

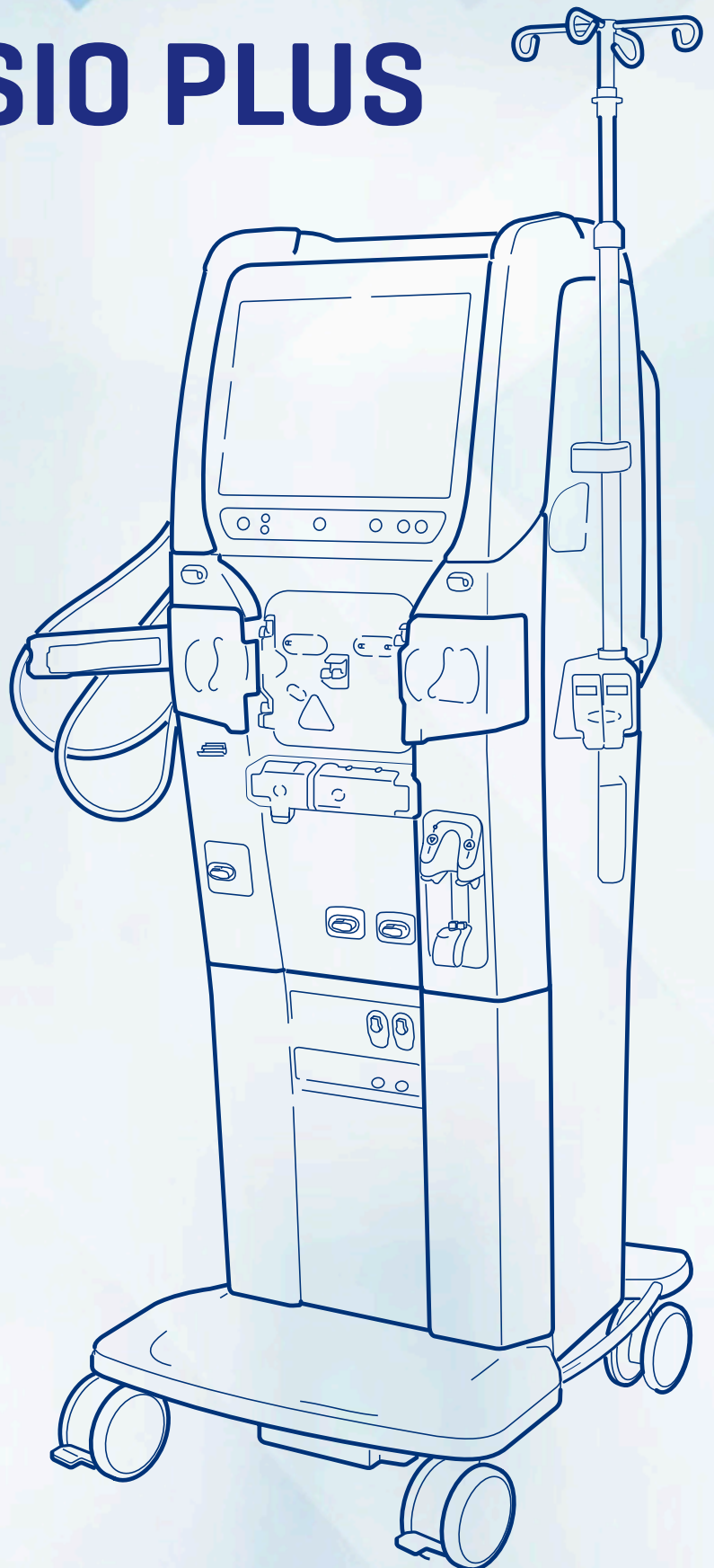
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Artis Physio Plus  
DIALYSIS SYSTEM

# How to use the **ARTIS PHYSIO PLUS**

Supporting material  
for the Student

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**Important Notice:**

This material includes information about the use of the Artis Physio Plus Dialysis System and is provided for facilitating purposes only.

This material shall be used conjointly with the Operator's Manual and the Quick Reference Guide (QRG). The information included in this material does not supersede the information included in the Operator's Manual and in the QRG.

This material does not relieve any user of the Artis Physio Plus Dialysis System from his or her duty to carefully read the full text of the Operator's Manual before using the System.

Reviewing this material does not replace the need for the user to receive the necessary training program before using the System.

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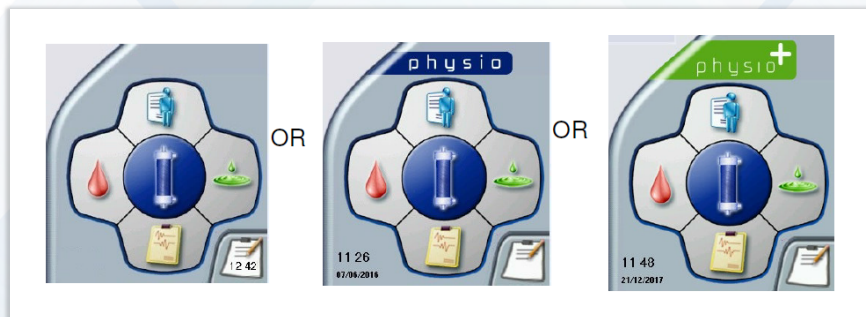
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## Chapter 1: Introduction and Preparation

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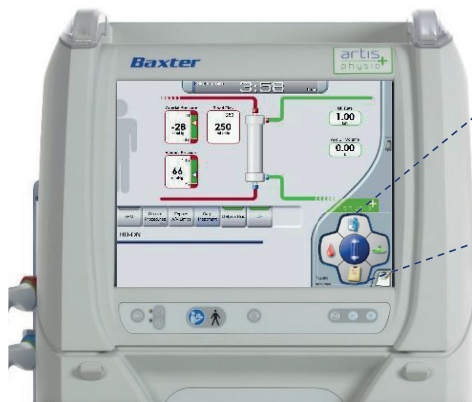
### Artis in Practice

- Touch screen
- Intuitive user interface
- **BiCart Select**
- Self-loading blood tubing systems
- EvaClean
- One touch priming
- Alarm status and support

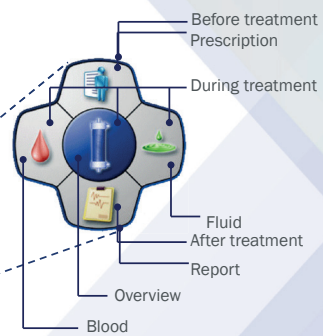


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### Intuitive User Interface



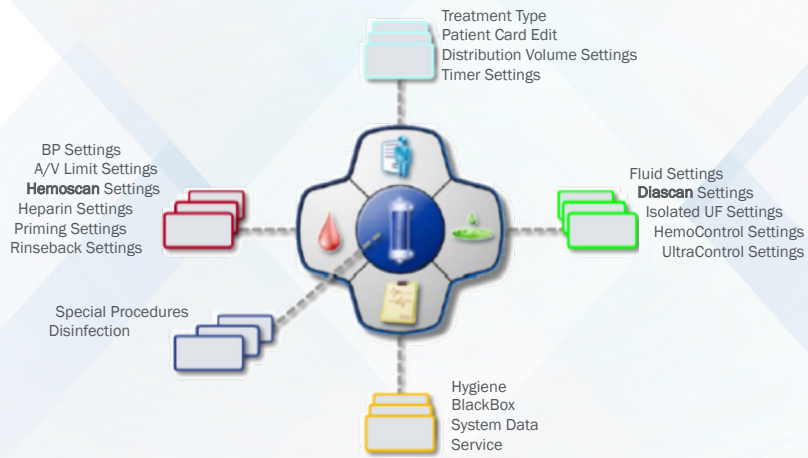
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# Sub-screens



Parameter	Value
Treatment Time	4:00 h:min
UF Volume	2.00 L
Temperature	37.0 °C
Dialysis Fluid Flow	500 mL/min
Sodium	140 mmol/L
Bicarbonate	34 mmol/L

**Function Check / Preparation**

- \* Open Sensor bar.
- \* Open Arterial pump cover to install cassette.



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**Parameter Value**

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**Activated Functions**

- Auto BPM
- Heparin Auto Start
- Diascan
- Hemocontrol
- Hemoscan
- Ultra Control

Patient ID: ---  
 Id: ---  
 Name: ---  
 Surname: ---

Treatment Type: HD - DN  
 Needle Mode: Double

Buttons: Pt. Card Edit, Distrib Vol Settings, Timer Settings

Waiting for Patient

Confirm patient prescription to proceed with patient connection.

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**BPM Settings**

BPM: Patient Position: Lying Measure Interval: 0:30 h:min

Alarm Limits:

Max Heart Rate: 120 pulse	Systolic Upper: 200 mmHg	Diastolic Upper: 100 mmHg
Min Heart Rate: 40 pulse	Systolic Lower: 90 mmHg	Diastolic Lower: 50 mmHg

Graph: (mmHg) Sys (red), Dia (blue), Pulse (green) (beat/min)

Buttons: Auto BPM, Close

Waiting for Patient

Confirm patient prescription to proceed with patient connection.

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**Blood Flow**: 320 mL/min  
 Accumulated Blood Volume: 15.9 L

**Venous Pressure**: 101 mmHg

**Arterial Pressure**: -72 mmHg

Graph: (mmHg) Venous (blue), Arterial (red)

Buttons: BPM Settings, A/V Limit Settings, Expand A/V Limits, Hemoscan Settings, Heparin Settings

HD-DN

\* Diascan measurement in progress.  
 \* Keep all parameters at current values.

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Real TX Time: 0:00 h:min  
 Acc UF Volume: 0.00 L  
 Acc On-line Bolus: - mL  
 Treatment Time: 4:00 h:min  
 UF Volume: 2.00 L  
 On-line Bolus Volume: 150 mL  
 UF Rate: 0.00 L/h

Graph: (mmHg) ●TMP vs (h) 00:00 to 04:00. Y-axis: -100 to 250. X-axis: 00:00 to 04:00 (h). Legend: ●TMP, ●UF Rate (L/h)

TMP Actual: 0 mmHg

Buttons: Fluid Settings, Isolated UF Settings, Diacarb Settings, Hemocontrol Settings

Autopriming progress bar

Priming in progress. Wait for Priming Completed message

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Fluid Settings

Concentrate Combination: BiCart + A Concentrate, Acid: C295/G295, BiCart: BiCart

Sodium: 140 mmol/L  
 Temperature: 37.0 °C  
 Dialysis Fluid Flow: 500 mL/min  
 TMP Upper Limit: 300 mmHg

Bicarbonate: 34 mmol/L  
 Conductivity: 14.09 mS/cm  
 TMP Actual: 0 mmHg

Close button

Autopriming progress bar

Priming in progress. Wait for Priming Completed message

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Time	08:11:33	08:11:35	08:15:17	08:18:30	08:21:20
Machine Event	Start Treatment	IUF Start	BPM Measurement	BPM Measurement	Snapshot
Treatment Time	h:min	4:00	4:00	3:57	3:54
Acc UF Volume	L	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.20
UF Rate	L/h	0.00	0.00	2.00	2.00
Blood Flow	mL/min	100	100	300	300
Arterial Pressure	mmHg	27	26	-51	-51
Venous Pressure	mmHg	42	41	53	51
TMP Set	mmHg	0	0	-34	-35

Automatic Events: 0:30 h:min, Enter Event

Buttons: Hygiene, Screen Cleaning, LCD Test, System Data, Blackbox

HD-DN - Isolated UF

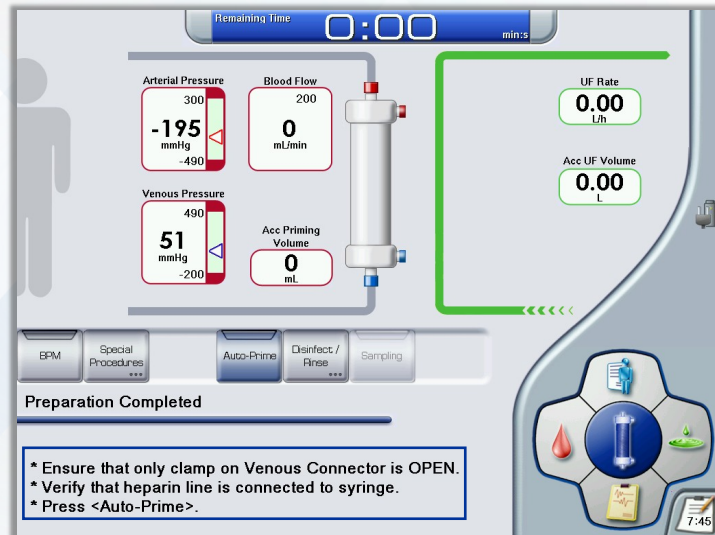
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## Operator Message Guidance



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## BiCart Select System

Concentrates are prepared on-line during treatment from the:

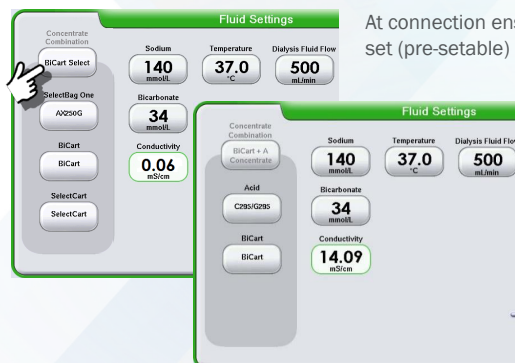
- The **BiCart** cartridge
- The **SelectCart** cartridge
- The **SelectBag One** container
- The **SelectBag Citrate** container



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## Concentrate Combinations



At connection ensure the correct concentrate combination is set (pre-setable)

- BiCart Select System
  - BiCart cartridge, SelectCart cartridge and SelectBag One container
  - BiCart cartridge, SelectCart cartridge and SelectBag Citrate container
- BiCart cartridge + A-concentrate
  - SoftPac container
  - Canister
  - Central distribution

After Preparation phase has started, it is no longer possible to change Concentrate Combination

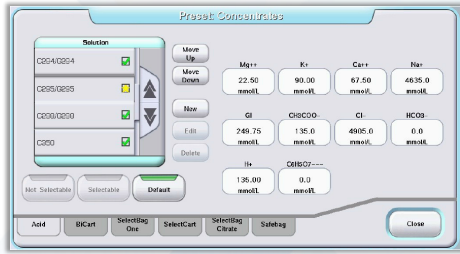
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## Compatibility with SoftPac



- New compatibility with SoftPac Citrate containers.
- New concentrate combinations are available for the preparation of Dialysis fluid in Bicarbonate mode using SoftPac Citrate containers.
- A fixed number of the SoftPac Citrate container codes have been added to the preset list.

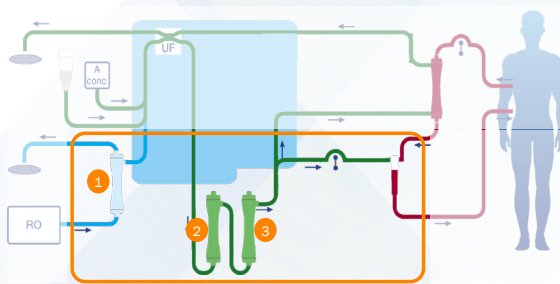
Preset: Concentrates sub-screen

Available SoftPac Citrate							
C140	C150 / G150	C165/ G165	C1540/ G1540	C1550/G1550	C1565/G1565	C1575/ G1575	C240/G240
C250/ G250	C265/G265	C275/ G275	C2540	C2550	C2565/ G2565	C340/ G340	C350/G350
C365/ G365	C375/ G375	C3540/ G3540	C3550	C3565	C450	C465	C2040/ G2040
C2050/ G2050	C2065/ G2065	C2075/G2075	C3050/ G3050	C3065/G3065			

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## Fluid Circuit | Treatment

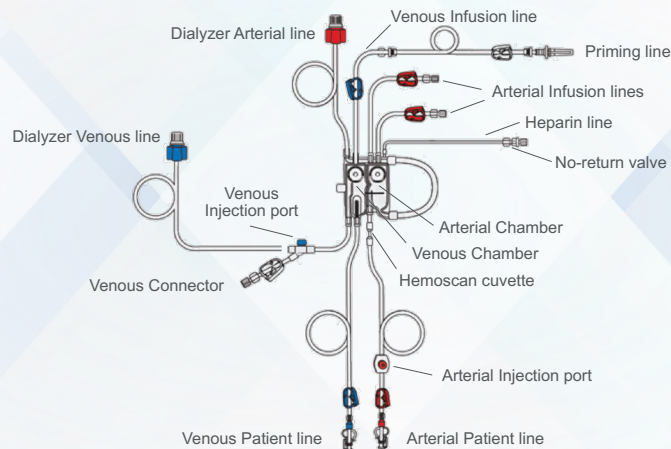


- Single pass fluid system
- Ultrafilters after water inlet and dialysis fluid mixing
- The third Ultrafilter for on-line treatments, previously included in the **ArtiSet** accessories, is now replaced by an internal Ultrafilter equal to the first two ones
- Clearance measurement after the dialyzer

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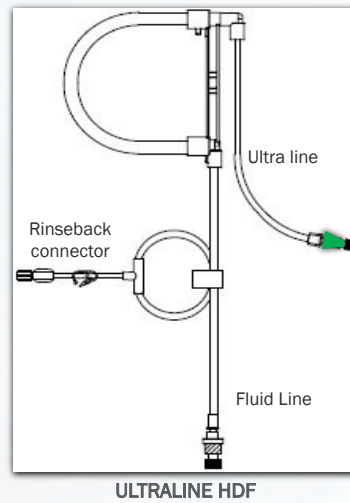
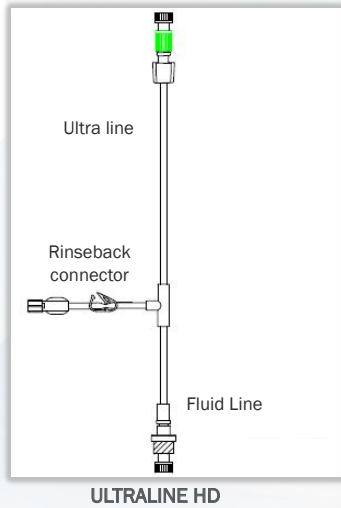
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## Accessories for On-line Treatments



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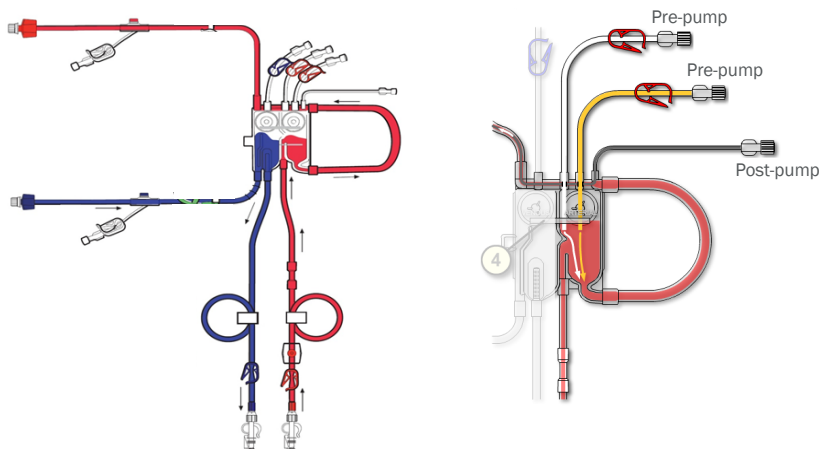
## Bloodlines & Accessories

THERAPY	ARTIS PHYSIO PLUS	
	ArtiSet	Accessory
HDF/HF-PRE HDF-POST	Artiset Pre-Post	ULTRALINE HDF Code: 955599
HDF-POST only	Artiset HD DNL HC or Artiset Pre-Post	ULTRALINE HDF Code: 955599
HD-DN with on-line Priming	Artiset HD DNL HC or Artiset Pre-Post	ULTRALINE HD Code: 955600
HD-SN with on-line Priming	Artiset HD SN HC	ULTRALINE HD Code: 955600

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## ArtiSet | Venous & Arterial Pathways



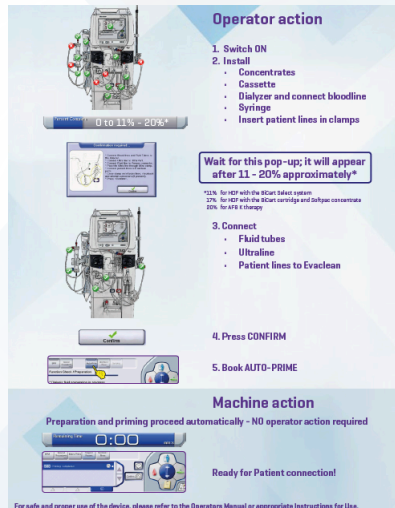
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## Recommended Sequence for Dressing & Priming

### The all-in-one sequence



**Operator action**

1. Switch ON
2. Install
  - Concentrates
  - Cassette
  - Dialyzer and connect bloodline
  - Syringe
  - Insert patient lines in clamps

Wait for this pop-up; it will appear after 11 – 20% approximately\*

\*10% for HCT with the iClear dialer system  
20% for HCT with the iClear cartridge and dialysate concentrate  
20% for APF therapy

3. Connect
  - Fluid tubes
  - Ultrafine
  - Patient lines to Evaclean
4. Press CONFIRM
5. Book AUTO-PRIME

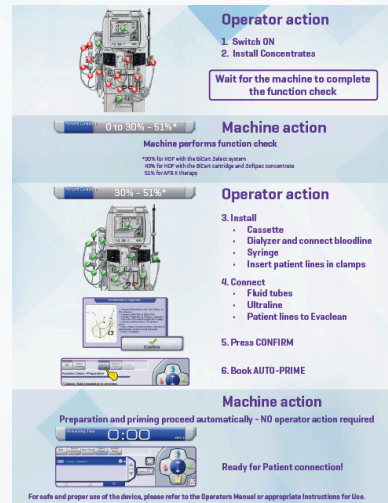
**Machine action**

Preparation and priming proceed automatically - NO operator action required

Ready for Patient connection!

