

GOLDAIR

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## Electric Blanket

### Operating Instructions



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#### 3 Heat Settings

Select your level of warmth



#### Fixed Controller

For heat control



#### Tie Down Design

With hand washable polyester fabric



Models: GST Series Electric Blankets

# General Care and Safety Guide

**Thank you for choosing a Goldair Select Electric Blanket. This Electric Blanket has been designed and manufactured to high standards of engineering and with proper use and care, as described in this leaflet, will give you years of useful service. Please read these instructions carefully.**

1. Use only the voltage specified on the rating label of the Electric Blanket.
2. It is recommended that this Electric Blanket is plugged directly into the wall socket. Power boards are not rated to supply power to high wattage appliances.
3. A correctly specified, undamaged extension cord may be used with this Electric Blanket provided it is used in a safe manner.
4. Do not operate this Electric Blanket with a damaged cord, plug or after the Electric Blanket malfunctions in any manner. Return to a qualified electrical person for examination, electrical service or repair.
5. This Electric Blanket is intended for household use only and not for commercial or industrial use.
6. Use this Electric Blanket only as described in this manual. Any other use is not recommended by the manufacturer and may cause fire, electrical shock or injury.
7. Do not operate with cord set coiled up as a heat build up is likely, which could be sufficient to become a hazard.
8. Do not use heavy or dense over blankets as they may lead to overheating of the Electric Blanket.
9. Do not trap, wrap or fold cords between bed slats, mattress, or springs, or against walls, headboards or bed frame as this may cause damage to the cord.
10. Carry out regular checks of the supply cord to ensure no damage is evident.
11. Do not pinch, flex, or expose the heating wire. Damaged heating wire may cause a fire hazard or personal injury.
12. Do not use the Electric Blanket on a bed used by an infant, incapacitated person, paraplegic, quadriplegic, diabetic, or by any person insensitive to heat or other vulnerable persons who are unable to react to overheating.
13. This Electric Blanket is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they are supervised or have been given instruction concerning the use of the Electric Blanket by a person responsible for their safety.
14. This product is not intended for medical use in hospitals.
15. The power cord must be routed to the head of the bed to prevent being sat on or rolled on when getting in and out of the bed.
16. Do not place power cord under carpet or cover with rugs or furniture. Arrange the cord so it cannot be tripped over.
17. Do not use this product on a damp mattress or on a water bed.
18. If you find any damage to your Electric Blanket, if your Electric Blanket does not work, or is not working properly, contact the place of purchase or the Goldair Customer Services Team.
19. Repair work on the Electric Blanket by unqualified persons can cause serious risk to the user. Only use a qualified electrician.
20. There are no user serviceable parts installed in the Electric Blanket.
21. Do not use on an adjustable bed.
22. Turn off the Electric Blanket and disconnect the power cord when not in use.
23. Ensure hands are dry before handling the plug or controls.
24. Do not dry clean the Electric Blanket. Do not use bleach or harsh cleaning fluids as the cleaning liquid may damage the insulation of the heating element.
25. Do not use any pins, needles, safety pins or other sharp items on your Electric Blanket as they will damage the electric wiring.
26. Keep all dogs, cats, and other pets away from the Electric Blanket.
27. Never use the Electric Blanket to dry clothes.
28. Do not tuck in the Electric Blanket as this may cause over heating and/or fire.
29. The Electric Blanket can be used only with the Electric Blanket control provided by the manufacturer. Any other Electric Blanket control may cause overheating and/or fire.
30. Indoor use only.
31. Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the Electric Blanket.
32. Do not unplug the product by the power cord while in use. Always turn the power off at the power outlet before you remove the plug. Remove by grasping the plug; do not pull on the cord.
33. Never sleep with the blanket on in a heat position.
34. The blanket must not be powered on when folded. Always ensure the blanket is laid flat without kinks or overlaps.

**YOUR SAFETY IS IMPORTANT TO US. PLEASE ENSURE YOU TAKE NOTE OF THE INSTRUCTIONS AND WARNINGS OUTLINED IN THIS MANUAL.**

# Overview of your Electric Blanket

Your Goldair Select Electric Blanket is equipped with a 3 Heat Control. Two controls are supplied with the Double/Queen Size Electric Blankets.

