URGENT MEDICAL DEVICE CORRECTION
Datascope Intra-Aortic Balloon Pumps (IABP)
Battery Usage, Charging, Maintenance and Storage Instructions

AFFECTED PRODUCT | PART NUMBER | DISTRIBUTION DATE
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Cardiosave Hybrid IABP | All | All
Cardiosave Rescue IABP | All | All
CS300 IABP | All | All
CS100 IABP | All | All

PLEASE FORWARD THIS INFORMATION TO ALL CURRENT AND POTENTIAL CARDIOSAVE HYBRID, CARDIOSAVE RESCUE, CS300 and CS100 INTRA-AORTIC BALLOON PUMP (IABP) USERS WITHIN YOUR FACILITY.

IF YOU ARE A DISTRIBUTOR WHO HAS SHIPPED ANY AFFECTED PRODUCTS TO CUSTOMERS, PLEASE FORWARD THIS DOCUMENT TO THEIR ATTENTION FOR APPROPRIATE ACTION.

Dear Customer,

This is to notify you that the Datascope IABP devices(s) (Cardiosave Hybrid IABP, Cardiosave Rescue IABP, CS300 IABP and CS100 IABP) your facility may have received from Getinge are part of a field correction initiated May 16, 2019. This field correction is being conducted to ensure that all IABP users follow each device’s Operating Instructions Manual for recommendations on usage, charging, maintenance and storage of the batteries, as battery run times and discharge cycles vary between IABP models. If battery maintenance is not performed per the Operating Instructions Manual for each IABP, the battery may provide less than the expected minimum run time of operating power per battery.

There have been six patient deaths reported since March 2016, although the deaths cannot be definitively attributed to the device shutting down while operating on battery power.

There is patient risk of hemodynamic instability due to sudden interruption or temporary suspension of therapy. In patients with mild to moderate hemodynamic compromise, inotropic agents can provide sufficient hemodynamic support while the unit is reconnected to an AC source or alternative therapy is initiated. Therefore, an interruption of the therapy would be unlikely to lead to a life-threatening situation. However, in critical patients with severely compromised hemodynamic function dependent on continuous circulatory support, an interruption or delay in IAB support as a result of an unexpected shutdown or failure to initiate therapy can occasionally/likely have more severe consequences that can be life threatening.

Immediate Interim actions to be taken by User:

• Ensure the IABP is plugged into an AC power outlet whenever possible during patient use to prevent the battery from depleting.

• Ensure the IABP is plugged into an AC power outlet when the system is not in use. The batteries should be kept at a full charge even when the IABP is not in use.

• When transporting patients within or between facilities, please refer to the IABP Operating Instructions Manual for recommendations on portable/battery operation. For example:
  • Prior to portable operation, the battery should be fully charged
• For Cardiosave Rescue and Cardiosave Hybrid only:
  • Additional charged batteries should be on hand during transport
  • Ensure the batteries are properly seated in the battery compartment/charger and the IABP
    Console is completely seated/secured into the IABP Cart
  • For Cardiosave Hybrid, you can verify if the Console is completely seated in the IABP
    cart by the indicator on the display:

  • Check battery run time and replace batteries as required, as recommended in each IABPs Operating
    Instructions Manual. A reduction in run time can occur over a battery's life for reasons such as age, storage
    temperature and discharge depth. Batteries should be replaced:
      • After reaching the maximum number of charge-discharge cycles
      • When the battery provides less than the minimum specified run time
      • If the battery is broken, cracked, leaking or damaged
      • When the labeled lifetime of the battery is reached

  NOTE: Batteries for the Cardiosave Hybrid and Cardiosave Rescue IABPs should be replaced immediately
  if older than 4 years as the labeled lifetime for these batteries is 4 years. Replacement batteries can be
  ordered through your sales or service representative.

  NOTE: CS100/CS300: Informational messages on the display screen provide information to the operator
  regarding the batteries. The Battery Maintenance Required message indicates that the IABP internal
  battery requires maintenance. The Battery test due date or Battery Replacement Date predate the current
  system date at startup or the internal battery has a total accumulated discharge time in excess of 100 total
  discharge cycles.

  For all replacement batteries, ensure only Datascope approved/sourced batteries are installed/used.

In case of a sudden shutdown of an IABP such as battery depletion is related to the static condition (no inflating
or deflating) of the balloon during the interruption of therapy, it is important to note the following WARNING in
the Operating Instructions for all Datascope IABPs:

WARNING: The patient balloon should not remain inactive in the patient (i.e., no inflating or deflating) for more
than 30 minutes, due to the potential for thrombus formation.

In the unlikely event that this situation was to occur, transfer the patient to an alternative Datascope IABP. If an
alternative Datascope IABP is unavailable; manually inflate the IAB with air or helium and immediately aspirate.
Please refer to the IAB Instructions for Use, Manually Inflating and Deflating a Catheter. The IAB Instructions
for Use reiterates that a catheter should not remain inactive for more than 30 minutes, due to the potential for
thrombus formation. Alternatively, the IAB could be removed.
To support our customers in this field correction, Getinge has developed a battery operations, care and maintenance reference guide specific to the IABP(s) based on the Operating Instructions Manual(s) provided with each device. These guides are available by accessing the link provided below:

info.getinge.com/ca-batteryguides

A hard copy of the guides are available upon request by contacting your local Sales and Service Representative.

Additional Actions - Cardiosave Hybrid IABP, Cardiosave Rescue IABP:

- Getinge is currently developing a Cardiosave battery maintenance software upgrade targeted for release Q4 2021. This updated software requires FDA clearance and once completed, a Getinge Service representative will contact you to schedule the installation of the updated software. This work will be done at no cost to your facility.
- NOTE: A similar software upgrade was released for the CS300 IABP and CS100 IABP in 2017. If you are unsure whether your IABP has been updated with the released software upgrade, please contact your Getinge Sales & Service Office with the Model and Serial number of the IABP. The Sales & Service Office will determine if the IABP software has been updated.

This Medical Device Correction is being made with the knowledge of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

Adverse reactions or quality problems experienced with the use of this product may be reported to the FDA’s MedWatch Adverse Event Reporting program either online, by regular mail or by fax.
  - Online: https://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/medwatch/
  - Regular Mail: Download form www.fda.gov/MedWatch/getforms.htm or call 1-800-332-1088 to request a reporting form, then complete and return to the address on the pre-addressed form
  - Fax: 1-800-FDA-0178

Maquet/Datascope apologizes for any inconvenience you may experience as a result of this Medical Device Correction. For technical questions, please contact Technical Support Department (at 1-888-943-8872, options 4, 2, 1), Monday through Friday, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. EST.

Thank you for your cooperation and immediate assistance.

Sincerely,

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