For safe and proper use of the device, please refer to the Operators Manual or appropriate Instructions for Use.

### The 2-step sequence



**Operator action**

1. Switch ON
2. Install Concentrates

Wait for the machine to complete the function check

**Machine action**

Machine performs function check

\*10% for HCT with the iClear dialer system  
40% for HCT with the iClear cartridge and dialysate concentrate  
10% for APF therapy

30% – 51%\*

**Operator action**

3. Install
  - Cassette
  - Dialyzer and connect bloodline
  - Syringe
  - Insert patient lines in clamps
4. Connect
  - Fluid tubes
  - Ultrafine
  - Patient lines to Evaclean
5. Press CONFIRM
6. Book AUTO-PRIME

**Machine action**

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Ready for Patient connection!

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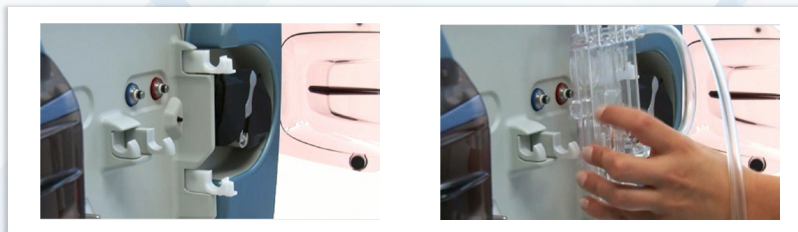
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## Auto-loading Blood Tubing System

Follow operator's message for:

- Auto-loading of the ArtiSet blood tubing system
- Disposable set up / connections



All disposables are connected in one single series of action

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## EvaClean

Priming fluid draining device i.e. no waste bag is needed

- **Designed to draw fluid** through the blood tubing system – where the A/V patient blood lines are connected
- **Anti-backflow** safety system embedded
- **Automatically disinfected** during the regular disinfection processes



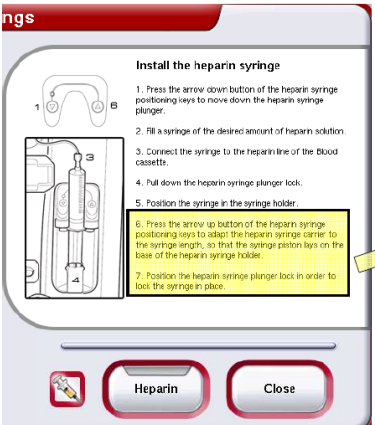
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## Heparin Syringe Installation



**Install the heparin syringe**

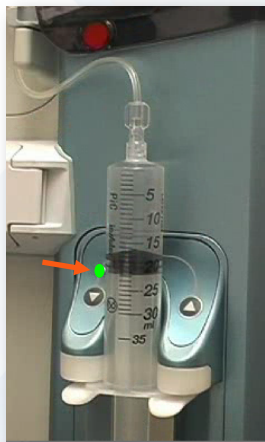
1. Press the arrow down button of the heparin syringe positioning keys to move down the heparin syringe plunger.
2. Fill a syringe of the desired amount of heparin solution.
3. Connect the syringe to the heparin line of the Blood Cassette.
4. Pull down the heparin syringe plunger lock.
5. Position the syringe in the syringe holder.
6. Press the arrow up button of the heparin syringe positioning keys to adapt the heparin syringe carrier to the syringe length, so that the syringe piston lays on the base of the heparin syringe holder.
7. Position the heparin syringe plunger lock in order to lock the syringe in place.



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## Heparin Administration

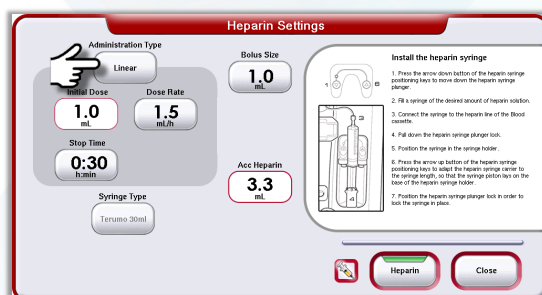


- The **heparin line is automatically primed** if the heparin administration function is activated before Auto-Prime starts
- If heparin administration function is *not* activated before Auto-Prime starts, the **heparin line can be primed manually** using the heparin ▲ position key
- During heparin administration the **light indicator on the pump panel is green lit**
- In the **Linear administration mode**, Artis performs a few “kicks” to open the one-way-valve
- The **Initial Dose is administered** when blood enters the arterial dialyzer line (30 ml processed)

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## Heparin Administration



### 30cc syringe is standard

Administration types available:

- Linear: range 1.5 to 10 mL/h
- Intermittent: dose range 0.5-12mL
- Manual: range 0.5 to 12mL

### 10 cc syringe kit (field option)

Administration type available:

- Linear: range 0.5 to 4 mL/h
- Intermittent: dose range 0.5-4mL
- Manual: range 0.5 to 4 mL/h

### Options available:

- Initial Dose
- Automatic bolus is administered upon the Operator's confirmation (Extra Bolus)

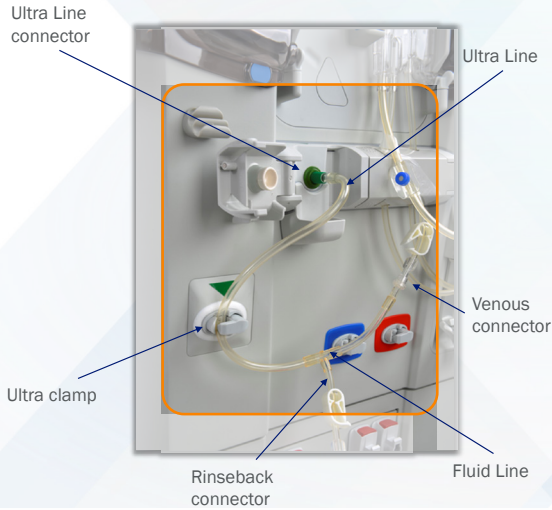
Extra Bolus button becomes available after Start Treatment

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## On-line Autopriming | ULTRA Prime Mode



It is set by default

- Can be changed to saline priming for a specific treatment until the ArtiSet blood tubing system loading procedure has been started (one way procedure).

It requires the installation of the ULTRALINE HD. Follow the operator messages for guidance.

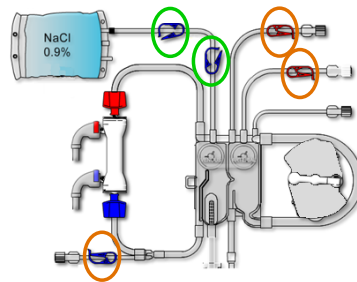
Once the Ultra Prime has been turned off it cannot be switched back on for that treatment

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## Saline Autopriming | Saline Prime Mode

- Follow the operator messages for guidance;
- Close the venous connector clamp and the two arterial pre-pump infusion line clamps;
- Check that the venous infusion line and the saline line clamps are open.



Saline line is connected to the Venous Infusion line

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## Autopriming Settings | ULTRA Prime Mode



Treatment	ULTRA	SALINE
HD-DN	850 – 4000 ml	850 – 4000 ml
HD-SN	850 – 4000 ml	1100 – 4000 ml
HDF/HF	1100 – 4000 ml	N/A

Priming volumes are calculated and pre-settable in accordance with the respective dialyzer instruction for use adding a minimum of 500 ml

In ULTRA Prime the minimum priming volume required is 850 ml in HD-DN and HD-SN

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## Auto-Prime | One Touch Priming



- Press the **Auto-Prime button** for “booking” automatic start of the priming process – the button indicator bar turns yellow.
- When the **function check is completed**, the automatic priming process starts – the button indicator bar turns green.
- The dialyzer is primed and de-aerated from bottom to top – there is **no need to rotate the dialyzer** during the Auto-Prime process.
- If a dialysis fluid sampling is to be done, the bloodline has not to be loaded.

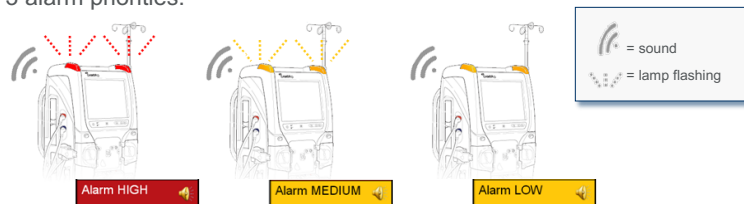
True auto-priming; simply dress, press and leave

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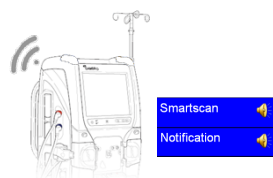
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## Alarm Status & Support at a Glance

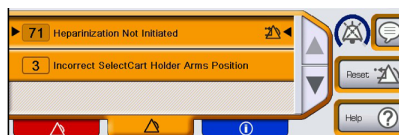
3 alarm priorities:



2 info messages:



Alarm messages appearance



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## Nice to know (1)

- **T1 Test** – Whenever the Artis Physio Plus system is switched on, a series of function checks are performed. If any of these checks fails a resettable alarm is generated. In case a General Safe State alarm appears the Protective System has identified an error preventing the use of the machine – Try to switch the Artis Physio Plus system OFF and then ON again.
- Dialysis fluid **sampling** – It should be performed *before* priming; do not book Auto-Prime when sampling is planned.
- Automatic priming of the **heparin line** – The Artis Physio Plus system performs a series of kicks to open the back valve and prime the line. The volume used is not added to the accumulated heparin volume displayed on the heparin settings screen.
- The **Evodial** dialyzer – Special attention is needed in regards to the Auto-Prime procedure and priming volumes, see Op. Man. section 2.6.



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## Nice to know (2)

- Differentiating Artis Physio Plus vs. Artis Physio – Artis Physio Plus is associated with a **GREEN** color used on the logo and packaging of line accessories.



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### Hands on: Chapter 1.a: On-line Priming

- Attach concentrates
- Attach dialyzer
- Load the Artiset tubing system, the ULTRALINE HD and connect lines
- Attach heparin syringe
- Set heparin prescription:
  - Linear 1.0mL/h, Initial Dose 2.0mL, Stop Time 15 min)
- Clamp status
- Ready for priming?
- Book on-line Auto-prime

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### Hands on: Chapter 1.b: Saline Priming

- Attach concentrates
- Attach dialyzer
- Load the Artiset blood tubing system and connect lines
- Attach heparin syringe
- Set heparin prescription:
  - Linear 1.0 mL/h, Initial Dose 2.0 mL, Stop Time 15 min)
- Connect saline
- Clamp status
- Ready for priming?
- Book Auto-prime

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## Chapter 2: Treatment in Practice

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### HD Treatment in Practice

- Treatment Type selection
- Prescription
- Time Reminder
- Automatic BPM
- Low Consumption State
- Start Treatment
- A/V Pressure Limit handling
- Stop Treatment
- Auto-Rinseback
- Unload ArtiSet blood tubing system

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### Treatment Type Selection



Parameter	Value
Treatment Time	4:50
UF Volume	0.00
Temperature	37.0 °C
Dialysis Fluid Flow	800 ml/min
Sodium	140 mEq/L
Bicarbonate	24 mEq/L

Activated Functions
Auto BPM
Heparin Auto Start
Diasscan
Hemocontrol
HemoScan
Ultra Control

Treatment Settings

Treatment Type

Type

HD - DN

HD - SH

HDF Post

HDF Pre

HF Pre

Return Cancel

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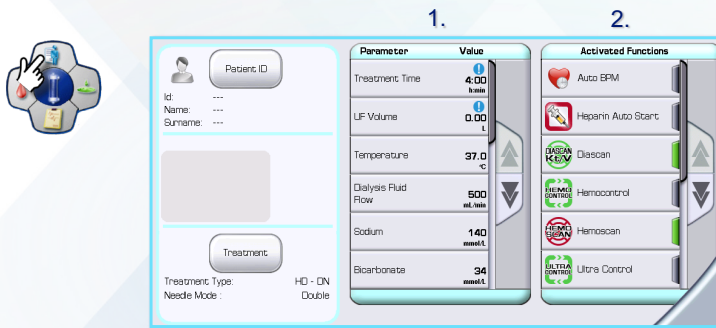
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## What if Artis Physio & Artis Physio Plus are Running in the Same Clinic?

- Artis Physio and Artis Physio Plus can coexist in the same clinic
  - Ideally not in the same treatment room if both configurations deliver on-line HD/HDF treatments (on-line treatment shall be delivered in priority with Artis Physio Plus).
- Handling is identical for non on-line treatments.
- For on-line treatments, the ULTRALINE HDF is designed to prevent its use on the Artis Physio
  - See next slide.

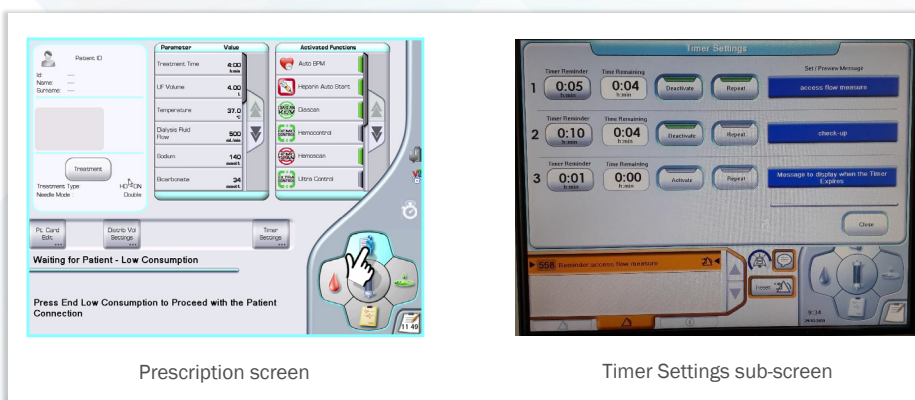
## Prescription Settings



On the **Prescription screen** press:

- 1. Parameter buttons** to set treatment related parameters
- 2. Function buttons** to access the respective sub-screen for settings and activation.

## Time Reminder Options

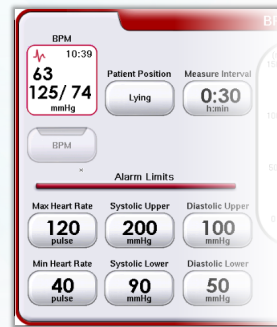
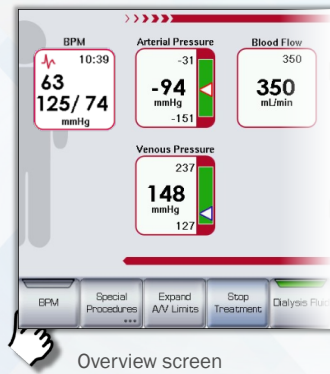


Time countdown starts immediately when the timer is activated

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## Manual Blood Pressure Monitoring



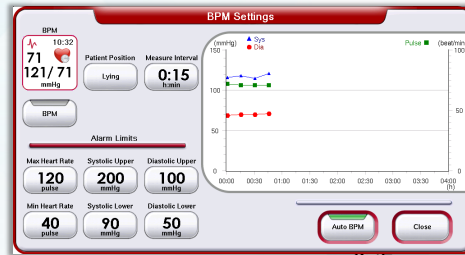
Time, blood pressure and pulse are displayed in the BPM value boxes and in the Event sub-screen tables from the Report screen

## Automatic Blood Pressure Monitoring (BPM)

Set:

- Patient position
- Measuring interval
- Alarm limits

When activated, a clock appears on top of the heart icon in the BPM value box



- Auto BPM values are plotted in the trend graph on the BPM Setting sub-screen.
- BPM values are displayed on the Overview screen, the BPM Settings sub-screen and are automatically transferred to the Event sub-screen tables from the Report screen.

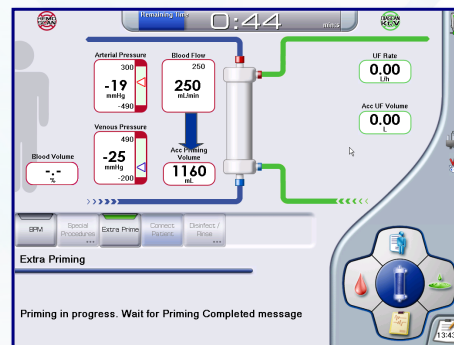


Whenever a BPM fails, it is indicated by question marks and an "X" over the heart in the BPM value box

## Extra Prime



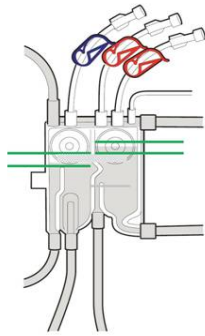
- During priming, accumulated priming volume is displayed in the **Overview screen**
- Priming setting sub-screen is accessed via the **Blood screen** "Priming Settings" button







## Chamber Fluid Levels | Auto-Prime Completed



Levels might need to be adjusted at the end of priming due to:

- Empty saline bag during the priming
- Patient lines not properly connected to EvaClean ports
- Infusion line clamps not closed
- Inappropriate priming volume for the dialyzer in use

If the **fluid levels are significantly different** from optimal (extremely low):

- Reset Prime in the Priming Settings sub-screen and activate Auto-Prime on the Overview screen

If the **fluid levels are not significantly different** from optimal:

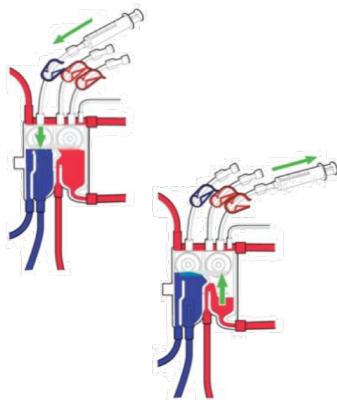
- Connect Patient and adjust the blood levels manually after treatment start.

If auto-priming is suspected to be inaccurate, Reset Prime and then reactivate the Auto-Prime button (check for sufficient volume in the saline bag first)

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## Chamber Blood Levels | During Treatment



When adjusting the blood levels in the chambers during treatment:

- Attach a sterile *luer-lock* syringe to the respective chamber infusion line and adjust the level using the syringe
- Expand the A/V pressure limits but *do not* decrease the blood pump speed
- Gently aspirate or inject air to increase or decrease the fluid level.

Check and adjust the chamber blood levels on a regular basis during the treatment

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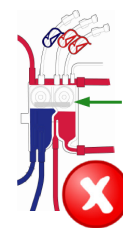
## Blood Level Monitoring in Arterial Chamber | Simplifying the Message

- It is always good practice to **check periodically the level** in the Arterial and Venous chambers;
- The **arterial level monitoring function** is designed to ensure the right level of blood in the cassette; a low level is notified with **Alarm #642**;
- **Incorrect blood level in the Arterial chamber** may lead to formation of micro bubbles and increase the occurrence of Alarm #4;
- Whenever Alarm #642 is triggered:
  1. **Check Arterial level** and proceed with adjustment if needed;
  2. If the level is good, it may be due to poor coupling with transducers; **consider a Cassette repositioning**;
  3. If **Alarm #642 still re-occurs**, consider changing Blood circuit or interrupt treatment; a cleaning/greasing of the pressure transducer is also recommended before installing a new blood circuit.

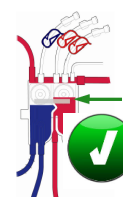
The alarm must be reset before performing the level adjustment.

The automatic monitoring of the blood level does not work if:

- the blood flow rate <150 ml/min
- the arterial pressure >50 mmHg



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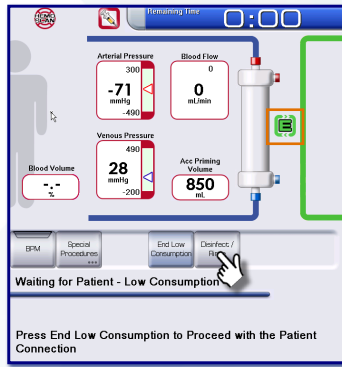
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## Low Consumption State



Overview screen

- Reduction of water and concentrate consumption
- It should be activated in Service Level 2
- It starts automatically 1-10 min (preset) after priming is completed
- It is stopped via the **“End Low Consumption”** button
- When stopped, the **“Connect Patient”** button becomes available with a short delay.

Low consumption state is automatically re-entered if Connect Patient button is not pressed within the preset time limit **PLUS 5 minutes**

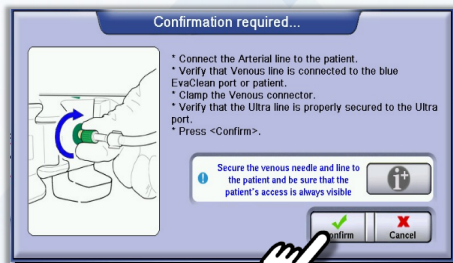
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## Patient Connection

**Connect Patient button** becomes available when Mandatory parameters are set and Auto-Prime is completed

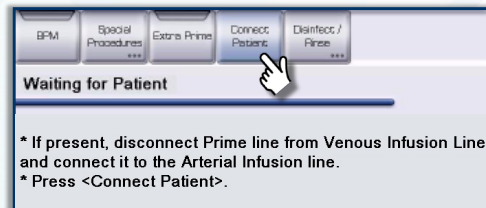
- ▶ Check that the prescribed functions are activated before continuing



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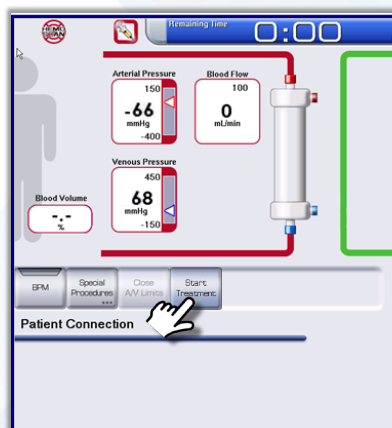
Overview screen



**Three Patient Connection** options:

- Straight connection (both lines)
  - Bleed-out connection with the venous line connected to the EvaClean
  - Bleed-out connection with the venous patient line connected to a waste bag
- ▶ Confirm *after* connection.