**Important instructions: Retain for future use.**

## BEFORE FIRST USE

**NOTE: This is electric blanket is to only be used as an under blanket**

Before using your Electric Blanket for the first time:

- 1) The Electric Blanket needs to be unfolded and laid flat before switching on.
- 2) We recommend that you switch your Electric Blanket to the maximum setting for two to three hours before bedtime then reduce to your desired heat setting 15 minutes before getting into bed, **must be switched Off prior to sleeping.**

## EVERYDAY USE

With normal use your Electric Blanket will require 15 minutes of preheating before bedtime.

**IMPORTANT:** Your Electric Blanket is designed to pre-heat your bed. **Never sleep with Electric Blanket turned on.**

**NOTE:** When lying on the Blanket some people may experience a tingling sensation whether alone or when touching someone else lying on the Blanket.

This “tingling sensation” is known as an electric field effect and caused by the current flowing through the elements creating an Electromagnetic Field (EMF). Some people may be more sensitive to feeling the EMF tingling sensation than others. It is known to occur across all makes and models.

This is no cause for concern and is in no way an electric shock.

**NOTE:** Children under the age of 3 are not to use this appliance due to their inability to react to heat.

**NOTE:** This appliance is not to be used by young children over the age of 3 unless the controls have been pre-set by a parent or guardian, or unless the child has been adequately instructed on how to operate the controls safely.



## 3 HEAT CONTROL

The control features a rotary switch to adjust the heat setting.

- 1) Low, gentle heat
- 2) Medium Heat
- 3) High Heat

## STORING YOUR ELECTRIC BLANKET

Always allow the Electric Blanket to cool before folding and storing. Your Electric Blanket can remain on the bed all year round as a comfortable under-blanket. Simply remove the controls and store until Winter. If you wish to remove the Electric Blanket from your bed when not in use, roll or fold it loosely and store in a blanket bag or the bag it was supplied in. Avoid creating sharp creases in the Electric Blanket; for example do not store it under other items that may result in bending the wires of the Electric Blanket.



**Not to be used by very young children (0-3 years)**

# Fitting your Electric Blanket

## FITTING YOUR GOLDAIR TIE DOWN ELECTRIC BLANKET (GST Model)

Place the Electric Blanket onto the mattress with the controller/s at the HEAD END but towards the foot end of the bed.

The control switches should be below the Electric Blanket at the head end.

Unroll the tie tapes and pass the tapes under the bed as shown in the diagrams below.

Ensure the heating wires do not extend under pillows or hang over the sides. Pass the middle tie cord under the mattress and through the middle loop on the opposite side (Fig.1).

Pass end of tie tape under the corresponding bottom corner of the mattress (Fig. 2) up through the centre loop of blanket (Fig. 3) and down under opposite corner of mattress and then through side loop on opposite side of the blanket (Fig 4).

Repeat this process at the other end (Fig. 5).

Fig. 1

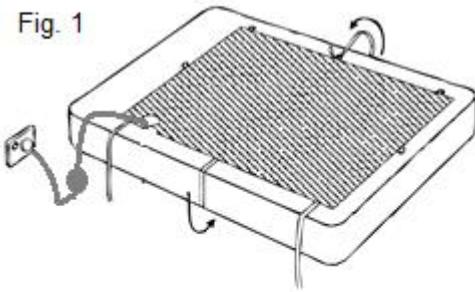


Fig. 2

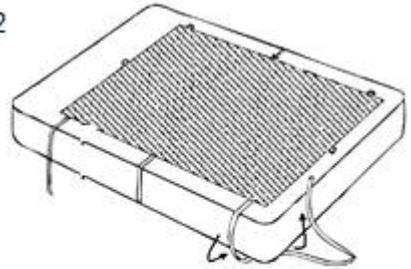


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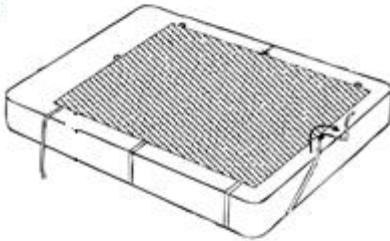


