

## **Comfort, nursing care and ultra-low beds at REHACARE in Düsseldorf**

# **bock presents its newest beds for nursing care and at home**

**Verl, 28 September 2016** – At the specialist trade fair, REHACARE 2016, Hermann Bock GmbH ([www.bock.net](http://www.bock.net)) will be covering the spectrum between nursing care environments and home. From 28 September to 1 October 2016, bock is presenting its beds for all living situations in Düsseldorf. This ranges from electrically adjustable comfort beds for the home to rehabilitation beds for domestic nursing care to innovative ultra-low beds as they are used in modern nursing care facilities. With the help of live demonstrations at booth E25 in hall 5, specialist retailers, end users and caregivers will find out which functions modern beds can provide to assist patients in everyday life.

### **Lying and sitting luxuriously: the comfort bed combiflex fc**

With the comfort bed combiflex fc, bock is making modern bed technology accessible to private customers with high demands. This bed combines high-tech functionality with high-quality woods and elegant extras such as headboards upholstered in leather. There is a good reason why people call the beds' electrically adjustable settings "comfort positions": Even healthy users will soon appreciate the particular comfort and functionality of this bed. The combiflex fc is targeted toward long-term use and remains flexible at all times: In the event of later care needs, it can be converted into a nursing care bed.

### **Comfort for healthcare supply stores: domiflex 2 with Push-and-Ready**

At REHACARE, bock is presenting the domiflex 2 with Push-and-Ready technology for domestic nursing care. This bed was developed together with medical and home healthcare supply stores and can be set up or dismantled by a technician without tools in less than five minutes thanks to its innovative connection technology. This means that the domiflex 2 is ideally suited to the demands of the practice, as the periods of time in which nursing care beds remain on site are becoming shorter and shorter.

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“The goal of our development partners from medical and home healthcare supply stores was not simply a more affordable purchase price, but rather lower costs over the course of the bed’s entire lifespan,” Bock Sales Manager Martin Mühlenkord explains. This included, among other things, their instructions to avoid “loose” parts so that there are no screws that can be lost when the bed is repeatedly set up and taken down. For this purpose, Hermann Bock GmbH has developed the new, tool-less Push-and-Ready connection technique – and, in doing so, simplified the safety controls too. “Looked at over the long term, the new domiflex 2 with Push-and-Ready technique performs significantly better than all comparable beds,” says Martin Mühlenkord.

### **Live demonstration: practico ultra-low 9.5/80 and dino children’s nursing care bed**

Up until now, ultra-low beds have been primarily associated with the field of residential or institutional nursing care. In comparison to low beds, which have been more familiar for longer, this bed category is characterised by a lying surface that can be lowered particularly low to the ground, to a level of approx. 9.5 cm. This lying position protects occupants from falls and their consequences and promotes active mobility. This means that it is not just easier to leave the bed, but also to get back into the bed self-sufficiently. Using the auto-stop function, occupants and care givers can independently set conventional access positions of between 9.5 cm and 37.5 cm and also raise the lying surface to an ergonomic working level of 80 cm.

The practico ultra-low 9.5/80 and the recently developed dino nursing care bed for children and adolescents, which Bock is also presenting at REHACARE, are making the ultra-low bed product category available for domestic nursing care for the first time. The dino can be lowered almost to the floor, so that young patients can experience independent mobility in a safe and accessible environment. For this reason, the bedframe can be opened up along its entire length.

At REHACARE, Bock is also presenting its beds for all living situations in action. Nursing care trainer Sandra Skala will be giving a practical

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demonstration on how to handle the new beds at the bock booth E25 in hall 5. She will give both end users and caregivers tips on protecting their backs when handling the beds, explain how the beds can be used comfortably and how they can help to maintain and promote occupants' independence.

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***Caption (160928\_combiflex-fc.jpg)***

Comfort bed with additional functions: The combiflex fc fits in with your individual living environment – and can also be converted into a nursing care bed at a later point just in case.

***Caption (160928\_domiflex2-Push-and-Ready.jpg)***

The most cost-efficient nursing care bed of its class throughout its lifespan: the domiflex 2 with Push-and-Ready connection technology by Hermann Bock GmbH.

***Caption (160928\_practico ultraniedrig.jpg)***

The lying position of the practico ultra-low 9.5/80, close to the floor at only 9.5 cm, provides restless patients with safety – without imposing any restrictive measures.

***Caption (160914\_dino\_kinderpflegebett.jpg)***

The new dino nursing care bed for children can be lowered almost to the floor, letting young patients experience independent mobility in a safe, accessible environment.

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