## Blood Detection



When blood is detected the **Blood Pump** stops:

Verify that the Arterial and Venous Patient lines are connected to the patient;

- ▶ Restart the Blood Pump
  - Start Treatment button becomes available.

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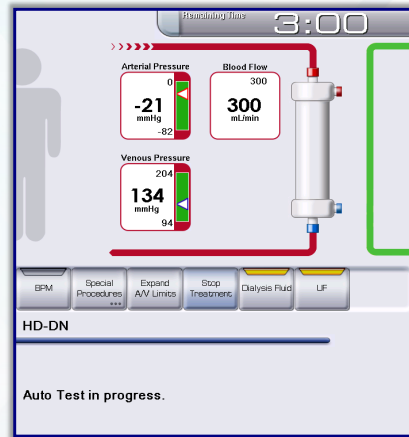
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## Start Treatment

- ▶ Press **Start Treatment** button
  - The Dialysis Fluid and UF buttons are displayed – indication bars are yellow lit
- ▶ Increase the Blood Pump speed
- ▶ Close the A/V pressure Limits when the pressures have stabilized

When the initial self test is completed, Dialysis Fluid and UF are automatically activated (indication bars turn green) and the “Real TX Time” value on the Fluid Screen starts decreasing.



## A/V Pressure Limit Handling

At treatment start:

- Follow operator’s message to close the predefined A/V Pressure Limits

During treatment:

- Press Expand A/V Limits to open the pressure limits for a short period of time
- When closing the A/V pressure limits the alarm window automatically adjusts to the current pressures
- The A/V Limits are automatically expanded and closed when the blood pump speed is changed



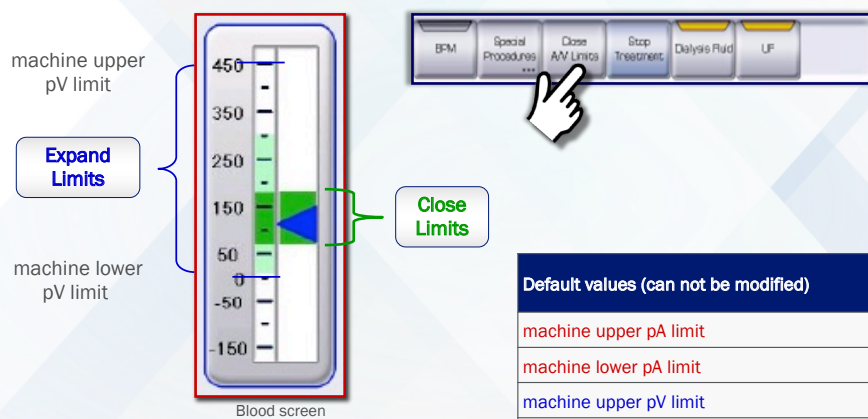
Overview screen



Blood screen

The operator is urged to close the A/V pressure limits if not done within 2 minutes after the “Start Treatment” button is pressed

## Expand/Close Pressure Limits



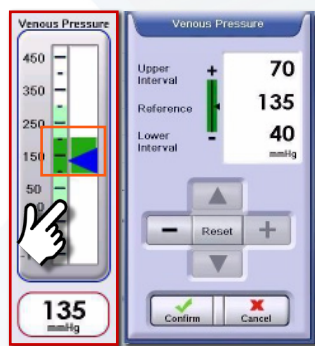
Default values (can not be modified)	mmHg
machine upper pA limit	150
machine lower pA limit	- 400
machine upper pV limit	450
machine lower pV limit	10

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## A/V Pressure Alarm Limit Window



- alarm limit = reference pressure + upper interval value
- current value
- alarm limit = reference pressure - lower interval value

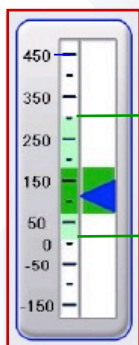
- +/- to widen/restrict the alarm window
- ▲ to move the alarm window up/down
- ▼ to move the alarm window up/down

Default values	mmHg
pA upper value	60
pA lower value	-60
pV upper value	70
pV lower value	40

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## A/V Treatment Max & Min Pressures



Blood screen

pV treatment max. limit

The range within which the dark green "window" may move during the treatment

pV treatment min. limit

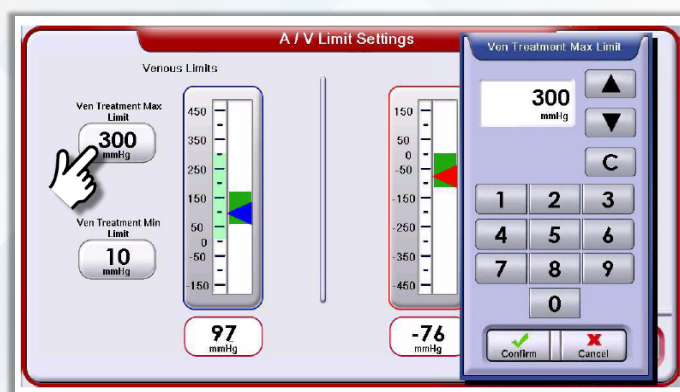
Default values (can be modified in preset)	mmHg
pA treatment max limit	0
pA treatment min limit	-300
pV treatment max limit	300
pV treatment min limit	10



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## A/V Treatment Max & Min Pressures

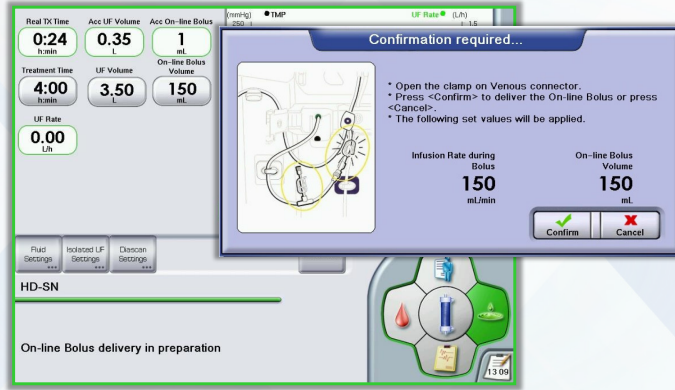


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## On-line Bolus

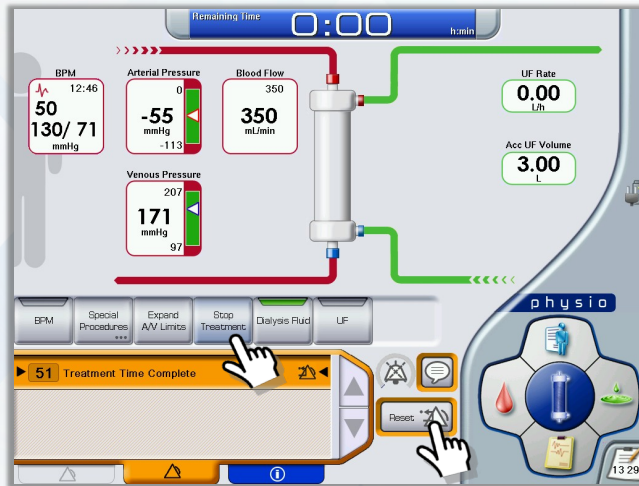


- On-line bolus is available when Ultra feature is active (Ultra Priming performed). It requires the ULTRALINE HD.
- The operator can set the bolus volume to be infused. The bolus rate can not be changed by the operator.

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## Stop Treatment



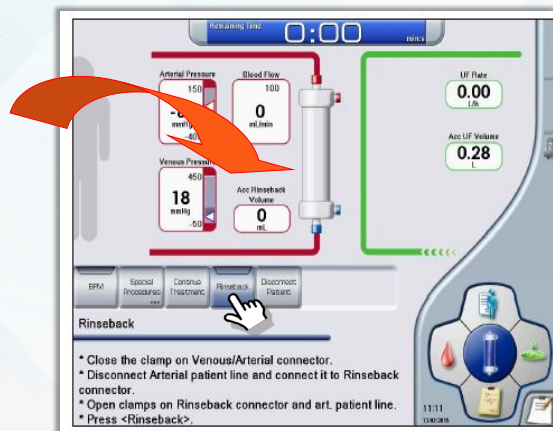
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## Stop Treatment

Follow Operator's Message for Rinseback and Disconnect Patient Procedure

- The accumulated rinseback volume is displayed in the Overview screen
- The Blood pump stops when the set rinseback volume is achieved
  - Blood pump can also be stopped manually
  - Extra Rinseback button becomes available
- Rinseback Settings sub-screen is accessed via the Blood screen



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## Unload Cassette



- ▶ Press “Unload Cassette” and Confirm
  - The pump rotor turns to its horizontal position
- ▶ Release the A/V patient lines and Ultra line from their automatic clamps
- ▶ Release the heparin syringe and line
- ▶ Open the Sensor bar door
  - The cassette hooks are pushed out

***Wait for the blood pump to stop before opening the cover***

- ▶ Open the blood pump cover and remove the cassette
- ▶ Close the Sensor bar door and blood pump cover

It is possible to activate a Disinfection / Rinse program before unloading the Cassette

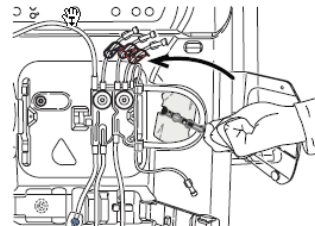
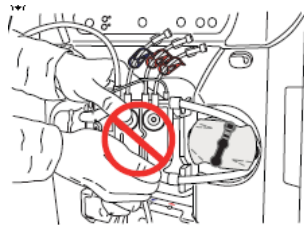
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## Manual Unloading of the Pump Segment

If the pump cover is opened before the blood pump has stopped, the pump segment may not be fully released

***Do not remove the cassette with the pump segment still in the pump rotor***



- ▶ Extract the crank from the pump rotor
- ▶ Manually turn the pump rotor in a counter-clockwise direction while carefully releasing the pump segment
- ▶ Turn the pump rotor in order to align the crank with its axis and close the crank

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## Nice to know (1)

- Start Treatment – diffusion and UF start automatically when the initial UF system taration (= self test) is completed.
- Cartridges – do not have to be drained before removal.
- Unloading cassette – do not open the blood pump cover before the pump segment is released.
- EvaClean must be cleaned each time the Patient Connection procedure is performed keeping the venous patient line into the EvaClean port until the machine detects blood.
- The on-line priming sequences are modified in HD and HDF to improve the priming of some large surface area dialyzers, including those with air-permeable membrane.
- The Real Treatment Time and the Temperature Set Value have been added to the report screen.
- UFR for priming can be preset to customize the priming protocol.
- The BPM settings are restored after a Fast recovery.
- Confirmation Pop up of the Heparin settings activation when pressing the <Heparin> button.



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## Nice to know (2)

- Alarm #506 "Flowmeter alignment failure" is changed from a Low to a High priority alarm.
- Alarm #4 "Air in venous line" troubleshooting paragraph of the Operator's Manual has been updated to explain the reason why certain operations shall be performed.
- Concentrates containing hydrochloric acid – 2 mmol/L – can now be preset and used
- The minimum settable temperature is 34°C.
- The Fluid Line on the ULTRALINE HD may never be connected to the Arterial connector (pre filter) if present.
- The arterial and venous patient lines are clamped when "Stop Treatment" and "Disconnect Patient" buttons are pressed.
- For the pump segment to be unloaded, the Arterial and Venous Patient lines and the Ultra Line must be released from their respective clamps – do not open the blood pump cover before the pump segment is released.
- Artis Physio and Artis Physio Plus can coexist in the same clinic, but not in the same treatment room if both configurations deliver on-line HD/HDF treatments.



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### Hands on: Chapter 2

- Treatment time 60 min
- UF volume 1.0 L
- Heparin program
- Auto BPM 15 min
- Set two reminders – one on repeat
- End low consumption mode
- Connect Patient – straight connection
- Start Treatment
- Stop/Start UF
- Stop/Start diffusion
- Heparin bolus
- On-line bolus
- Stop Treatment and Auto-rinseback
- Empty Circuit
- Unload Artiset blood tubing system
- Rinse

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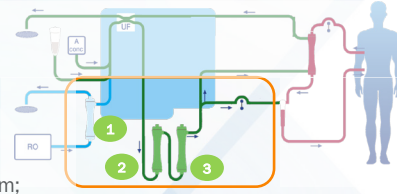
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## Ultrafilters on the Artis Physio Plus System



### The U9000 Ultrafilters:

- Are disinfected at each disinfection program;
- Life expectancy depends on whichever comes first among:
  - the number of days in the circuit - max 90
  - the number of disinfections - max 150
  - the number of hypochlorite disinfections - max 12;
- Also the number of Heat + **CleanCart A** disinfections is to be considered (i.e., every 22 treatments).
- Are easily replaced (all the three must be changed at the same time);
- Reminder countdown starts 7 days or 12 disinfections or 3 hypochlorite disinfections before usage limit is reached - Alarm #402. An icon will be displayed to raise operator's attention;



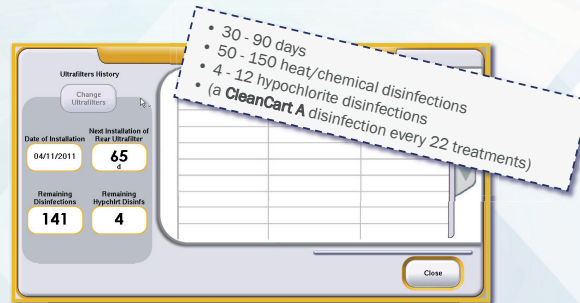
When reached, changing the Ultrafilters is a prerequisite to get access to the next treatment - Alarm #571



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## Ultrafilter Change



- Ultrafilters change procedure is available in the standard environment
- Ultrafilters history table is always available
- Default values for Ultrafilters history counters correspond to the maximum authorized duration

After the Ultrafilters are changed, an Ultra disinfection is automatically started

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## Available Disinfection Programs (1)

Disinfection Program	Frequency	Cycle Time (min)	Chemical Solution
Heat	Daily - between treatments	34	---
Eco-Heat	Daily - between treatments (but not as the last disinfection of the day)	23	---
Integrated Heat	Synchronized with the water supply cleaning	34	---
Heat CleanCart C	Daily - after the last treatment	50	Citric acid
Heat CleanCart A	Every 22 treatments, in the middle of the working week	50	Sodium carbonate
Chemical (Low Peracetic)	Daily - between treatments	20 Dis. + 33 Rinse	Low peracetic acid
Chemical (Ultra Peracetic)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Daily - between treatments</li> <li>• After Ultrafilters change</li> </ul>	19 Dis. + 42 Rinse	Peracetic acid
Ultra Heat CleanCart C	After Ultrafilters change	85	Citric acid
Chemical (Hypochlorite)	Every 22 treatments	20 Dis. + 109 Rinse	Sodium hypochlorite

Stand-by weekend storage with Peracetic is also available

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## Available Disinfection Programs (2)

### Eco Heat disinfection

- intended to be done between treatments
- contributes to reduce the time between treatments
- NOT appropriate as the last disinfection of the day. It can not be the ONLY disinfection program applied to the **Artis** Dialysis System

### Ultra disinfections

- are been implemented to maintain the microbiological quality of substitution fluid
- are not regular processes, but they are only mandatory after Ultrafilters change
- can be used in case of:
  - suspected microbial contamination or
  - machine long storage
- Perform an Ultra disinfection program if more than 7 days have elapsed after last disinfection was performed

#### Good to know:

The alarm #678 "Disinfection required before treatment" is displayed when more than 72 hours elapsed since the last disinfection has been performed, or the disinfection after the previous treatment has not been properly performed

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## pH Sensor Option

The pH sensor usage is **highly recommended** when **sodium hypochlorite** is included in the clinic's policies and procedures for e.g.:

- Disinfection of machines
- Maintenance of the water plant
- Maintenance of the central concentrate delivery system

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## Disinfection | Heat/Chemical



Intake of citric and sodium carbonate powder

- CleanCart C cartridge
- CleanCart A cartridge

Intake of liquid disinfectants

- Peracetic acid
- Sodium hypochlorite



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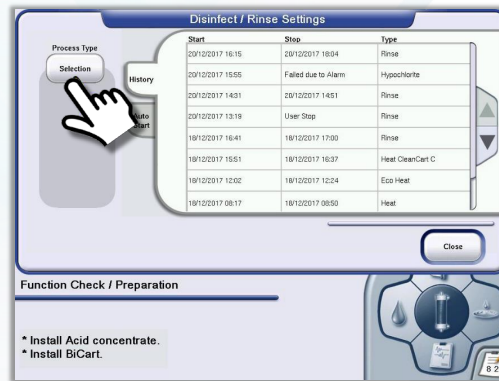
## Disinfection / Rinse Settings



Overview screen

Program selection (Process Type button)

- History table
- Auto Start table  
(Service Mode, level 1 & 2)



This screen is not available during treatments

The manual Rinse program may be interrupted if needed

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## Post Treatment Cleaning

### Machine surfaces and components

- See table in Operator's Manual (Ethanol 60 or 70%, Isopropanol 60%, sodium hypochlorite 1.5%, liquid soap)
- Touch screen: Only Ethanol 60 or 70%, or Isopropanol 60%

### EvaClean ports\*

- Using a priming connector (and luer-lock syringe) - insert 15cc undiluted bleach (5.25 - 6 % sodium hypochlorite) into each EvaClean port when Artis is ON
- Perform a disinfection/rinse program in order to rinse out the undiluted bleach
- Disinfect the external surface of the EvaClean ports

\* Always clean the EvaClean ports each time the Patient Connection procedure is performed keeping the venous patient line into the EvaClean port until the machine detects blood, or if blood has accidentally entered any of the ports

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## New Design of the Ultra Door

The Ultra door is designed to ensure automatic disinfection of the external luer connector during machine disinfections.

Hence, the Ultra Port **shall not** be cleaned any longer after a disinfection program.

The collector below the ultra port needs to be kept dry and free of any fluid.



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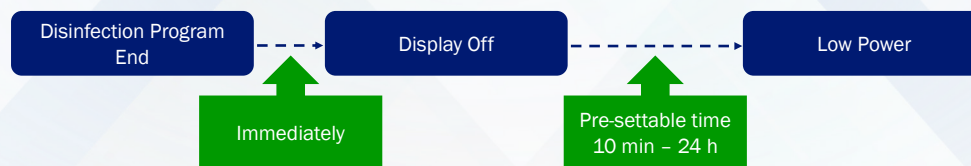
## Display Off Mode

After a rinse or disinfection program, the Touch Screen immediately switches off:

- o The On/Off indicator LED is lit **green** 
- o The machine is still powered (i.e. automatic clamps are still open)

Press the On/Off key on the hard key panel to start the Artis Physio Plus system

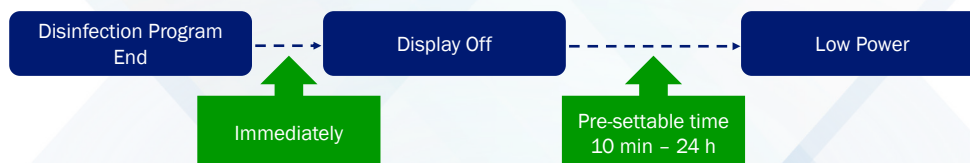
The Artis Physio Plus system will then start the self-test procedures





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## Low Power Mode



- The Hard Key panel On/Off key is lit **green** 
- The Main Switch On indicator is **not** lit 
- Press the On/Off key on the hard key panel to “wake up” the machine
- The machine will *boot-up and load the software* before it enables the start of preparation

To wake up the Artis Physio Plus system from the low power mode after a scheduled program, it may be necessary to press the On/Off key twice

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## Mean Time Between Treatments (MTBT)



If the machine is properly configured:

- Temperature self tests are skipped for the following three treatments in the same day;
- Conductivity self tests are skipped when same concentrate combination is used

**3-5 minutes time reduction between treatments**

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## Auto Start Option

Automatic start scheduling of:



Disinfection  
Rinse  
Preparation

Maximum 3 programs per day

Conditions for Auto Start:

- The machine is either in display off or in low power (main switch ON)
- Within 48 hours after the machine has entered the low power mode
- Water supply must be connected
- Appropriate disinfectant connected

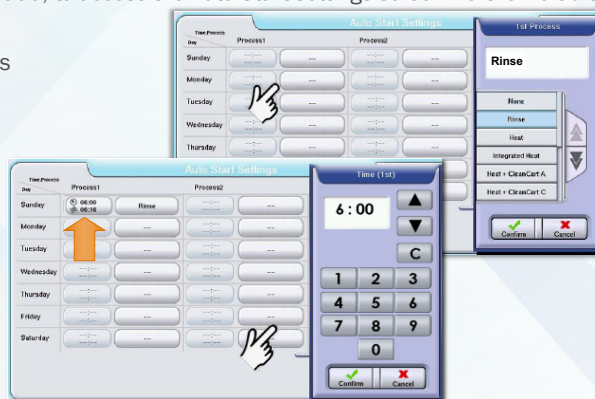
The Auto Start programs scheduled are displayed in the Disinfection/Rinse Setting screen

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## Auto Start Settings Screen

- Enter Service Level 1, code: 169000, to access the Auto Start settings screen via the Default Settings list
- The Select pad offers 6 programs
- When the program is confirmed, its Start Time button becomes available
- Set the Start Time and Confirm, the End Time is automatically calculated.
- Start and End time is displayed on the button



Auto Start can be preset before Auto-Prime start and after disinfection/rinse

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## Nice to know | Auto Start

- Verify set date and time on the Artis Physio Plus system before Auto Start is scheduled.
- If the On/Off key is pressed when the Artis Physio Plus system is in Display Off or Low Power mode, preparation starts and the scheduled program is aborted.
- If the Artis Physio Plus system Main Switch is turned OFF, the scheduled program is aborted. The alarm 562 will then appear when the Main Switch is turned ON again.
- In case of short power failure (less than 5 minutes), the scheduled program is anyway completed.
- In case of long power failure (more than 5 minutes), the scheduled program is never completed. The alarm 562 will then appear when the Main Switch is turned ON again.
- If the "Blood in dialysate (#28)" alarm occurs and the identified cause is "A break in the dialyzer membrane caused a blood leakage into the hydraulic circuit", perform a disinfection program before starting a new treatment.



