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Cleverly Disguised As a Member Of the Household

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ACCOMMODATING overnight guests can be a problem, especially in cramped quarters. But new sleeper sofas offer a more contemporary and comfortable alternative to the older convertible models. Hidden inside these modern pieces are beds without the traditional center support that tended to jab sleepers in the back.

1. A steel frame and plywood slats support the foam mattress of Ligne Roset's Everynight, which opens to a 63-by-85 1/2-inch bed; starting at \$3,105 from (800) 297-6738 or ligne-rosetusia.com.

2. Doc, a modern sofa with a removable cover, converts into bunk beds with a built-in ladder; \$5,950 as shown

New convertible beds combine contemporary style with, aah, comfort.

(or \$4,995 to \$7,425, depending on fabric) at Resource Furniture, 969 Third Avenue (58th Street), (212) 753-2039 or resourcefurniture.com. (The same manufacturer has a collection of other space-saving pieces, including sofas with hidden pull-down beds and desk units that convert to beds.)

3. The Milan Zzz Fu-Chest looks like a tall cupboard when closed, but opens to reveal a bed nearly 5 feet wide and 77 inches long; \$1,349 in espresso (shown) or natural birch from (800) 939-3299 or abchomestore.com.

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5. Miss comes in three sizes and a variety of materials, and has arms that fold down to accommodate overnight guests; \$7,800 as shown, at Dune, 88 Franklin Street (Church Street), (212) 925-6171 or duneliving.com.