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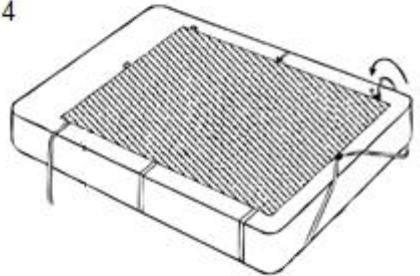


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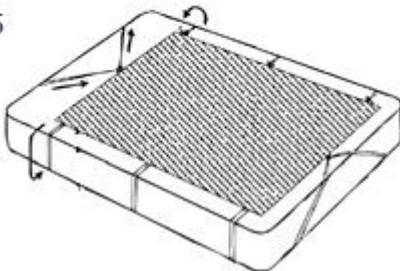
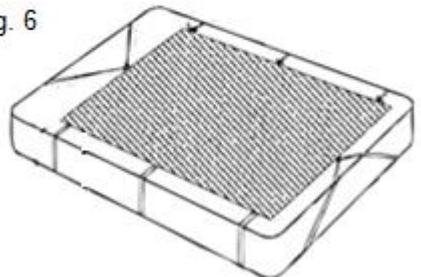


Fig. 6



# Care and Cleaning

Taking care of your Electric Blanket is easy and safe as long as you follow the steps outlined below:



**DO NOT DRY CLEAN**



**DO NOT IRON**



**DO NOT BLEACH**

- DO NOT use a wringer.
- DO NOT turn on the Electric Blanket until it is completely dry.
- DO NOT use mothballs or sprays of any kind.

## SPOT CLEANING

- Unplug and remove the controls to the Electric Blanket.
- Wet sponge the affected area using a mild soap and lukewarm water solution. Ensure the water temperature is less than 30°C.
- Gently sponge the affected area with clean water.
- Use a neutral coloured towel to absorb excess water.

## PROOF OF PURCHASE

To receive warranty retain receipt as proof of purchase. (Refer to back of booklet).

## HAND WASHING

For blankets with fixed controllers, the controller or switch must not be allowed to get wet during washing.



Fold and presoak the Electric Blanket for 15 minutes in a mild soap and lukewarm water solution. Ensure the water temperature is less than 30°C.

- Gently squeeze the soap suds through for a few minutes.
- Rinse in fresh lukewarm water.

## AIR DRYING

- Gently stretch the Electric Blanket to its original size.
- Air dry over a clothes line or shower rod. (DO NOT use clothes pegs or clips of any kind).
- For blankets with fixed controllers, ensure the cord is positioned so that water cannot flow into the controller or switch.
- DO NOT use the Electric Blanket until it is completely dry.

## DO NOT USE IF MOIST OR WET

### TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

Supply: 220-240VAC 50Hz  
Wattage: 40W GST-SS  
Wattage: 60W GST-Q (x2)

### SUPPORT AND TECHNICAL ADVICE

#### Goldair Select – New Zealand

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## Two Year Warranty

Thank you for purchasing this Goldair Select product. Your product is warranted against faults and manufacture when used in normal domestic use for a period of **two years**. In non-domestic use Goldair limits the voluntary warranty to **three months**.

Goldair undertake to repair or replace this product at no charge if found to be defective due to a manufacturing fault during the warranty period.

This warranty excludes damage caused by misuse, neglect, shipping accident, incorrect installation, or work carried out by anyone other than a qualified electrical service technician.

PLEASE KEEP YOUR RECEIPT AS THIS WILL HELP VERIFY YOUR WARRANTY.

The benefits given to you by this warranty are in addition to other rights and remedies available to you under law in relation to the goods or services to which this warranty relates.

In Australia, our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Australian Consumer Law. You are entitled to a replacement or refund for a major failure and compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage. You are also entitled to have the goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be of acceptable quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure.

In New Zealand this warranty is additional to the conditions and guarantees of the Consumers Guarantee Act (1993).

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### Goldair Select Two Year Warranty (IMPORTANT: Please complete and retain this warranty card)

Name

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Place Of Purchase

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Date Of Purchase

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Name Of Product

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Model Number

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Attach a copy of the purchase receipt to this warranty card

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