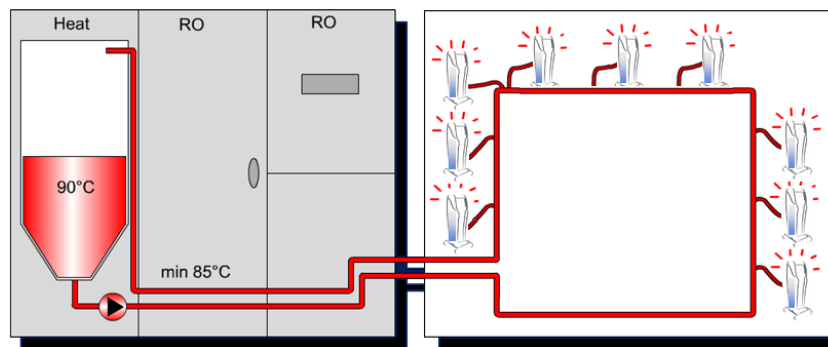
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## Integrated Heat Disinfection



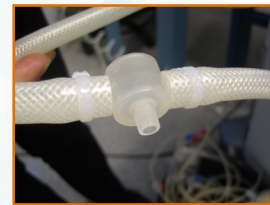
It is possible to perform an integrated heat disinfection with the Central Water Plant (CWP).

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## Chemical Disinfection Residual Test

- Collect a test sample for disinfection residuals from the dialysis fluid tube port *before attaching concentrates* when the Artis Physio Plus system is disinfected with **sodium hypochlorite**.
- Collect a test sample for disinfection residuals from the dialysis fluid tube port *before connecting the patient* when the Artis Physio Plus system is disinfected with **peracetic acid**.
- When using the CleanCart C or A cartridges, no residual test needs to be performed.



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## Greasing of the Pressure Pod O-rings

To maintain the O-ring sealing capacity:

- Inspect the O-ring's surface and metal stem
  - Check for nicks, damage, wear, etc.
  - Replace if necessary
- Grease the O-ring's surface by applying a very thin layer of silicon grease, avoiding any grease entering the metal stem inside
  - Silicon grease tube spare part code 6975395
  - Grease dispenser spare part code 6977854
  - It is also possible to apply the grease by the use of a finger



This procedure should be performed on a weekly basis

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- *Chemical residual test*
- *Disinfection programs*
- *Disinfection history list*
- *Pressure Pod greasing*
- *Auto Start Settings*
- *Ultrafilter change*

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## Functions in Practice

- Isolated UF
- The **Hemoscan** function
- The **Diascan** function

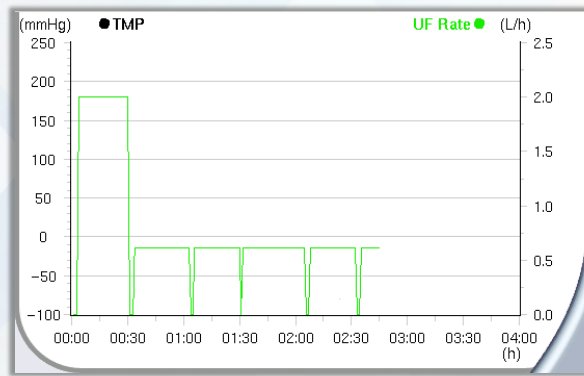
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## Isolated UF



Fluid screen

## Isolated UF

Separate phase:

- Can be activated and repeated at any time from start to stop treatment
- Max 120 min
- Max UFR 3 L/h

No diffusion, therefore

- Limited solute removal
- No electrolyte or base balance correction

Overview screen

## Isolated UF Activation

Parameter	Value
Treatment Time	4:00 h:min
UF Volume	3.00 L

Prescription screen

Set mandatory parameters:

- ▶ Treatment Time - **Includes Isol. UF time**
- ▶ UF Volume - **Includes Isol. UF volume**

Select Isolated UF function → →



Prescription screen

Isolated UF Settings screen

Set Isolated UF parameters:

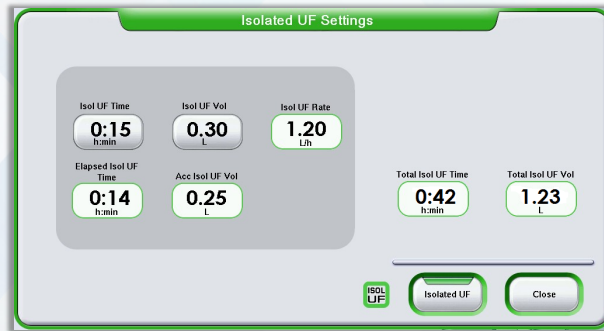
- ▶ Isolated UF Time
- ▶ Isolated UF Volume

▶ Activate



## Isolated UF Activation

It is possible to activate an Isolated UF phase at any point during the treatment.



Isolated UF settings screen during a second phase of IUF

When activated at the end of the treatment, treatment time and UF volume must be added in the prescription screen

## Isolated UF Completed Alarm

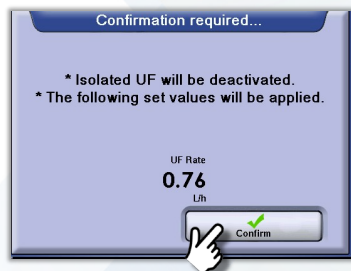


Indicates:

- Set Isolated UF Time is completed
- No UF takes place
- No diffusion takes place

Diffusion and UF starts as soon as the alarm is reset

## Isolated UF Completed



UF Volume Confirmation is Required

- The UF rate displayed on the key pad is calculated accordingly:

$$\text{Remaining UF Rate} = \frac{\text{Total UF Vol.} - \text{Acc. Isolated UF Vol.}}{\text{Remaining treatment time}}$$

Treatment time and/or UF Volume can be adjusted in the Fluid screen if needed

The treatment continues at the displayed UF rate when confirmed

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## Nice to know | Isolated UF

- The mandatory parameters must be confirmed before the Isolated UF parameters can be set.
- When the prescription downloaded via the Patient Prescription card or the Patient ID card (Exalis) is confirmed, the exclamation mark on the UF volume set button disappears.
- The Isolated UF parameters should be included in the Treatment time and the UF Volume.
- The Isolated UF time must be set before the Isolated UF Volume.
- The Isolated UF must be deactivated to be able to activate any Special Procedures.
- Until the “Isolated UF completed” alarm is reset, no UF and no diffusion take place.
- Isolated UF is not resumed after “Pause Treatment” or “Change Circuit” procedures.



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## The Hemoscan Function in Practice



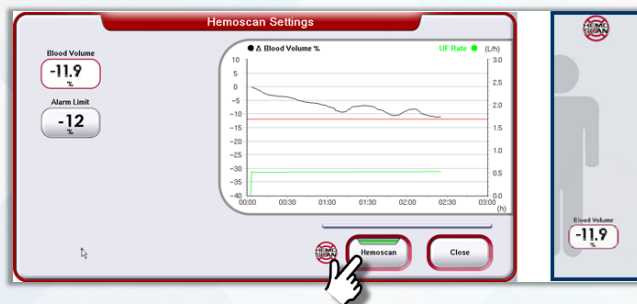
- The Hemoscan Monitoring System provides a continuous and non-invasive measurement of the relative blood volume change during a dialysis treatment.
- Self-test is performed on machine start up.
- Autocalibration is performed when the ArtiSet blood tubing system is loaded.
- The Hemoscan function must be activated before Start Treatment.

The Hemoscan function can be activated by preset

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## The Hemoscan Function During Treatment



- Blood Volume values are displayed on Hemoscan Settings sub-screen and Overview screen
- Blood Volume Alarm Limit can be set
- Blood Volume changes and UF rate are plotted in the trend graph.

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## Nice to know | The Hemoscan Function

- To pass the Hemoscan function self-test at machine startup, the ArtisSet blood tubing system must be loaded with the Hemoscan cuvette properly inserted in the arterial sensor bar slot.
- If the Hemoscan function self-test fails, the setup procedure continues but the Hemoscan function is not activated (alarm).
- Whenever an ArtiSet blood tubing system is loaded, a Hemoscan auto calibration is performed. If the auto calibration fails an alarm is triggered, deactivate the Hemoscan function to solve the alarm.
- When the Hemoscan function is activated, the Auto-Prime button becomes available when calibration of the Hemoscan sensor is performed.
- At treatment start a reference hemoglobin concentration value is calculated – the first BV value is displayed appr. 6-7 minutes after treatment start.
- After a Fast Recovery procedure, the Hemoscan function is automatically deactivated.
- To properly measure blood volume, blood flow >180 ml/min and hemoglobin range 6-16g/dl are needed.



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## The Diascan Function in Practice

The Diascan Monitoring System allows real time, non-invasive and automatic monitoring of patient's and dialyzer's parameters that can be computed from conductivity measurements on the dialysis fluid side.

Availability:

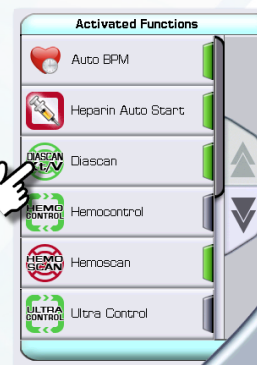
- HD-DN / HD-SN\* /HD-DNDP
- HDF-post / HDF Pre
- HemoControl treatment
- AFBK treatment (constant K)
- Hemoscan function
- Isolated UF

Must be activated before treatment start

- May be activated by preset

Measurement starts when Qb is  $\geq 80$  ml/min

- Measuring interval is 15 or 30 minutes



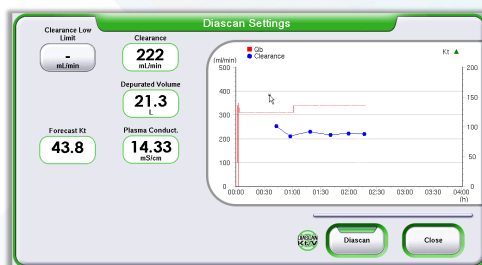
Once deactivated, the Diascan function cannot be activated again for the rest of the treatment

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## The Diascan Function Settings Sub-screen | Clearance



**Rule of thumb:** an adequate clearance should be at least 55% of the Qb – a SmartScan note will alert the operator if this level is not reached

Available set buttons:

- Clearance Low Limit (ml/min)

Values boxes:

- Clearance (actual)
- Depurated Volume (= Kt)
- Forecast Kt
- Plasma conductivity

Graph parameters:

- Blood flow (Qb)
- Clearance
- Kt (depurated volume)

Updated during treatment:

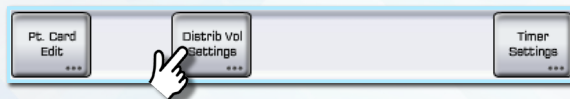
- "Forecast Kt" value each minute
- "Clearance" and "Forecast Kt" after each measurement

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## Patient Distribution Volume



Needs to be calculated/confirmed for:

- The **Diascan** function Kt/V measurements
- The **HemoControl** function plasma sodium calculation



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## The Diascan Function Settings Sub-screen | Kt/V

Available set buttons:

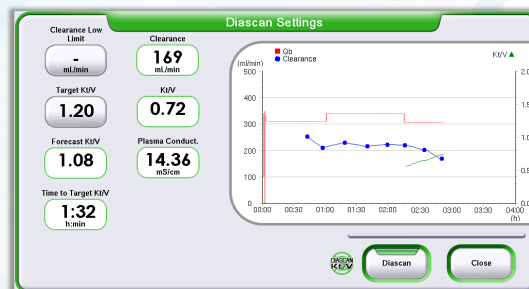
- Clearance low limit
- Target Kt/V

Value boxes:

- Clearance
- Kt/V (actual)
- Forecast Kt/V
- Time to target Kt/V
- Plasma conductivity

Graph parameters:

- Blood flow (Qb)
- Clearance
- Kt/V



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## Nice to know | The Diascan Function

- In case of an Autocalibration Failure alarm: switch OFF → wait 5 sec → switch ON, or deactivate the Diascan function.
- During measurements, the inlet conductivity is automatically adjusted by 1.0 mS/cm typically for 2 minutes.
- The Diascan function measurements will be interrupted if parameters directly affecting the measurement are changed (i.e. Qb, Qd, Na).
- If no Clearance Low Limit is set, a SmartScan notification will appear when clearance becomes less than 55% of the blood flow.
- A SmartScan notification is triggered in case the Forecast Kt/V measurement value is below the Target Kt/V.
- The Operator is alerted via a yellow alarm if a Diascan function measurement fails.
- After a Fast Recovery procedure, the Diascan function is automatically deactivated.



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## Hands on: Chapter 4

- Set up HD double needle
- Treatment time 90 min,
- UF volume 2.5 L
- Heparin - linear
- Distribution volume
- The Diascan function
- The Hemoscan function
- Isolated UF - time 45 min, UF volume 1L
- Start treatment
- End treatment procedure

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### Chapter 5: Troubleshooting

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## Troubleshooting

- Alarm Management
- Air in Venous Line Alarm
- A/V Pressure Alarm
- Malfunction Alarms
- SmartScan

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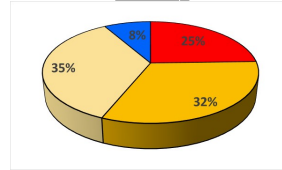
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## Alarm Classes & Distribution

Classes	Alarm Priority	Display Color	Sound	Light appearance
High	HIGH	RED	High sound 10 pulses/7sec	RED Flashing
Medium	MEDIUM	YELLOW	Med Sound 3 pulses/7sec	YELLOW Flashing
Low	LOW	YELLOW	Low sound 2 pulses/17sec	YELLOW Constant
Notification	N/A	BLUE	Tune every 90 sec	N/A
Smartscreen	N/A	BLUE	Tune every 90 sec	N/A

GUI text, sound and light are in compliance with the IEC 60601-1-8 standard



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## Smart Alarm Management

The **alarm code** and **message** displayed may include several related alarm codes.

Examples to the right:

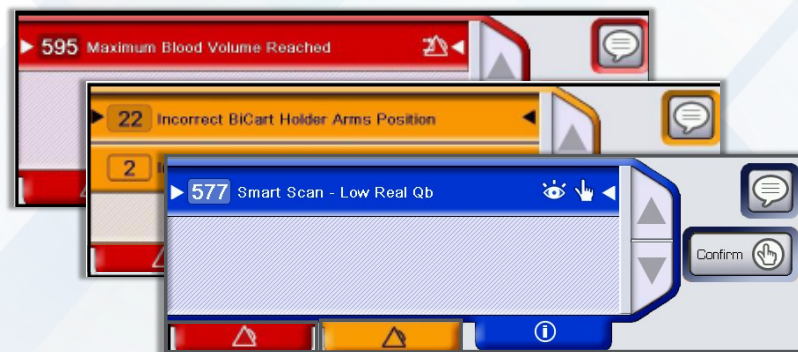
- BiCart cartridge empty (#21)
- Acid/Acetate Concentrate Container Empty (#1)

Root Alarm	Related Alarms
BiCart cartridge empty (#21)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Incorrect conductivity measured (#375)</li> <li>• Incorrect bicart/blue concentrate tube concentration (#366)</li> <li>• Dialysis fluid temp low (#377)</li> <li>• Dialysis fluid flow low (#373)</li> <li>• Conductivity too low (#462)</li> <li>• Acid/Safebag Concentrate Error (#369)</li> <li>• Bicarbonate/Safebag Concentrate Error (#370)</li> <li>• Dialysis fluid temp too low (#461)</li> <li>• Dialysate pH low (#368)</li> <li>• Dialysate pH high (#40)</li> <li>• Bicarbonate/K Conductivity too Low (#464)</li> <li>• Incorrect fluid conductivity detected (#496)</li> <li>• Select Concentrate Error (#590)</li> </ul>
Acid/Acetate Concentrate Container Empty (#1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Incorrect conductivity measured (#375)</li> <li>• Incorrect bicart/blue concentrate tube concentration (#366)</li> <li>• Dialysis fluid temp low (#377)</li> <li>• Dialysis fluid flow low (#373)</li> <li>• Conductivity too low (#462)</li> <li>• Acid/Safebag Concentrate Error (#369)</li> <li>• Bicarbonate/Safebag Concentrate Error (#370)</li> <li>• Dialysis fluid temp too low (#461)</li> <li>• Dialysate pH low (#368)</li> <li>• Dialysate pH high (#40)</li> <li>• Bicarbonate/K Conductivity too Low (#464)</li> <li>• Incorrect fluid conductivity detected (#496)</li> </ul>

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## Alarm Appearance



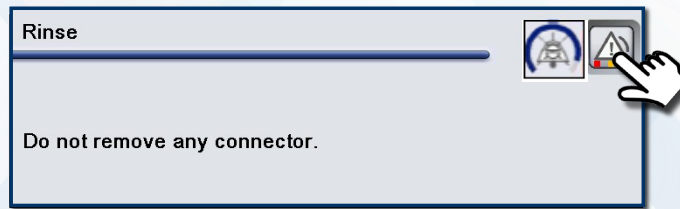
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## Alarm Management

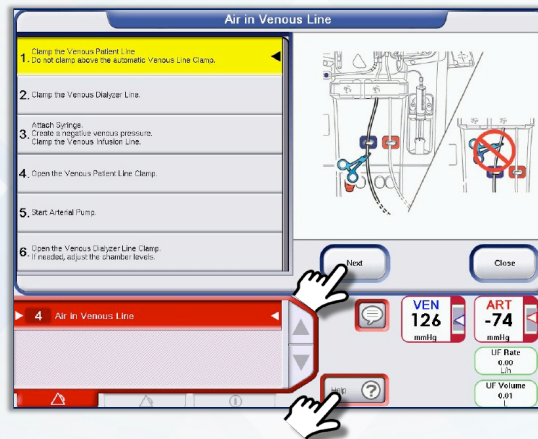


Only a blood leak alarm can be overridden

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## Alarm Help-on-line

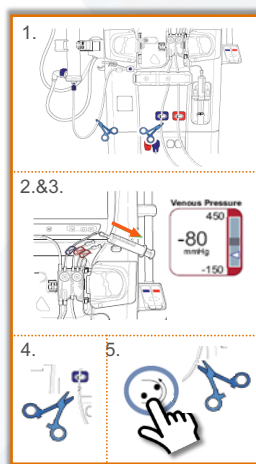


Help-on-line is automatically closed if an alarm with higher priority occurs

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## Air in Venous Line



1. Manually clamp:
  - The venous patient line below the venous automatic line clamp and below any visible air
  - The dialyzer venous line
2. Attach a sterile luer-lock syringe to the venous infusion line and create a negative pressure of -80 mmHg in the venous chamber
3. When the venous automatic line clamp opens (listen) then clamp the venous infusion line clamp
4. Remove the manual clamp from venous patient line – check that no air is present in the line
5. Restart blood pump and remove the manual clamp from dialyzer line
6. Check/adjust chamber fluid levels.

As long as another red alarm is active it is not possible to start the blood pump

When resolving the alarm, the venous clamp closes again if the venous pressure reaches 40 mmHg

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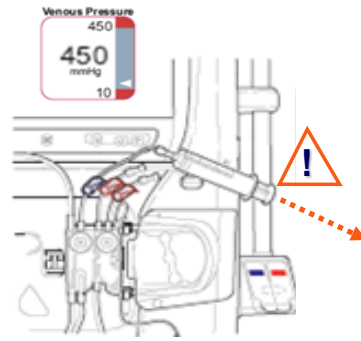
## A/V Pressure Alarms

### Arterial pressure alarm

- ▶ Once the arterial pressure stabilizes, press the Reset button to restart the blood pump

### Venous pressure alarm

- ▶ Once the venous pressure stabilizes, press the Reset button to restart the blood pump - the venous clamp opens automatically
- ▶ Venous pressure above 450 mmHg requires the use of a luer lock syringe to decrease the pressure



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## Malfunction Alarm | Call for Service

- Note the alarm code (check in the Operator's Manual malfunction list)
- Perform a "Fast Recovery" procedure (if applicable, see below)
- If the malfunction alarm is not resolved / recurs - turn the machine OFF and perform a Manual Rinseback
- Call for Service
- **Pay special attention to malfunction alarm code 59 and 64**
  - ▶ Code 59: Heater protection error
    - Switch the machine OFF
    - Perform a Manual Rinseback
  - ▶ Code 64: Safe state activated "Excessive Rinseback Volume"  
If this alarm code occurs during Rinseback
    - Switch the machine OFF
    - Disconnect the patient



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## Malfunction 320

When Malfunction 320 is triggered, the following happens:

- The touch screen is blocked
- A "Fast Recovery" procedure is required



It is not necessary to disconnect the patient

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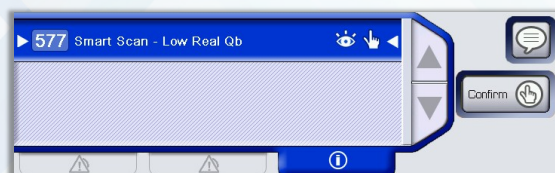
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## Smartscan



It is intended as a treatment supervisor, alerting the Operator when the ongoing treatment may be improved by the adjustment of a parameter setting



Some of the Smartscan notifications can be managed in Preset environment

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## Examples of Smartscan Notifications



- Smartscan - High QD, code 514
- Smartscan - Low QD, code 513
- Smartscan - Low QB, code 512
- Smartscan - Low Real Qb, code 577
- Smartscan - High Sodium setting, code 606
- Smartscan - HemoControl: Refilling rate better than expected, code 635
- Smartscan - HemoControl: Unusual Status, code 636
- Smartscan - HemoControl: Refilling rate lower than expected, code 637
- Smartscan - HemoControl: UF volume may not be reached, code 638
- Smartscan - HemoControl: High Na Concentration, code 231
- Smartscan - HemoControl: Low Na Concentration, code 232
- Smartscan - Diascan: Low Clearance, code 530
- Smartscan - Diascan: Low KT/V, code 531

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## Nice to know | Flowmeter Technology

Because the Electromagnetic (EM) flowmeter technology is likely to be more sensitive to deposits, a monitoring of the number and frequency of the descaling procedures has been implemented to keep optimal performances of the flowmeters.

