requested cushion customizations are listed on the order forms for each cushion. Further customization can be requested by contacting Sunrise Medical Built For Me.

Please visit www.clinical-corner.com for more clinical resources.