



Integral Shading And Privacy Solutions

Ideal for use in all
Healthcare Applications



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A reputation for excellence



BetweenGlassBlinds™ are an innovative integral blind system, offering maintenance-free and customisable observation control doors and windows for virtually any application.

Stylish and contemporary in appearance, BetweenGlassBlinds™ are double-glazed units, complete with fully integrated Venetian blinds, hermetically sealed between two panes of glass. They are simple to maintain, as the blinds contained within the sealed unit are safe from moisture, dust, dirt and odours. The system is also totally free of any external cords or wires, making them ideally suited to environments where ligature may be a concern.

Exceptionally user friendly, the discreet system is perfect for observation areas in hospitals, care homes and other facilities. They allow an open plan feel to be achieved whilst ensuring shade and privacy are still possible when needed.

BetweenGlassBlinds™ standard units are 28mm thick when glazed, with 4mm glass either side of the 20mm spacer bar. They are available in any size up to 2500mm high and 2000mm wide. Height and width restrictions may apply.

All units are cordless, and operated via either a smooth easy-to-use sliding magnet, or by a battery-run or hardwired motor. Please go to our products pages for further details on each system.

A full range of colour and glazing options such as fire rated, low-E and noise reduction are available.



All BGB units come with a full 10-year warranty on the double glazed unit, 5-year warranty on the magnetic operation and 2-year warranty on the motorised blinds. Panels are filled with Argon, CE marked and tested and compliant to BSEN 1279, parts 1-6.

For secure-care environments, please read our specialist Anti-Ligature Thumb Turn product page overleaf.

Manual Magnetic Blinds



BetweenGlassBlinds™ offer a versatile and contemporary means of privacy and shading, melding essential functionality with a less institutional look and feel.

Perfect for facilities where patient safety is paramount, our totally cordless system is operated via sliding magnetic blocks. These user friendly and unobtrusive controls are located around the perimeter of the unit.

The full lifting operation happening in one slick and easy motion while the tilt function allows staff to set the levels of vision and light to resident specifications. Optional dual-control functionality is available, allowing resident privacy and dignity to be preserved.

The hermetically sealed, double-glazed panels are maintenance-free, reducing costs, as well as providing protection from moisture, odours and damage.



- Anti-ligature – totally cordless manual operation (for internal use only).
- No upkeep necessary - hermetically sealed double-glazed panels protect blinds completely.
- Optional Dual control function (blinds can be operated from both sides).
- Available in sizes up to 2500mm high and 2000mm wide. (Please note, width and height restrictions can apply).
- Full range of glazing options including solar shading, low E, fire rated, noise reduction and anti-bandit glass.
- Standard units are 28mm thick when glazed, with 4mm glass either side of the 20mm spacer bar.
- Available in 9 colours (see back page).
- Manufactured in accordance with all parts BSEN 1279 and have full CE accreditation.

Motorised - Battery Powered

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BetweenGlassBlinds are also available in motorised units, ranging from battery-powered blinds to hard-wired multifunctional systems. Both options are user-friendly and allow instantaneous shading or privacy at the push of a button.

As with the magnetic blinds, the motorised units are hermetically sealed and double-glazed, meaning they help control infection, as the blinds are protected from any external emissions. To ensure noise is kept to a minimum, the motors powering the blinds are concealed within the head rail.

Our wireless motorized blinds are controlled via a rechargeable lithium battery pack. This can be attached magnetically to either the glass surface or the frame. Installation is quick and easy, with no unsightly wires to spot. The blinds can be operated via buttons on the battery pack, or at a distance with a remote control.

Our hard-wired option can be activated by a simple switch plate, or programmed to interface with most smart automation systems. For the ultimate in usability, the blinds can be controlled individually or in groups of up to 12.



- Anti-ligature – totally cordless manual operation (for internal use only).
- Maintenance Free - hermetically sealed double-glazed panels protect blinds from moisture, dust and damage.
- Simple up/down button functionality. Holding the button operates the tilt.
- Choose from Venetian, pleated, Duet Filtering or Duet Darkening blinds. Available in 10 colours (see back page).
- Solar panels can be provided to extend battery power.
- Available in sizes up to 2800mm high and 2500mm wide. (Please note, width and height restrictions can apply).
- Full range of glazing options including solar shading, low E, fire rated and noise reduction.
- Standard units are 28mm thick when glazed, with 4mm glass either side of the 20mm spacer bar.

Anti-Ligature Thumb Turn



The treatment of patients is the primary concern for secure-care and mental health facility staff. BetweenGlassBlinds Anti-Ligature Thumb Turn units provide large-scale observation, along with privacy and shading, without any risk.

Traditional vision panels can feel institutional, and are limited in size by the weight of the central panel of glass. Magnetically operated tilt-only integral blinds are the optimal alternative but can be unsuitable for some secure environments.

The BGB Anti Ligature Thumb Turn is the perfect solution. The unit is easy to install, simple to operate, and available in large sizes. It's tamper-proof, fully anti-ligature, and is on a continuous drive, so cannot be snapped or forced.

The units come with our impact tested toughened glass in thicknesses up to 19mm, making it ideal for security and fire rated placements, as well as increased acoustics.

It also benefits from the same stylish and contemporary finish as the rest of the BetweenGlassBlinds range.



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The Hillingdon Hospital, London Case Study



Client // MTX Contracts Ltd / Bridgman IBC
Name // Hillingdon Hospitals NHS Trust
Type of Build // New Build
Location // Hillingdon, Greater London

Products installed //
Vistamatic & BGB Integral Blinds

Introduction

Modular buildings are increasingly being used by healthcare Trusts to provide facilities in shorter time scales.

With the lack of ward and bed space continuing to hamper the NHS's ability to meet the government's targets, modular buildings with their quick turnaround time, offer the perfect solution.



Today's modular ward accommodation can be bespoke built to the highest user requirements.

Vistamatic and BetweenGlassBlinds, with their reputation for quality, durability and ease-of use are the perfect choice for privacy solutions.

The Project

A new 28 bed decant ward was required for the Hillingdon Hospital, an acute and specialist services provider in North West London, close to Heathrow Airport.

The build included six 4 bed wards, four HDU single bedrooms, a nurse base, offices, an interview room and clinical stores.

BetweenGlassBlinds

BetweenGlassBlinds were specified for the build and supplied the project with 33 integral blind sets. For nine of the installations, FD60 requirements were met; and an additional 24 non-fire rated units were also supplied.



No Strings Attached

Stylish and safe design with no external cords.

Completely Maintenance Free - protected from damage and dust.

Comes with a full 10 year warranty on the double glazed unit, 5 year warranty on the magnetic operation and 2 year warranty on the motorised blind.

Ideal for sliding and bifold doors.

Magnetic Blind Colours



Motorised Blind Colours



Venetian blind colours are representational only and these can be affected by your chosen glazing options.

Note: Colours and RAL numbers are representational only, please contact us for further information and to request a colour swatch.



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