This is managed by 2 additional alarms 659 and 662:

1. A reminder is displayed: Alarm #659 "Reminder - Perform a Descaling Procedure". This reminder is triggered from the start of the 18<sup>th</sup> (or 19<sup>th</sup> or 20<sup>th</sup>) treatment preparation if 17 (or 18 or 19) consecutive treatments have been completed **without any descaling**. The user can reset this alarm to carry on with the preparation, if he/she cannot proceed with the descaling at that time.
2. After the completion of the 20<sup>th</sup> treatment without any descaling, the alarm #662 "Preparation cannot start until **a Descaling procedure has been performed**" is triggered to prevent the start of the preparation. This alarm is resettable, a descaling procedure (one of the following: Heat CleanCart C, Ultra Peracetic or Low Peracetic, Stand-by Peracetic or Stand-by Low Peracetic) must be performed to initiate a preparation.



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## Hands on: Chapter 5

- Change A/V pressure window
- Change A/V pressure limits
- Handle A/V pressure alarms
- Handle air in venous line alarm

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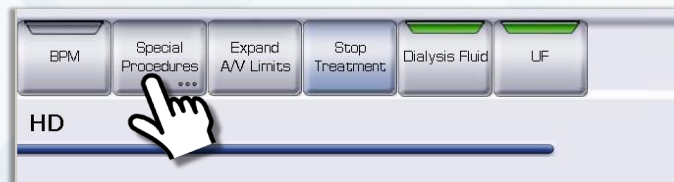
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## Special Procedures



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## Special Procedures

Special procedures is a common term for:

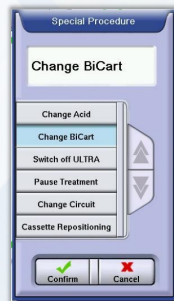
- Procedures available on the Select Pad via the Overview Screen “Special Procedures” button
  - The available procedures may differ depending on the ongoing process and treatment
  - On-line guidance is available
- Other procedures requiring special attention
  - Procedures having a more general purpose (Fast recovery, Manual Rinseback, Power Failure, etc.)
  - On-line guidance is not available



Special Procedures are covered in the Operator’s Manual Chapter 7, Other procedures in Chapter 8

## Special Procedures

Available Special Procedures change depending on the current process



- Standard HD:
- Change Acid
  - Change BiCart
  - Switch off ULTRA
  - Pause Treatment
  - Change Circuit
  - Cassette Repositioning

Guidance is provided on how to perform the Special Procedures

## Special Procedure Guidance

**Cassette Repositioning**

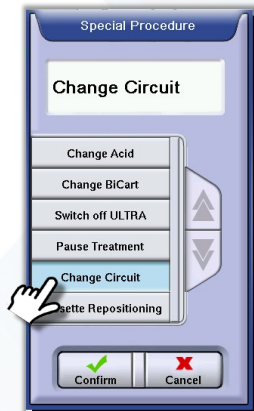
1. Press <Confirm>. Cassette holder will be pushed out.
2. 
  - A. Remove caps from Arterial and Venous Infusion Line keeping clamps closed.
  - B. Attach a sterile syringe to the Venous Infusion Line.
  - C. Unclamp the infusion lines and press <Next>.
3. 
  - A. Remove the syringe keeping the clamp open.
  - B. Wait 5 seconds.
  - C. Press <Confirm>. Cassette holder will be reloaded.
4. 
  - A. Clamp both the Infusion Lines.
  - B. Replace caps.
  - C. Press <Close> when done.

Confirm

- = action required
- 5" = wait
- = ready; info bar turns grey



## Change Circuit



Available from Start Treatment to Stop Treatment

- ▶ The Special Procedures button is not available as long as the Isolated UF is activated

The complete Extracorporeal Circuit is changed.

Operator's messages are guiding the Operator through the process, which includes several phases.

The Artis Physio Plus system stores all treatment data, which are resumed once the treatment is restarted.

If activated:

- ▶ Heparin administration is resumed once blood is detected
  - No initial dose is administered
  - Accumulated heparin volume is reset
- ▶ Diascan is suspended and automatically resumed
- ▶ Hemoscan is automatically deactivated
  - All blood volume data collected will remain available.

Before initiating Change Circuit, check that the quantity of concentrates is sufficient to complete the procedure

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## Cassette Repositioning



The cassette's diaphragms may move from their neutral positions, which may cause:

- Inaccurate pressure monitoring
- Pressure alarms
- T1 Test failure

Cassette Repositioning should then be performed in order to restore their proper position

Cassette Repositioning is available for the:

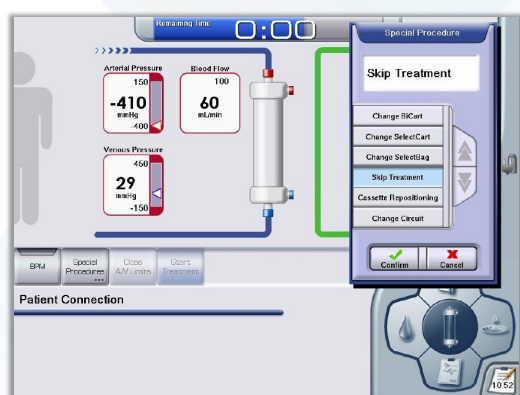
- Blood cassette
- SN cassette

Before initiating Cassette Repositioning, decrease the BP speed and ensure the A/V chamber fluid levels are not too high

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## Skip Treatment



- This special procedure is available during the Connect Patient phase until the "Start Treatment" button is pressed.
- This procedure allows the operator to skip the treatment phase and to perform a patient disconnection.

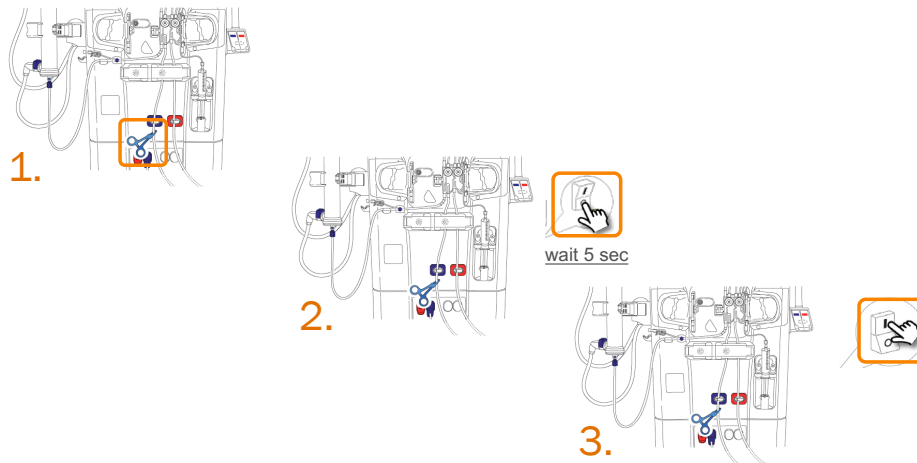
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## Fast Recovery Procedure



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## Fast Recovery | Parameters Saving

Parameter	Value	Unit	Parameter	Value
Treatment Type	HD - DN		Concentrate Combination	BiCart + Concentrate C285/C328
Treatment Time	4:00	h:min		
UF Volume	2:00	L		
UF Rate	0.50	L/h		
Sodium	140	mmol/L		
Bicarbonate	34	mmol/L		
Dialysis Fluid Flow	500	mL/min	Isol UF Time	2:00
Temperature	37.0	°C	Isol UF Vol	1.00
			Isol UF Rate	0.50

► Start the Blood Pump

Prescription parameters are stored and displayed in the Fast Recovery Review Screen.

Upon confirmation:

- Press Start the Treatment button
- Close the pressure limits

Treatment continues in accordance with:

- Remaining time
- Remaining UF volume

Other treatment parameters are not stored

Auto BP, Heparin administration, Isolated UF and UltraControl functions can be reactivated

Confirm

\* Start the blood pump as soon as possible  
 \* Check the prescription parameters.  
 \* Press <Confirm> to proceed.

If the alarm reoccurs, Stop Treatment and finish off manually

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## Manual Rinseback HD-DN & HDF

In case of a machine malfunction, power failure or other emergencies a Manual Rinseback may be performed.

1. Clamp the Venous Patient line below the Venous Line Clamp and switch the machine OFF – **the alarm system is not active**
2. Prepare for Rinseback as per unit policy, then connect the Arterial Patient line to saline
3. Remove the Venous and Arterial Patient lines from the automatic clamps
4. Open the Sensor Bar and check for air bubble in the lines
5. Open the BP cover and pull out the BP rotor crank
6. **Unclamp the Venous and Arterial Patient lines and the saline line for Rinseback**
7. Slowly turn the Arterial Pump Crank counter-clockwise to return the desired volume of blood
8. Clamp the Venous Patient line and disconnect.

While manually returning the blood, check for air in the venous patient line

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## Power Failure | Battery Backup



### “No Power – Using Battery Backup”

If the power failure lasts **less than 5 minutes**, once the supply mains returns:

- The displayed alarm message disappears
- The interrupted process automatically restarts and no operator intervention is required

### “No Power – Using Battery Backup”

If the power failure remains for **more than 5 minutes**:

- ▶ In HD: stop the treatment and perform auto rinseback – switch the Artis Physio Plus System OFF
- ▶ In HDF On-line: switch to HD and perform auto rinseback – switch the Artis Physio Plus System OFF
- ▶ In Disinfection/Rinse: an alarm is triggered and the ongoing process is stopped – the Artis Physio Plus System automatically switches OFF after 5 minutes

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## Battery Charge



- To charge the battery the Artis Physio Plus system needs to be plugged into the mains supply with the Main Switch ON.
- After a power failure, the battery requires at least 12 hours recharging time.
- When the Artis Physio Plus system remains switched OFF, the battery gradually loses its charge.
- When the Artis Physio Plus system remains switched ON but not connected to the mains supply, the battery gradually loses its charge.

If a Power Failure occurs during a treatment and the battery backup is not charged, the machine enters the “Safe State Activated” mode:

- ▶ Perform a Manual Rinseback procedure

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## Hands on: Chapter 6

- Cassette repositioning
- Pause Treatment
- Battery backup
- Fast recovery
- Manual Rinseback
- Ultrafilter change
- Heat CleanCart-C

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### Report & Service Environment



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### Report Screen Usability

#### Event List

- Automatic treatment records at regular intervals (default 30 min)
- Manual snapshot

Time	08:11:33	08:11:35	08:15:17	08:18:30	08:21:20
Machine Event	Start Treatment	IUF Start	BPM Measurement	BPM Measurement	Snapshot
Treatment Time	min	400	400	357	354
Acc UF Volume	L	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.20
UF Rate	L/h	0.00	0.00	2.00	2.00
Blood Flow	ml/min	100	100	300	300
Arterial Pressure	mmHg	27	26	-51	-50
Venous Pressure	mmHg	42	41	50	51
TMP Set	mmHg	0	0	-34	-35

Automatic Events  
0:30  
min

Enter Event

Screen Cleaning LCD Test System Data Backdoor

HD-DN - Isolated UF

Press the Automatic Events button to change the records time interval

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## NavPad Area

Time and date are displayed on the left side of the NavPad

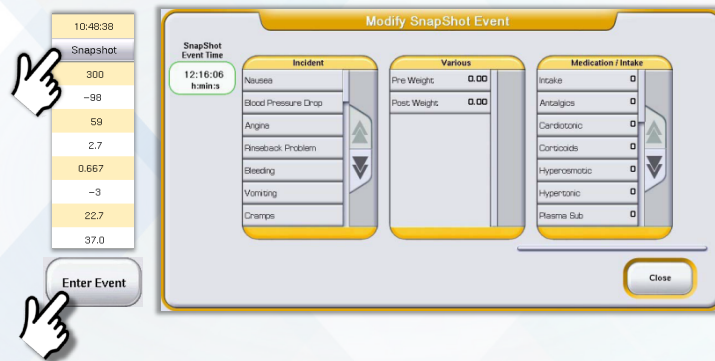


A manual snapshot of the treatment can be taken at any time with the button called "Treatment data record" at the bottom right corner of the screen; the "Time" cannot be used to snapshot. This button is available in all 5 Main screens.

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## Snapshot and Event Reporting



Press the Snapshot button or the Enter Event button to access Modify Snapshot Event screen

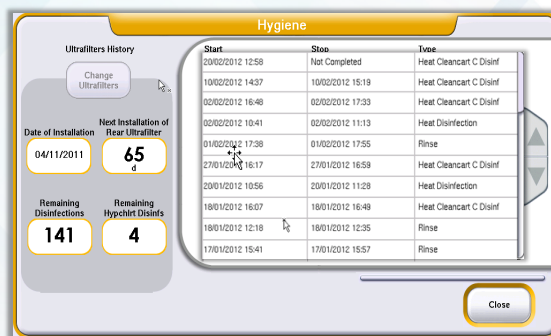
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## Hygiene Sub-screen



- Ultrafilters history table is always available
- Ultrafilters change procedure button is available in the standard environment
- Default values for Ultrafilters history counters correspond to the maximum authorized duration



Disinfection history table always available

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## Button Bar Usability



### LCD test

The test should be performed if the Operator observes or suspects that data are not correctly displayed on the Touch Screen

- ▶ Follow the instructions appearing on the screen (click = press)
- ▶ Call for service if not functioning correctly

### Screen cleaning



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## Button Bar Usability | System Data

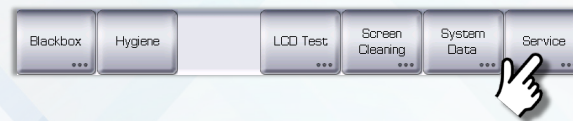


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3	00000	00000	00000	00000	00000	00000	00000	00000	00000	00000	00000
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## Artis Physio Plus System Service Mode | Two Levels



Two Service Levels with different access codes

### Service Level 1:

- Access code **169000**
- Date and time change
- Auto start preset
- Displays all preset parameters

### Service Level 2:

- Technicians access
- Preset environment
- Transfer of presets via an UBS key
- Calibration of sensors
- BlackBox downloading

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## The Artis Physio Plus System Service Mode | NavPad Interface



+ Service code

Preset Screen

Service Overview Screen

Exit Service Mode

Blood Screen  
Intentionally blank

Fluid Screen

Fluid circuit schematics and sensors/actuators status

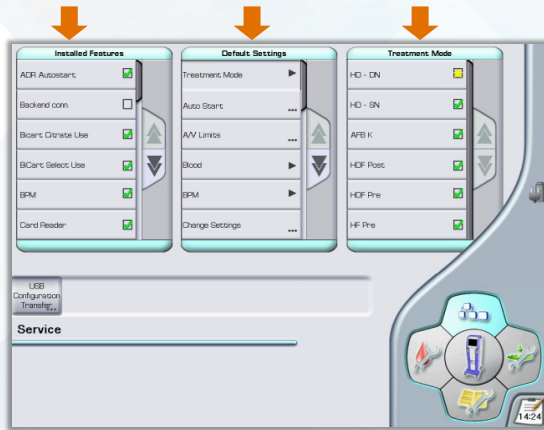
Technical Log Screen

Malfunction history, calibration, etc.

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## The Artis Physio Plus System Service Mode | Preset Screen



All presets can be viewed by scrolling the different select pads

### Service level 1

Possible to set/change:

- Time date
- Auto Start

### Service level 2

Possible to set/change:

- Installed features
- Default settings
- Treatment mode
- Preset transfer (next slide)

The Exit Service Mode button must always be pressed to save the changes and exit Service mode

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## The Artis Physio Plus System Service Mode | Preset Transfer



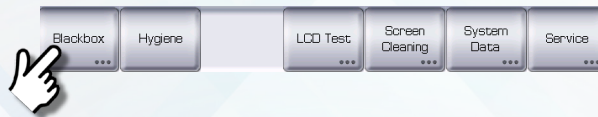
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## The Artis Physio Plus System Service Mode | Blackbox



In the Blackbox, the Artis Physio Plus system stores the latest 1 to max 24 sessions, according to the principle “first in- first out”.

Example of information stored:

- Treatment data
- Alarms
- Operator’s action
- Machine processes and phases
- Actuators information status

Limiting factors:

- Blackbox 24 Mb memory size
- Sampling time, 10 sec > 0.7Mb/session.

## Blackbox Files

The Blackbox can be downloaded to an USB key via the Report screen, requiring **Service Level 2** access code

- During preparation until Auto-Prime is booked or when no process is running

The downloaded Blackbox files should be named accordingly: **Box(IBBox)nn\_ddmmyy\_hhmm.dat**

where:

- o **BBox** = name of regular session starting with a dialysis treatment
- o **IBBox** = name of session starting at the startup of the machine (if no old session was found) or in case of manual closure of the session
- o **nn** = progressive ID of session (recycled from 1 to 24)
- o **ddmmyy** = date (day, month and year)
- o **hhmm** = time of session start (hour, minute)

- Blackbox files can only be read with Mediartis Tech SW application.



## Blackbox Downloading Procedure



- ▶ Place a USB stick in the Connectivity Panel USB port
- ▶ Press Blackbox button and enter Service Level 2 code in the key pad appearing
- ▶ Press Export Blackbox File button in the screen appearing
- ▶ Press Export All button → left window files are downloaded to the USB key
- ▶ Close Blackbox screens and remove USB key from the port
- ▶ Press Service Overview button and Exit Service Mode button.





## Hands on: Chapter 7

- Event list
- New reading/Snapshot
- Time interval
- Hygiene screen
- LDC test
- Screen Cleaning
- Access Service Level 1 and 2
- Preset process
- Blackbox downloading

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## Artis Physio Plus SW 9.05

### Chapter 8: The HemoControl Therapy

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## The HemoControl Therapy



- Enhances intradialytic hemodynamic stability
- Maintains sodium balance
- Facilitates dry weight accuracy

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## The HemoControl Therapy



### Automatic profiling of

- Dialysis fluid sodium concentration
- Ultrafiltration rate

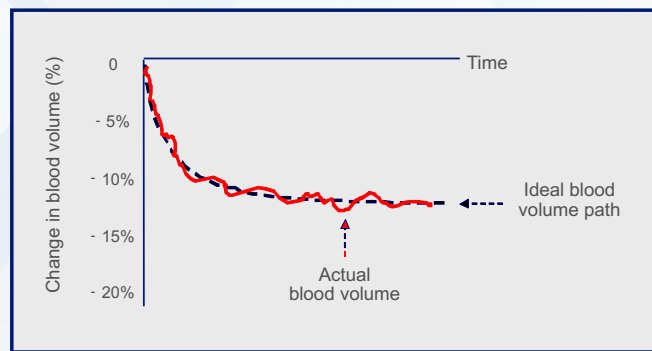


### Based on

- Patient prescription
- The actual Blood Volume changes measured by the Hemoscan function

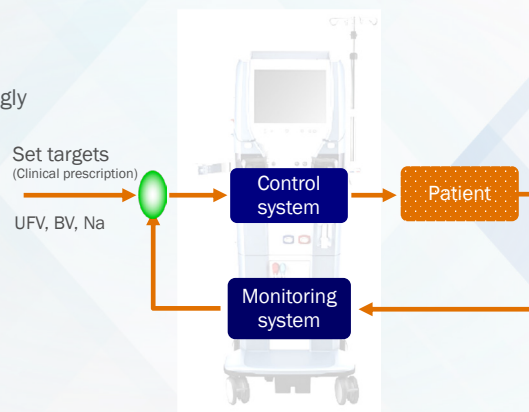
## The HemoControl Therapy

The HemoControl therapy guides the actual blood volume along a pre-defined trajectory



## The HemoControl Therapy

- Provides on-line information
- Compares it to the set target
- Adjusts parameters accordingly



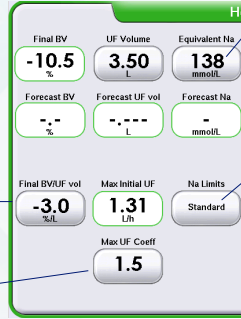
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# The HemoControl Therapy Settings

Start by setting:

- Treatment time
- UF volume
- Distribution volume

HemoControl setting screen



Patient individual target ratio calculated over 3 – 6 treatments

Coefficient for calculation of "Max Initial UF"

It should be equal to the Sodium value which would be set in a standard dialysis

Sodium conc. band (mmol/l):  
Narrow: -5 to 10  
Standard: -5 to 15  
Large: -7 to 18

The use of the Patient Card is recommended to simplify the settings of the HemoControl therapy parameters



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## Setting Final BV/UF Volume Ratio

- The Final BV/UF volume value is a measure of the patient's average refilling rate:
  - The lower value (more negative), the lower average refilling rate during the treatment



- Patient individual target ratio should be determined over a period of 3 – 6 treatments
- In case of Intradialytic hypotension (IDH) episodes, consider BV% at first episode and UF volume achieved at end of treatment

