

## 2. Care Standard & DDA Compliant Bedroom Locksets

### Planning for Accessibility

The Disability Discrimination Act 1995 (DDA) requires service providers to make 'reasonable adjustments' to their premises to allow access and use by the public & disabled. With reference to door furniture for new builds, particular attention must be paid to colour and tonal contrast between doors and ironmongery and ease of use of ironmongery. Certain colour combinations and lock types may fall foul of this act as they would make it difficult for visually impaired people to find door handles and to effectively use them - the distance between the lever and lock is approx 72mm as opposed to 48mm allowing it to be more easily reached & gripped.

Identified are a selection of DDA, Care Standard and Fire Service compliant locks sets available.

- ◆ Meets Care Standard requirements for **privacy, security & access in the event of an emergency.**
- ◆ Meets Fire Service requirement for Single mechanical operation for egress/exit\*
- ◆ Suitable for all capability users
- ◆ Internal thumbturn for privacy
- ◆ External key operation for security and access
- ◆ Under Master Key System

\*Single mechanical operation for egress/exit - In the event that the deadbolt is engaged, to exit room, deadbolt and latch withdrawn simultaneously by push down of inside lever handle.

Care Compliant Bedroom Lockset comprises of:

- ◆ Lever Handles Set
- ◆ Escape mortice lock, fittings & escutcheons
- ◆ 70mm cylinder (Key & Thumbturn) w/two keys under master key

Plus Masterkey (2 keys recommended as minimum)

Matching latch, lock, bathroom furniture available

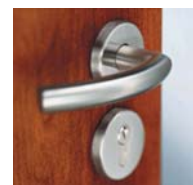
**Extended thumb turn and key for the less abled**



08-1050AL-19mm  
08-1050GA-19mm  
08-1055AL-22mm



08-1050  $\phi$  19mm  
08-1055  $\phi$  22mm  
available in RAL colours



08-1060  $\phi$  21mm