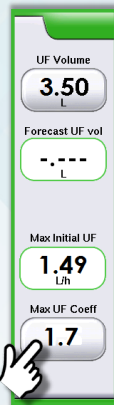
#	Dialysis	Date	End BV (%)	UFV (L)	BV/UFV (%/L)
1	Treatment	2011-08-01	-8,4	2,7	-3,1
2	Treatment	2011-08-03	-7,6	2,5	-3,0
3	Treatment	2011-08-05	-6,8	2,3	-3,0
4	Treatment	2011-08-08	-8,5	2,9	-2,9
5	Treatment	2011-08-10	-7,1	2,6	-2,7
6	Treatment	2011-08-12	-6,9	2,2	-3,1
				Calculated average BV/UFV:	-3,0

Follow the trend and adjust Final BV/UF volume over time



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## Defining the UF Rate Starting Point by the UF Coefficient



Max UF Coeff (setting range 1.2 – 2.0):

It is used for determining the Maximum Initial UF rate

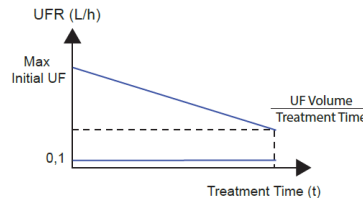
Max Initial UF rate = Max UF Coeff x UF volume / trmt time

- Ex: Max Initial UF rate = 1.7 x 3.5 L/4h = 1.7 x 0,9 = 1.49 L/h

• May be calculated accordingly:

- Max UF Coeff = 1 + (0.2 x UFV)

The Maximum Initial UF rate and the set UF rate provides the UF rate band used by HemoControl



$$1 + (0.2 \times \text{UFV}) = \text{Max UF Coeff}$$

$$1 + (0.2 \times 3.5) = 1.7$$

$$\text{Max Initial UF} = 1.7 \times 3.5 / 4\text{h} = 1.49 \text{ L/h}$$

It is better to optimize the Max. Initial UF rate at the beginning of the treatment



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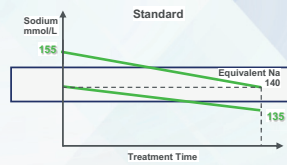


## Setting Equivalent Na & Sodium Limits



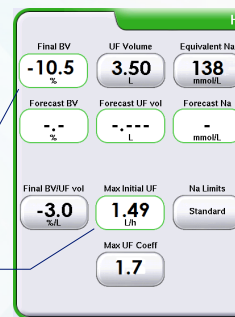
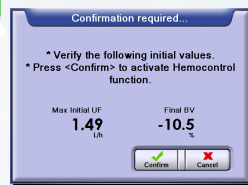
- The Equivalent Na value should be equal to the Sodium value which would be set in a standard dialysis treatment.
- Setting range: 135 – 150mmol/L
- The Na Limits defines the band within which the sodium in the dialysis fluid can be modulated.
- The Equivalent Na actual range depends on the Na Limit band selected.
- **Only bands compatible with Equivalent Na are available for selection**

Set the sodium limits		
Sodium band	Range (mmol/L)	Average UFV (L)
Narrow	-5 to 10	1-2
Standard	-5 to 15	2-4
Large	-7 to 18	>4



The modulation of dialysis fluid Na concentration within the Sodium bands is further restricted to never exceed the conductivity range of 13.4 to 15.6 mS/cm

## Calculated Values

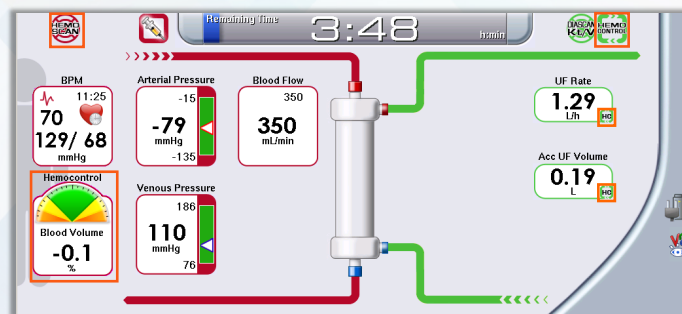


$$\text{Final BV} = \text{Final BV/UF volume} \times \text{UFV}$$

$$\text{Max Initial UF} = \text{Max UF Coeff} \times \frac{\text{UFV}}{\text{Treatment Time}}$$

The HemoControl activation button is not available until Treatment Time, UFV and Distribution Volume are set

## The HemoControl Therapy Activated



The HemoScan function is automatically activated together with the HemoControl therapy



## Treatment Start



For changes affecting the BV during treatment, use the Stand-by button

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## The HemoControl Therapy Stand-by

The HemoControl therapy stand-by is recommended when an infusion has to be administered to the patient that may affect the relative blood volume measurement.



When the Stand-by button is activated:

- The automatic profiling of the UF rate and Sodium parameters is suspended for 5 minutes.
- Recommended values are applied i.e. the value to apply in order to reach the prescription parameters (UF Volume and Equivalent Na).
- An on-going Diascan function measurements will fail.
- The Stand-by is automatically deactivated after 5 minutes – it may be manually deactivated before that.

Do not use the HemoControl therapy during a blood transfusion

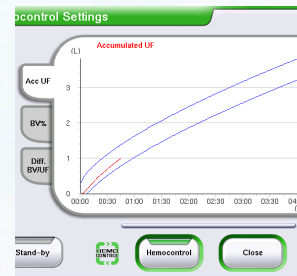
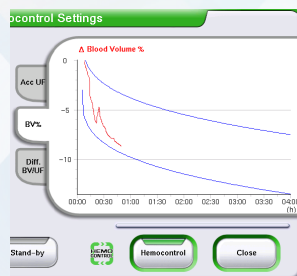
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## BV% & Acc. UF Trend Graphs

On HC settings screen the graphs are updated from treatment start

- Actual blood volume change (red line)
- Values should stay within the blue lines path



- Accumulated UF (red line)
- Values should stay within the blue line path

For accurate measurements, keep  $Q_b > 180$  ml/min

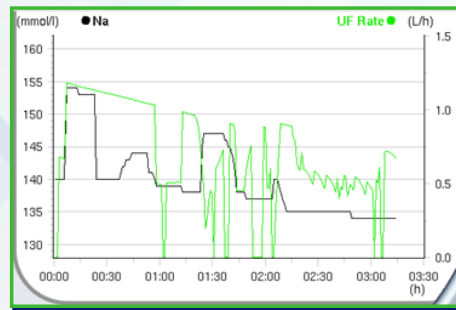
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## Dialysis Fluid [Na] & UFR Graph

On the Fluid screen graph, the dialysis fluid Na concentration and UF rate can be followed

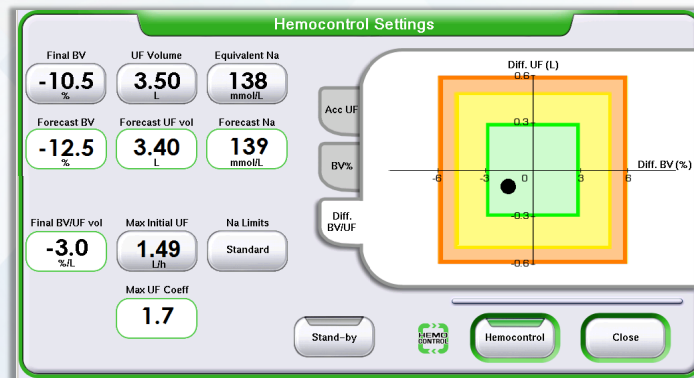


Plasma Sodium Conductivity is displayed on the Diascan Setting screen and in the Event List

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## Forecast Values



The forecast values are updated 45 minutes after treatment start, together with the:

- Diff BV/UF cross graph on the HC setting screen
- HemoControl plasma refilling indicator on the overview screen (next slide)

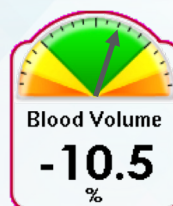
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## Plasma Refilling Indicator

Arrow = Plasma refilling indicator

Blood Volume = Actual BV change



HemoControl Chart Panel

Green area = On prescription

Yellow areas = Prescription may not be reached, attention needed

Orange areas = Prescription may not be reached, action needed

The arrow appears 45 minutes after treatment starts

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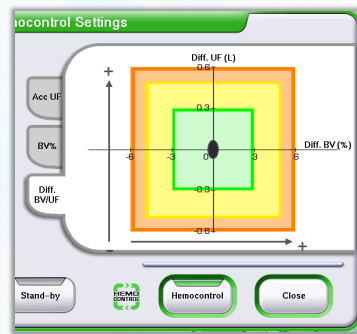
## The Diff BV/UF Cross Graph

### Diff. UF (y-axis)

Indicates the accumulated UF Volume deviation related to set targets (i.e.,  $\text{acc.UFV}_{\text{curr}} - \text{acc.UFV}_{\text{target}}$ )

### Diff. BV% (x-axis)

Indicates the current BV change deviation related to set targets (i.e.,  $\text{BV\%}_{\text{curr}} - \text{BV\%}_{\text{target}}$ )



In the optimal case, the dot is in the absolute center when the treatment time is achieved

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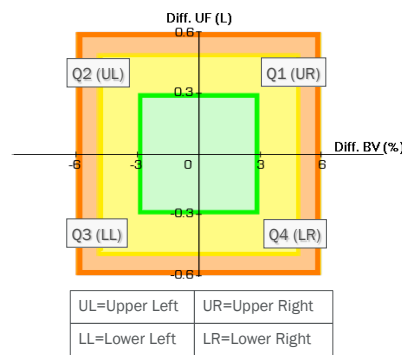
## Interpretation of the Cross Graph

Q1(UR): Refilling rate better than expected; opportunity to remove more water

Q2(UL): Unusual status; if this status persists, deactivate HemoControl

Q3(LL): Refilling rate lower than expected; dry weight might not be achieved

Q4(LR): UF volume may not be reached; fluid removal restricted by Max Initial UF

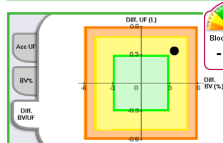
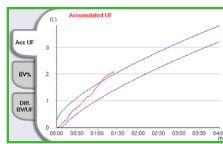
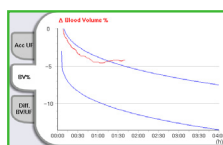


Evaluate whether to await the dot re-entering the green area or to adjust a treatment parameter

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## Out of Limits | Upper Right Quadrant



### Refilling rate better than expected

- BV decreases less than expected
- UFV increases more than expected

▶ Check blood pressure (BP) and patient status

### BP and patient's status are not affected

- ▶ Consider increasing the UFV
  - an increase of 0.3L may be used
- ▶ If dry weight is to be maintained consider increasing the Final BV by making it less negative
  - a change of +3% may be used

### BP or patient's status is affected

In case of minor symptoms:

- ▶ Consider increasing Final BV by making it less negative
  - a change of +3% may be used

If saline is administered:

- ▶ Consider using Stand-by or deactivate HemoControl

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### HemoControl: Refilling rate better than expected

SmartScan detected a BV% reduction lower than expected, leading to higher Accumulated UF Volume.

- If this message reoccurs, consider one of the following options:
- WARNING!** Carefully evaluate the patient's clinical condition before adjusting the prescription parameters. Pay particular attention to the patient's blood pressure.
- OPTION 1**  
STABLE BP, NO HYPOTENSION AND DRY WEIGHT TO BE MAINTAINED:  
Consider increasing Final BV.
- OPTION 2**  
STABLE BP and NO HYPOTENSION:  
Consider increasing UF Volume.
- OPTION 3**  
AFFECTED BP AND/OR HYPOTENSION:  
Consider increasing Final BV, or Stand By (if infusion is required), or deactivate HemoControl.
- Remember that it takes up to 30 minutes to see the full effect of a Hemocontrol prescription adjustment.

Next
Close

635 HemoControl: Refilling rate better than expected

VEN  
**86**  
mmHg

ART  
**-7**  
mmHg

UF Rate  
0.62 L/h

UF Volume  
3.52 L

Confirm
Help

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### Out of Limits | Lower Right Quadrant

Final BV	UF Volume	Equivalent Na
<b>-10.5</b> %	<b>3.50</b> L	<b>138</b> mmol/L
Forecast BV	Forecast UF vol	Forecast Na
<b>-6.9</b> %	<b>3.14</b> L	<b>137</b> mmol/L

**UF volume may not be reached**

- BV decreases less than expected
- UFV increases less than expected

▶ Check BP and patient status

**BP and patient's status are not affected**

▶ If the BP is stable, consider increasing the Max Initial UF

Final DV/UF vol	Max Initial UF	Na Limits
<b>-3.0</b> %L	<b>1.68</b> L/h	Standard
Max UF Coeff		
<b>2.0</b>		

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### Out of Limits | Lower Left Quadrant

Final BV	UF Volume	Equivalent Na
<b>-10.5</b> %	<b>3.50</b> L	<b>138</b> mmol/L
Forecast BV	Forecast UF vol	Forecast Na
<b>-14.3</b> %	<b>3.11</b> L	<b>139</b> mmol/L

**Refilling rate lower than expected**

- BV decreases more than expected
- UFV increases less than expected

▶ Check BP and patient status

**BP and patient's status are not affected**

▶ If the dry weight is to be maintained, consider decreasing the Final BV by making it more negative  
- a change of -3% may be used

**BP or patient's status is affected**

In case of minor symptom:

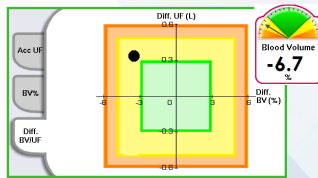
- ▶ Consider decreasing the UF volume  
- a decrease of 0.3L may be used
- If saline is administered:
- ▶ Consider using Stand-by or deactivate HemoControl

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## Out of Limits | Upper Left Quadrant



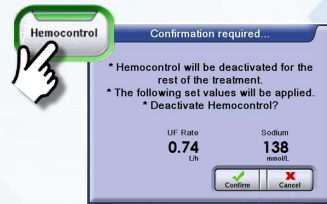
### Unusual Status

This is a contradictory situation following an adjustment of a setting

### Suggested action:

If the dot persists in this quadrant for more than 15 minutes

- ▶ Deactivate HemoControl



Once deactivated, HemoControl cannot be activated again

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## Adjustments During Treatment

### Rules of thumb

- Avoid adjusting more than one parameter at a time.
- For adjustments during the treatment, a value of  $\pm 3\%$  or  $\pm 0.3L$  respectively may be used.
- It takes approx. 20 minutes before the full effect of any adjustment is visible. Be patient and do not change any other parameter during this time.
- After an adjustment the forecast values should be disregarded during the first 10 minutes. The treatment progress can be followed via the BV and UF graphs.
- In general no more than one adjustment should be necessary during the treatment.
- When the dot of the cross graph is in the lower left quadrant (i.e. poor refilling suspected), a stable BP associated with high heart rate may indicate an approaching BP drop.

Follow the trend over time and consider patient prescription on a regular basis

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## Nice to know

- The HemoControl therapy is not available for on-line HDF, HD single needle and AFBK treatments.
- An initial value of Hgb above 14 g/dl may lead to a Hemoscan measure out of range alarm and will force the deactivation of the HemoControl therapy (Hgb operating range: 6 to 16 g/dl)
- When the UF volume is reached, the notification "Fluid removal completed #53" is displayed; if desired, the UF volume can be increased in the Fluid screen.
- At treatment end the Final BV may be  $\pm 3\%$ , the Final UFV  $\pm 0.3L$  and the Equivalent Na  $\pm 3\text{mmol/L}$  compared to the set values while the plasma indicator is still within the green area.
- As an alternative to the observational phase, a Final BV / UF Volume value of  $-2.5\% / L$  could be used as a start value for most patients; in this case, some adjustments during treatment may be required.



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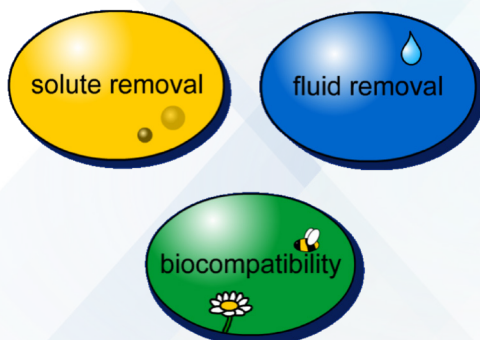
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### Chapter 9: HDF On-line Treatment

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## HemoDiaFiltration On-line



### HDF On-line Postdilution

- Volume control
- Pressure control
- UltraControl

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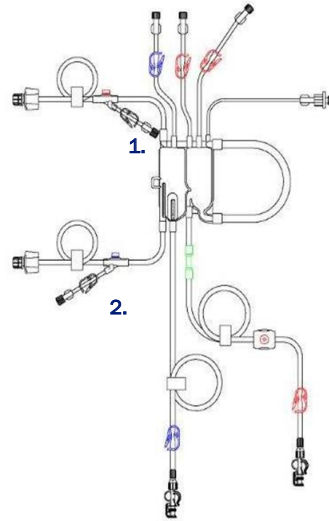
## The ArtiSet PrePost Blood Tubing System

Components/part names:

1. **Arterial connector** to connect for predilution
2. **Venous connector** to connect for postdilution

Color coding:

1. **Arterial connector:** clamp and cap in white – injection port in red
2. **Venous connector:** clamp and cap in white - injection port in blue



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## ULTRALINE HDF

Accessory	Blood Tubing System	Application
	Artiset PrePost	HDF Post treatment HDF Pre treatment HF Pre treatment
	ArtiSet HD DNL HC	HDF Post treatment

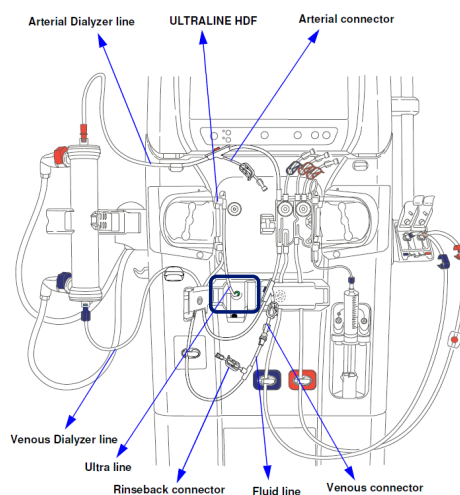
Components/part names:

1. **Ultra line** to describe the tubing connected to the Ultra port
2. **Ultra line connector**
3. **Rinse back connector**
4. **Fluid line** to describe the tubing connected the Arterial or Venous connector

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## ULTRALINE HDF & the ArtiSet PrePost Blood Tubing System



Thoroughly secure the ULTRA line connection to the ULTRA port

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## HDF Presets

**Pre**

Parameter	Value
Hemoscan	Yes
Diascan	Yes
On-line Substitution Rate	180 mL/min
VC Dialysis Fluid Flow	600 mL/min
TMP Upper Limit (Volume Control)	400 mmHg
Q/QB Low Limit	10 %

**Post**

Parameter	Value
Hemoscan	Yes
Diascan	Yes
UC Auto Preset Enable	Yes
Control Mode	Pressure Mode
TMP	50 mmHg
On-line Substitution Rate	50 mL/min

Parameter	Value
VC Dialysis Fluid Flow	600 mL/min
TMP Dialysis Fluid Flow	600 mL/min
TMP Upper Limit (Volume Control)	300 mmHg
TMP Upper Limit (Pressure Control)	300 mmHg
Q/QB (Volume Control)	35 %
Q/QB (Pressure Control)	45 %

Parameter	Value
UC Scan Completed Alarm	No
UC Scan Interrupted Alarm	No
HDF Diffusive Flow Limit	350 mL/min
TMP Upper Limit Percentage	80 %

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## HDF Treatment Settings

Treatment Settings sub-screen

Treatment Type

Control Mode

The settings displayed are presetable

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## Pressure Control Confirmation Required

Confirmation Required...

Please confirm prescription settings:


Dialysis Fluid Flow: 600 mL/min

TMP Set: 50 mmHg



Confirm

Pressure control

Time: ———

Volume: 

TMP: ———

 = varies     = fixed

The parameters in this confirmation window are presetable

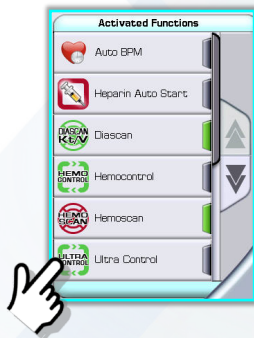
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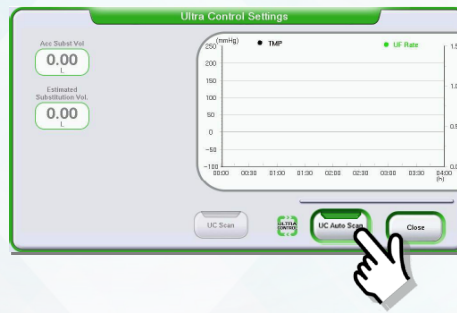


## Activating the UltraControl Therapy

Select Ultra Control



Activate UC Auto Scan

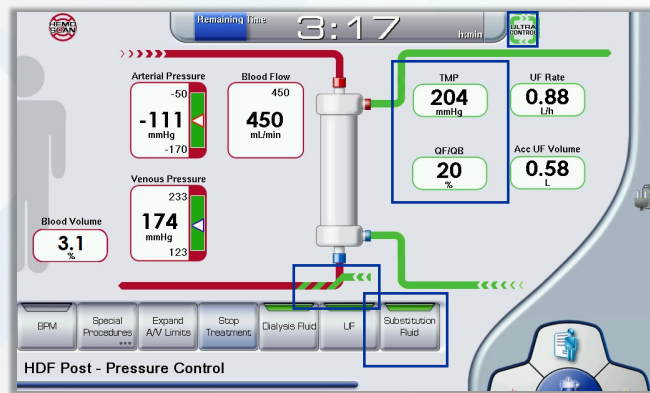


Before the UltraControl therapy can be activated, HDF Pressure control mode must be set

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## Treatment Overview During Treatment



When using the UltraControl therapy, the QF/QB ratio could be as high as 45%, especially early in the treatment

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## Fluid Screen | Pressure Control



The On-line Bolus activation button is available from treatment start

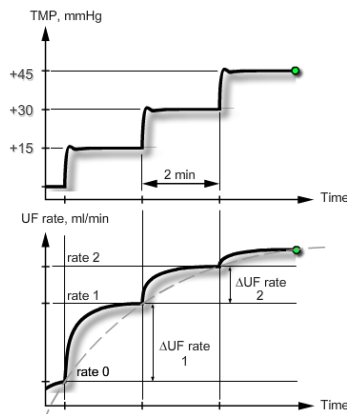
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## The UltraControl Therapy | Automatic TMP Scans



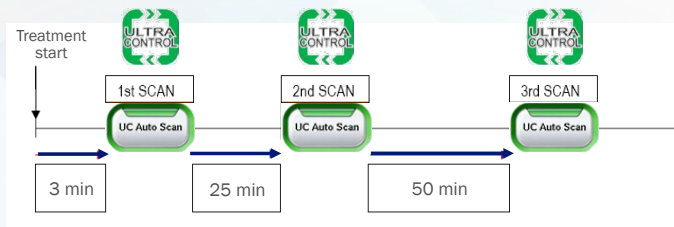
### Automatic TMP Scanning

- From a starting value, the TMP is increased in fixed steps while the UF rate increase is monitored
- The TMP and Qinf are allowed to increase until predefined limits are reached, when the TMP scan is aborted

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## Auto Scan Schedule



From the 3<sup>rd</sup> auto scan forward:

- ▶ Automatic scans are performed 50 min after completion of previous scan until 60 minutes before treatment time completion
- ▶ A TMP step down by 15 mmHg will be applied based on the TMP value defined during the last scan

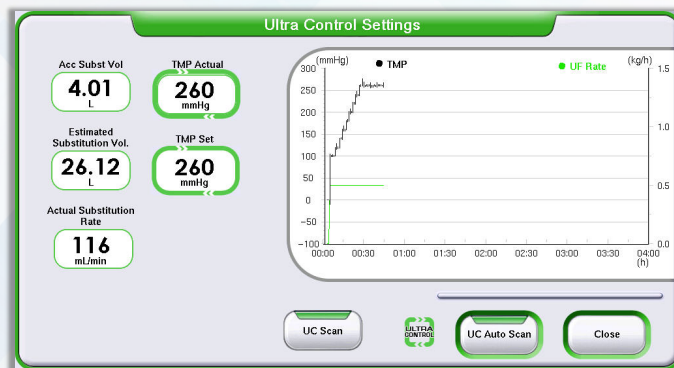
Manual UC scans are also available



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## UC Auto Scan



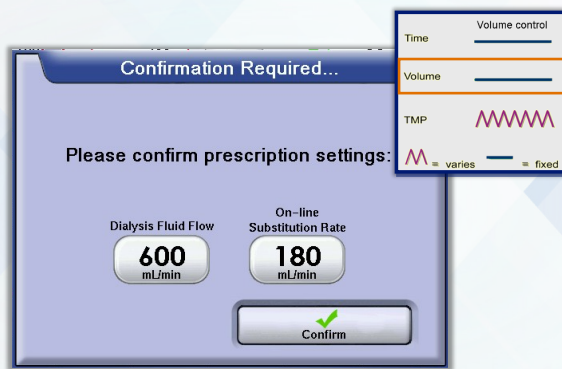
TMP Upper Limit can be set to 500 mmHg

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## HDF Post | Volume Control Confirmation Required



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## Substitution Fluid Rate Setting

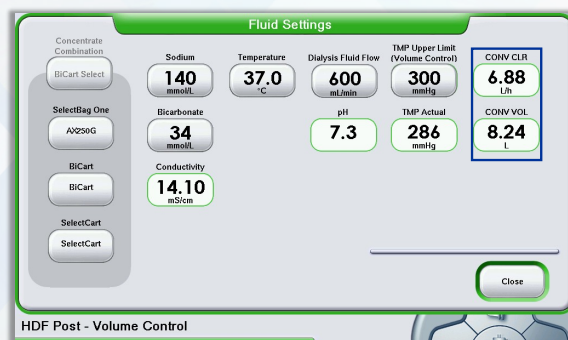


In volume control the QF/QB should be approximately 30%

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## Convection Values



- CONV CLR – The rate at which convection is taking place
- CONV VOL – The accumulated volume of convective clearance

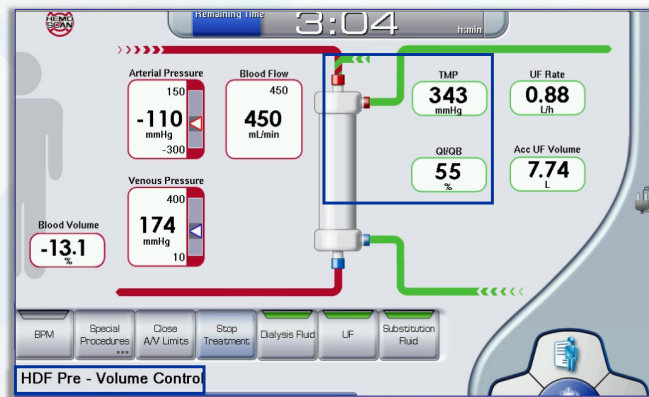
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## Switch to HDF Predilution ("Switch to Pre" Special Procedure)

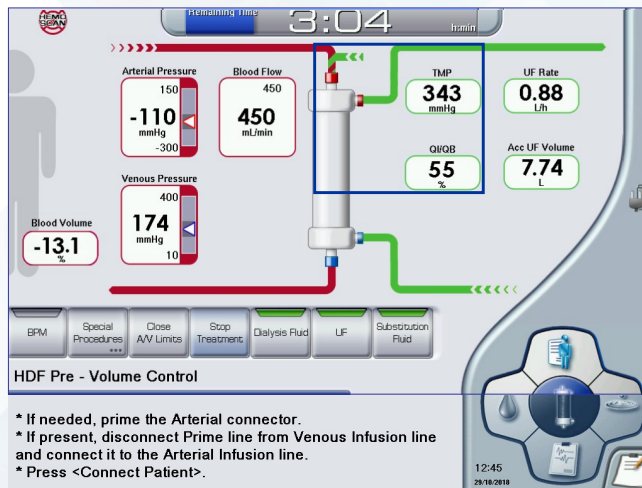


It is not possible to switch back to Post from Pre

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## HDF Pre & HF Pre



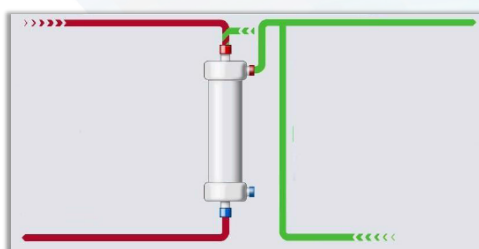
- ▶ They are "Treatment Type" set via the Prescription screen
- ▶ The ArtiSet PrePost cassette is to be used. This is to be configured in postdilution for priming
- ▶ The Fluid line is moved to the Arterial connector before patient connection.

- \* If needed, prime the Arterial connector.
- \* If present, disconnect Prime line from Venous Infusion line and connect it to the Arterial Infusion line.
- \* Press <Connect Patient>.

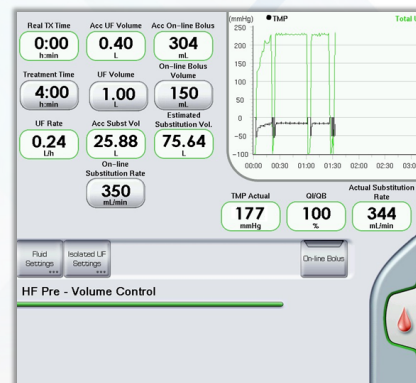
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## HF Pre



Flow path diagram



The infusion volume is set in the fluid screen in the same way as in HDF Post in volume control and in HDF Pre

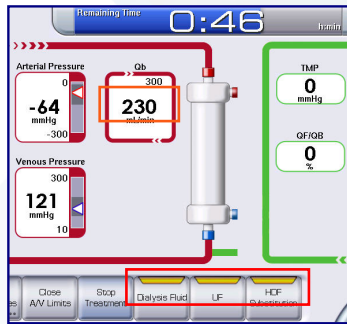
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## Blood Pump Automatic Control



The broad red Q<sub>B</sub>-frame indicates:

- The machine controls the blood pump
- The venous pump is standing still (or an on-line bolus is administered)
- Dialysis fluid, UF and HDF substitution fluid are temporarily disabled

The blood pump automatic control prevents pressure alarms

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## New Management of Blood Flow when On-line is Interrupted

To avoid blood pressure increase in the venous compartment and to maintain the blood hemodynamics in a physiological range when the on-line substitution is interrupted, the user can no longer interrupt the Automatic Control Loop of the blood pump.

The blood flow can be still slightly changed - in a limited range - during the time the blood pump is in Automatic Control Loop. The new flow will be set as soon as the control loop is completed:

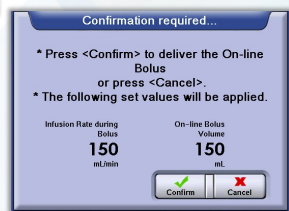
- If  $Q_B \leq 150$  ml/min, the blood flow can be changed in the range of 60 to 150 ml/min
- If  $Q_B > 150$  ml/min, the blood flow can be changed from 60 to the original blood flow set value (value before the treatment interruption).



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## Bolus Infusion



During Bolus Infusion:

- TMP is frozen (0 mmHg)
- Ultrafiltration process is stopped
- Convection and diffusion are stopped
- A/V pressure alarm limits are open
- UC Auto Scan function is paused
- UC Auto Scan button is dimmed
- BP automatic control is active



After on-line bolus administration:

- ▶ Press the Substitution Fluid button to continue treatment
- ▶ A new UC Auto Scan is initiated after

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## HDF / HF Specific Special Procedures



### On-line HDF:

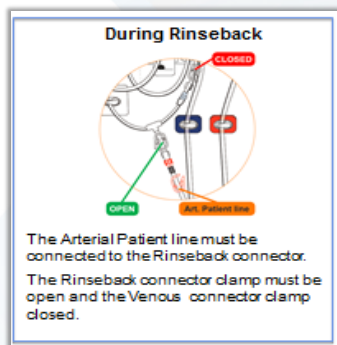
- Switch off Ultra
- Switch to Pre
- Change Circuit

### On-line HF:

- Switch off Ultra
- Change circuit

Control mode (volume/pressure) is changed via the "Treatment" button on the Prescription screen

## HDF/HF | Stop Treatment



- ▶ Connect the Arterial Patient line to the Rinseback connector
- ▶ Press Rinseback

If running out of concentrate during Rinseback, switch off Ultra and use saline

## Microbiological Sampling | Dialysis fluid

- The "Sampling" button becomes available on the Main screen when the dialysis fluid preparation is completed
- Sterile collection bag GMB SPO6 can be used (remove and discard the pre-connected tube adapter)

The sampling procedure is available in the following cases:

	HD	HDF	HF	AFBK
At the end of the preparation phase <i>Note:</i> the "Sampling" button is enabled only if the cassette is not loaded	X	X	X	X
End of treatment		X	X	

Do not load the cassette if a microbiological sampling is required



## Nice to know

- An alarm is triggered if the substitution fluid infusion is stopped for more than 5 minutes.
- If the Substitution Pump speed is lower than 10 ml/min for more than 5 sec a "TMP set too low" notification is triggered.
- Substitution fluid flow rate is ramped up when resumed i.e. after Auto-test, BP auto control, etc.
- When the UC Auto Scan button is dimmed, the Artis Physio Plus system is preparing a new scan.
- If a manual UC scan has been performed before UC Auto scan is activated, the ordinary auto scan schedule will start 3 minutes after the activation.
- When changing from Volume Control to Pressure Control, the current TMP is suggested as start value.
- Alarms related to UC scan completion and abortion is pre-settable.



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### Hands on: Chapter 9 – HDF Treatment

- HDF double needle
- Activate the UltraControl therapy
- Load the ArtiSet PrePost blood tubing system and the ULTRALINE HDF
- On-line priming
- Start treatment
- Switch to Volume control
- Switch to Pre
- Auto-rinseback
- Unload cassettes

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### Hands on: Chapter 9 – HF Treatment

- Load the ArtiSet PrePost blood tubing system and the ULTRALINE HDF
- On-line priming
- Start treatment
- Auto-rinseback
- Unload cassettes

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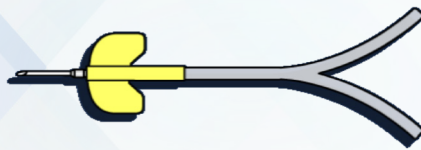
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## Chapter 10: HD-SN DP Treatment

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### HD-SN Double Pump



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### HD-SN DP Treatment Settings



Treatment Settings sub-screen

Always set the HD-SN Treatment before starting the HD-SN cassette loading procedure

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## HD-SN DP

The diagram shows a dialysis circuit with a patient connection point. The 'Special Procedures' menu is open, showing options: Change Acid, Change BiCart, Switch to DN (highlighted), Switch off ULTRA, Pause Treatment, and Change Circuit. Below the menu are 'Confirm' and 'Cancel' buttons.

**HD SN HC**  
*Priming performed in SN*  
 Patient Connection  
 SN or DN  
 Special Procedures  
 SN → DN  
 DN → SN

Needles mode switch is available, from Connect Patient until Stop Treatment keeping the SN cassette installed

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## Switching from SN to DN (DP)...

The interface shows a 'Confirmation required...' dialog box with a patient icon and instructions: '\* Connect patient lines in Double Needle. \* Press <Confirm> to proceed.' The main screen displays vital signs: Arterial Pressure (38 mmHg), Blood Flow (0 mL/min), Venous Pressure (46 mmHg), HE Rate (0.00 L/h), and Act HE Volume (2.23). A 'Remaining Time' of 1:09 is shown. The 'HD-DN (Double Pump)' mode is active. A note at the bottom states: '\* Verify that both patient lines are connected to the patient. \* Press blood pump ON/OFF key to start blood pumps and then adjust pump speed, if needed.'

Control loop on Venous pump with system pressure fixed at 100 mmHg

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## ... and from DN to SN (DP)

The 'Special Procedures' menu is open, showing 'Switch to SN' highlighted. The main screen shows a 'Confirmation required...' dialog box with a patient icon and instructions: '\* Connect patient lines in SN. \* Verify Stroke Volume and \* Press <Confirm> to proceed.' The 'Stroke Volume' is set to 40 mL. The main screen also displays Arterial Pressure (89 mmHg), Blood Flow (340 mL/min), and a 'Remaining Time' of 0:59. The 'HD-DN (Double Pump)' mode is active.

Needle mode switch is possible as many times as needed

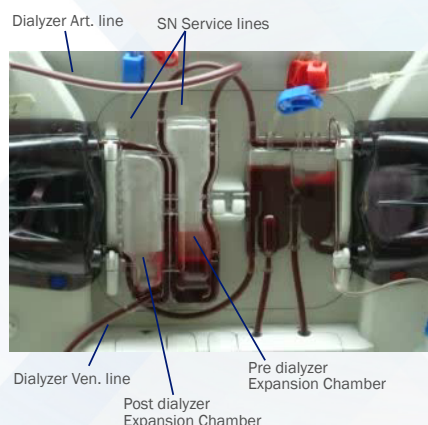
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## The ArtiSet HD-SN DP Blood Tubing System



- Integrated blood circuit including two expansion chambers and a venous pump segment
- Automatic loading of the complete blood circuit
- Automatic priming and chamber level adjustment

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## Blood Levels in the Chambers

Blood level adjustment during SN DP treatment (if needed):

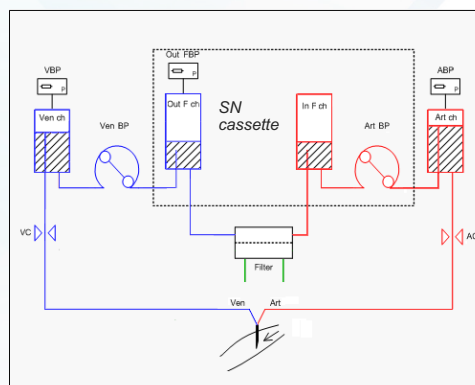
- Arterial chamber
  - During the arterial phase (i.e., when the arterial automatic clamp is open);
- Venous chamber
  - During the venous phase (i.e., when the venous automatic clamp is open);
- Expansion chambers (if blood levels in the two expansion chambers become greatly different; e.g. after an alarm situation):
  - Decrease the “Stroke Volume” to 25 ml and the “Mean Blood Flow” to 50 ml/min and wait at least one cycle (arterial + venous phase) before stopping the blood pumps;
  - Attach a sterile luer-lock syringe (at least 20cc) to the Service Line on the expansion chamber with the higher blood level and gently adjust the blood level in accordance with the other expansion chamber;
  - Restart the blood pumps and adjust the Mean Blood Flow and “Stroke Volume”.

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## SN DP Principle

- **Arterial phase:** Arterial blood pump (Art BP) is running until the automatically calculated post dialyzer pressure limit is met (SN pressure max) – venous line is clamped (VC)
- **Venous phase:** Venous blood pump (Ven BP) is running until the fixed low system pressure limit is met. (SN pressure min) – arterial line is clamped (AC)
- Almost constant blood flow through the dialyzer due to the two expansion chambers situated pre- and post- the dialyzer
- The stroke volume is achieved by the automatic control of the blood levels in the expansion chambers and the Ven BP speed



Access preserved by the pump/pressure controlled blood flow; withdrawal and return

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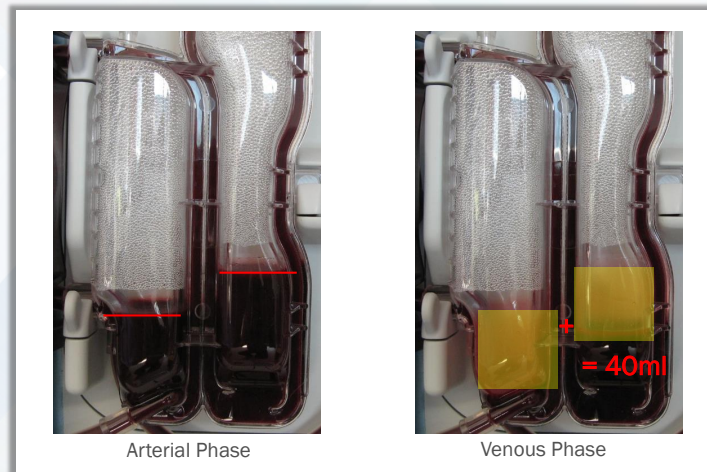
## SNDP Parameters

Mean blood flow rate	The effective blood flow rate during one cycle (20 to 270 mL/min, 10 mL/min step)
Stroke volume	The volume of blood passing through the dialyzer during a cycle (25 to 60 mL, 5 mL step)
SN pressure	Actual pressure in the post dialyzer chamber
SN pressure max	Automatically calculated in accordance with the set stroke volume
SN pressure min	Fixed at 40 mmHg

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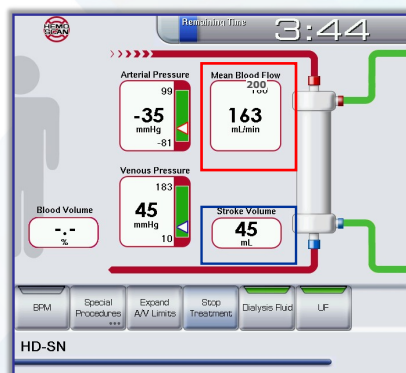
## Stroke Volume



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## Overview Screen



- Mean Blood Flow directly adjustable with BP hard keys

- Stroke Volume value box

Adjustable mean blood flow

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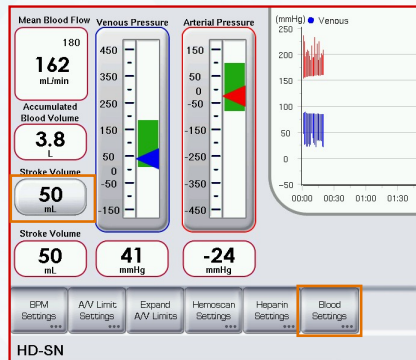


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## Blood Screen

- Stroke volume set button (also available on Prescription screen)
- Stroke Volume value box
- Arterial and Venous pressure values and trend graph
- Blood Settings button



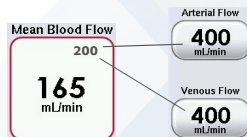
Adjustable Stroke Volume

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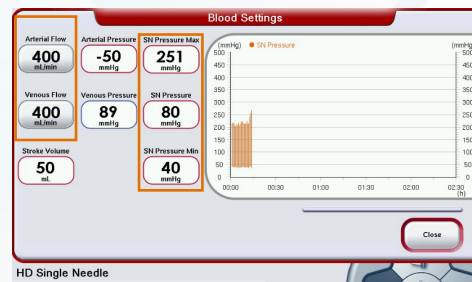
## Blood Settings Sub-screen

- Arterial flow set button
- Venous flow set button



The Mean Blood Flow is automatically recalculated when Arterial or Venous Flow values are changed

- pSN: post dialyzer chamber pressure
- pSN Max, dependent of the stroke volume
- pSN Min, fixed at 40mmHg



Usually the venous pump runs about 30% faster than the arterial pump

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## SNDP Supervision

- Operator control:** Mean blood flow and Stroke Volume  
Arterial and Venous flow adjustment (blood pump speed) for fine-tuning
- System control:** Post dialyzer pressure management; Arterial and Venous phases are managed according to the pSN Max and pSN Min values calculated on the basis of the Stroke Volume set

During Rinseback the A/V pumps run synchronously

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## Nice to know

- Available with SNDP: The Diascan\* & Hemoscan functions, Isolated UF
- The fluid level in the SN Venous Chamber is normally quite low
- The Blood setting button becomes available at blood detection
- When the Blood Setting sub-screen is open, the BP hard keys ▼ and ▲ are disabled
- When a SN parameter is changed, a few cycles are required for the change to become valid
- Switching needle mode:
- Isolated UF and the Hemoscan and Diascan\* functions are available when the treatment is started in HD DN or SN DP mode.
- The Isolated UF function must be deactivated before switching Needle Mode (not available in the Select pad) and cannot be reactivated after the switch.
- The HemoControl function is available when the treatment is started in DN. When switching to SN (DP or SP), the HemoControl function is deactivated upon the Operator's confirmation of UF rate and dialysis fluid sodium concentration.

(\*=accuracy not guaranteed for SN)

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## Hands on: Chapter 10

- SNDP
- Switch between the needle modes

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### Chapter 11: The AFB K Therapy

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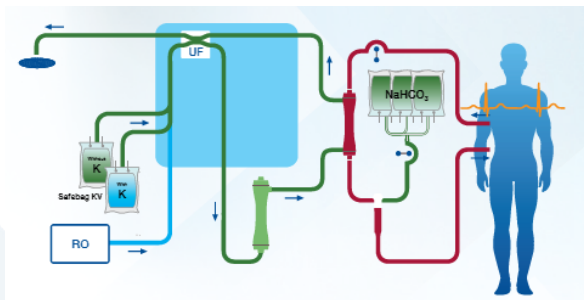
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## The AFB K Treatment

The AFB K modality enables potassium profiling for the management of potassium kinetics

- AFB K is a diffusive-convective HD modality characterized by acetate-free dialysis fluid complemented by infusion of sodium bicarbonate.
- Specific concentrate bags provide an easy and accurate individualization of the potassium in dialysis fluid.
- An advanced K profiling mode can be used to manage the K gradient between plasma and dialysis fluid



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## The AFB K Therapy on the Artis Physio Plus System



- Hardware / Software
- User interface principles
- Disposables
- Preparation
- Treatment delivery
  - K profile
  - K constant
- Surveillance system
- Special procedures
- Nice to know

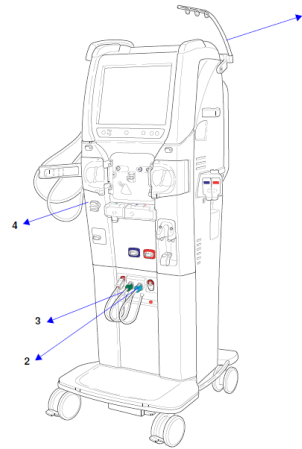
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## Hardware | AFB K Configuration (1)

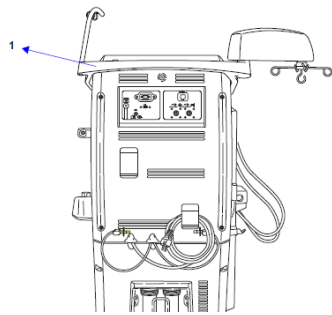
1. Infusion pole for Saline fluid
2. Green concentrate connector
3. Blue concentrate connector
4. Lines guide device for the:
  - AFB K infusion accessory line
  - Hospasol infusion inlet line
  - Venous Dialyzer Line



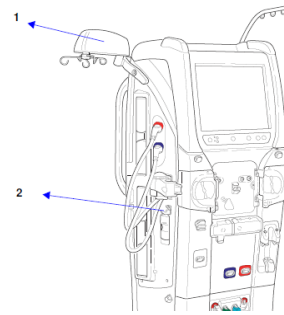
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## Hardware | AFB K Configuration (2)



1. AFB K infusion and scale support



1. AFB K scale
2. Hospasol Infusion Line Guide

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## The AFB K Therapy Software

AFB K must be preset to ON – or as default – in Service mode 2.

When the scale is effectively connected to the monitor, the Scale icon appears in the system icons area.



Scale icon

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## User Interface | Mandatory Parameters Added

AFB K is available via the Prescription screen Treatment button.

Two dedicated control modes:

- K profile
- K constant (default)

A different set of mandatory parameters.

A dedicated flow path diagram, infusion flow rate and accumulated infusion volume is shown in the Overview screen.

Bicarbonate infusion parameters are also shown in Fluid screen.

AFB settings and K settings sub-screens are available via dedicated buttons in the Fluid screen button bar.

New concentrate composition taken into account in the Fluid settings sub-screen.

Parameter	Value
Treatment Time	4:00 h:min
UF Volume	0.00 L
Infusion Flow	1.0 L/h
K Initial	4.0 mmol/L
K Final	1.5 mmol/L
Dialyzer	Evodial 1.6

Note: Also the Hospasol bag bicarbonate concentration is a mandatory parameter (not visible in this screen shot)

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## The AFB K therapy | Fluid Settings Sub-screen

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## The AFB K Therapy | Disposables

- Dialyzer: the AFB K therapy is only compatible with the Evodial dialyzer.
- Safebag KV concentrates: The acetate- and buffer-free dialysis fluid concentrate in a double-compartment bag facilitating potassium profiling.
- Sterile bicarbonate solution: Hospasol infusion bag is the unique sodium bicarbonate infusion bag used in the AFB K therapy.
- Bloodlines: The standard ArtiSet HD DNL HC must be used in combination with a dedicated accessory: **evoset** AFB K infusion.

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## Disposables | The Evodial Dialyzer



- The Evodial dialyzer is pre-heparinized.
- It enhances the stability of the bicarbonate clearance over the course of treatment.
- Priming volume should be set according to the Evodial dialyzer surface area:

Evodial dialyzer	Minimum priming volume
Evodial dialyzer 1.0, 1.3, 1.6	1500 mL
Evodial 2.2	1750 mL

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## Disposables | Safebag KV Connection

### Safebag KV:

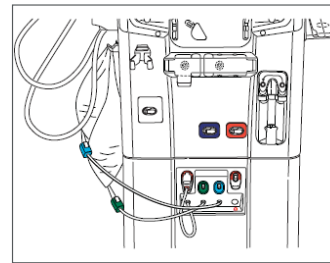
Two-compartment dialysis fluid concentrate bag

- Sodium chloride solution containing  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  - **green** connector
- Sodium chloride solution containing  $\text{K}^{+}$  - **blue** connector

### KeyWay connectors:

Color coded (**green** and **blue**)

Mechanical key to facilitate safe connections



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## Disposables | Safebag KV

### Safebag KV concentrates - 2 compositions, 3 codes

Safebag KV 1.9 + 3.6 L (1+34)		Electrolyte concentration after dilution						
Product code	Product name	$\text{Na}^{+}$ mmol/L	$\text{K}^{+}$ mmol/L	$\text{Ca}^{2+}$ mmol/L	$\text{Mg}^{2+}$ mmol/L	$\text{Cl}^{-}$ mmol/L	Acetate mmol/L	Glucose g/L
106890	Safebag KV93G 1.9 + 3.6 GB/S/I/ES	139	2.60 average	2	0.37	146	0	1
106981	Safebag KV93G 1.9 + 3.6 GB/D/F/NL	139	2.60 average	2	0.37	146	0	1
107193	Safebag KV95G 1.9 + 3.6 GB/FR/IT/ES	139	2.60 average	1.50	0.37	145	0	1

The Safebag KV does NOT contain any acetate

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## Na<sup>+</sup> Setting & Conductivity in the AFB Therapy

	Na <sup>+</sup> mmol/l	K <sup>+</sup> mmol/l	Ca <sup>++</sup> mmol/l	Mg <sup>++</sup> mmol/l	HCO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> mmol/l	Cl <sup>-</sup> mmol/l	CH <sub>3</sub> COO <sup>-</sup> mmol/l	Glucose g/l (mmol/l)
Safebag KV93G	139	2	2.00	0.37	0	145,50	0	1 (5.55)
BD* G294	140	2	1.75	0.50	34	109.50	3	1 (5.55)

	AFB	BD
Dialysis fluid conductivity (mS/cm)	15.20	14.13

\*bicarbonate dialysis

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## The AFB K Therapy | Potassium Settings

### K profiling:

- Requires to set initial and final [K<sup>+</sup>]:
  - [K<sup>+</sup>] initial: 3.1 mmol/l to 5.5 mmol/l
  - [K<sup>+</sup>] final: 1.0 mmol/l to 3.0 mmol/l;
- Follows a degressive exponential-like curve;
- Is delayed by a few minutes not to interfere with the initial taration;
- Can be switched off at any time during treatment (K balance needs consideration).

### K constant:

- Can be set within the range of:
  - [K<sup>+</sup>]: 1.5 to 3.5 mmol/l;
- [K<sup>+</sup>] set value can be adjusted at any time, which opens a possibility for manual profiling.



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## Disposable | Bicarbonate Solution

Hospasol sodium bicarbonate infusion solution:

- Prescription is always defined by the physician
- 2 compositions: 145 mmol/l and 167 mmol/l
- 2 formats: 3 L and 5 L
- Many codes: labeled per group of languages.

Captive product in the AFB K therapy used on the Artis Physio Plus system.

Hospasol is classified as a drug:

- Cannot be advertised (and sold) as other HD products.

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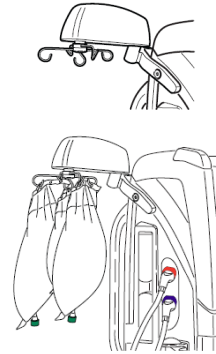
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## Preparation | AFB K Scale

To install the Hospasol infusion bags, the scale must first be moved into its working position.

Turn the AFB K scale 90 degrees to the left; a click is heard when the scale rotation is completed and the device is locked in place.

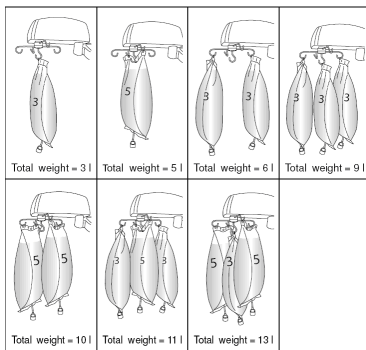
The hooks of the AFB K scale must then be "opened" and positioned as shown in the figure.



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## Preparation | How to Hang the Infusion Bags



Hang the bags on the scale so that the weight is evenly balanced, using the different hooks (see the illustrations).

For accurate weight monitoring it is important nothing is interfering with the infusion bags; the bags must not be touched and should hang freely from the machine.

**The maximum weight handled by the scale is 20 Kg.**

**Do NOT move the machine once the treatment has started**

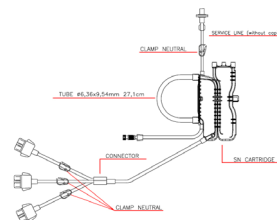
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## Preparation | The Extracorporeal Circuit

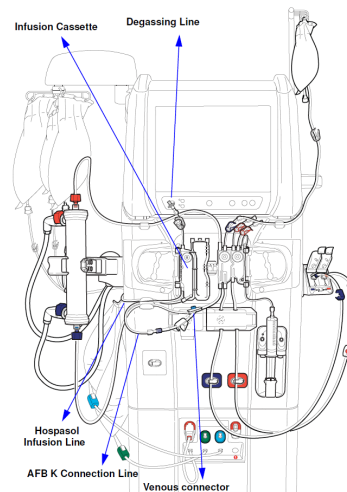
### Bloodlines:

- The standard ArtiSet HD DN HC blood tubing system must be used in combination with
- The dedicated accessory: evoset AFB K infusion cassette



### Function Check / Preparation

- \* Open Sensor Bar Door.
- \* Open Arterial and Venous Pump Covers to install the Blood and Infusion Cassettes.



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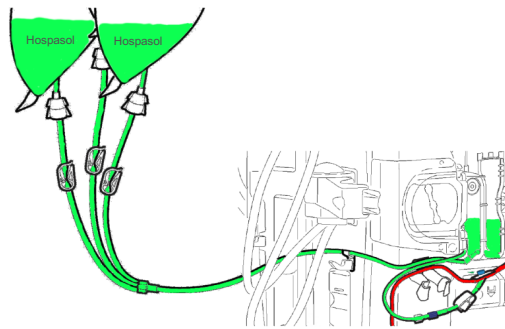


## Hospasol Infusion Connection

### SAFE-LINK

A mechanical key to make the connection safe and easy.

The perforator is included in the male connector of the infusion line.



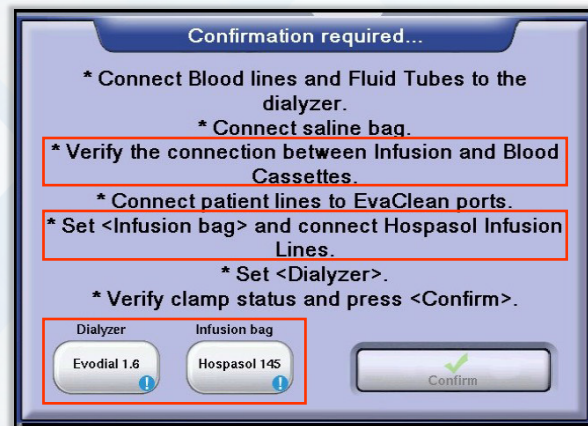
Hospasol infusion

- Secured connection to the Hospasol bags
- Secured connection to the blood cassette post dialyzer

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## Preparation | The Extracorporeal Circuit



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## CADDY | Bicarbonatemia Surveillance System

### Objective:

To check the adequacy of the infusion flow prescription all along the treatment considering the:

- Blood flow rate set – Hospasol bag concentration – Dialyzer – UF rate set

### At start of treatment:

It checks the prescription set.

It prevents setting a value not consistent with the bicarbonatemia target, by triggering a notification alarm.

### During treatment:

It monitors any change in:

- Blood Flow rate – Infusion Flow rate – UF rate (treatment time & UF)

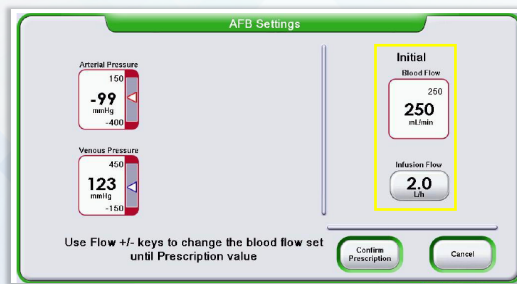
Any change not consistent with the Infusion Prescription will trigger an alarm.

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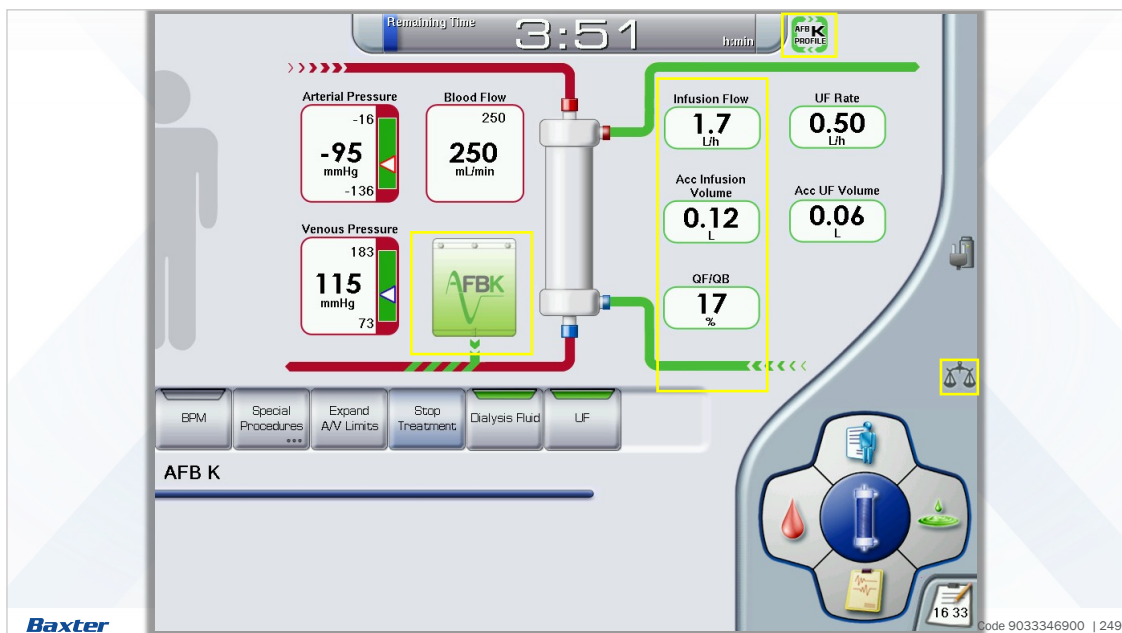
## Set the Initial Infusion Prescription



- When the Start Treatment button is pressed – after the blood flow has been set – the AFB settings sub-screen is automatically displayed.
- Check the blood flow and bicarbonate infusion flow rates and press Confirm Prescription – the treatment starts.
- The set value is then used by the monitoring system as reference value for the rest of the treatment.

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## During Treatment | AFB K Fluid Screen



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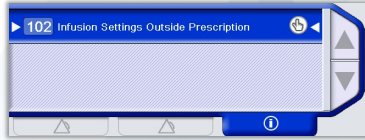
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## CADDY | Blood Flow Change

Any blood pump flow (QB) change after the treatment start, i.e. infusion prescription is set and confirmed, will be checked by the CADDY system for consistency with the bicarbonatemia target.

- ▶ If QB change may affect the patient's final bicarbonatemia, a specific alarm is triggered: "Infusion Settings Invalid Prescription #79".
- ▶ If the QB set results to be outside the current infusion prescription but inside the final bicarbonatemia target, an information message appears (#102).



- ▶ When Confirmed, a Confirmation Required window opens suggesting an Infusion Flow in compliance with the QB set and which guarantees the final bicarbonatemia is reached.

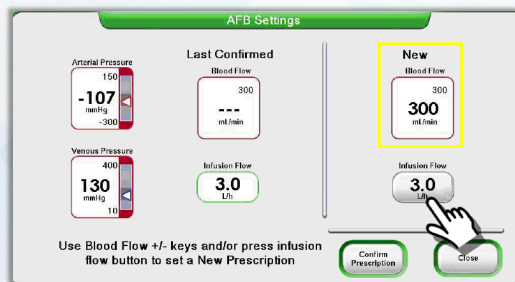


- ▶ If the final bicarbonatemia cannot be reached, no Infusion flow is proposed (—).
- ▶ In this case the QB has to be adjusted to meet the bicarbonatemia target.

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## CADDY | New Prescription



- The Blood flow rate as well as the Infusion flow rate may be manually adjusted.
- In case the final bicarbonatemia is then out of the acceptable range, the Confirm Prescription button will stay dimmed until the set value is within the allowed range.
- In case the CADDY system does not recognize the confirmed prescription valid, an alarm is triggered ("Infusion settings invalid prescription #79").

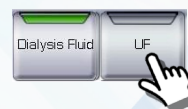
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## During Treatment

When deactivating the "UF" button:

- Only the weight loss UF process is interrupted
- The Dialysis Fluid button stays active
- The bicarbonate infusion continues



When deactivating the "Dialysis Fluid" button:

- The infusion UF process is interrupted
- The bicarbonate infusion is stopped
- The UF button stays active (weight loss)
- The Real Tx Time (diffusion) is not updated



The dialysis fluid button also controls the bicarbonate infusion.  
The UF button only controls the weight loss.

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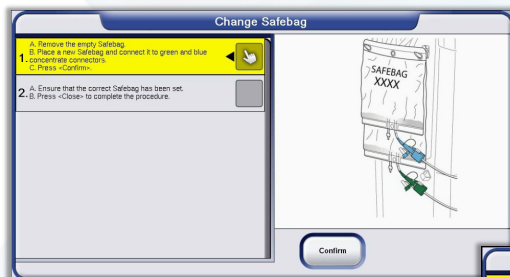
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## AFB K Special Procedures (1)

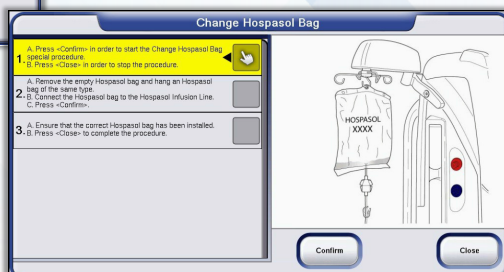


### Change Safebag:

When one of the two bags are empty an alarm is triggered (#610 or #611)

### Change Hospasol bag:

Do NOT hang or remove any bag without first confirming the Special Procedure



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## AFB K Special Procedures (2)

### Adjust Chamber Level in Infusion Cassette:

When the fluid level in the AFB K infusion cassette is below the middle of the cassette, the level should be adjusted accordingly:

1. Press the "Dialysis Fluid" button to deactivate the dialysis fluid flow;
2. Remove the blood catcher from the Service Line and attach a sterile syringe to the Service Line;
3. Open the clamp of the Service Line and adjust the fluid level in the Infusion Cassette chamber by using the syringe until it reaches the middle of the Infusion Cassette;
4. Close the Service Line clamp and remove the syringe from the Service Line;
5. Press the "Dialysis Fluid" button to activate again the dialysis fluid.

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## Nice to know

- It is not possible to activate the K profile mode after treatment has started in K constant mode. However, it is possible to switch from K profile to K constant mode at any time.
- In K constant mode, it is possible to set a new K dialysis fluid concentration at any time.
- The Diascan function is compatible with the K constant mode, and can be used if this mode has been set at treatment start.
- As long as a change in blood flow results in an infusion flow rate in the acceptable range, a new infusion flow rate value is proposed by the Surveillance System.



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## Safety Notice | Pump Rotor Damaged



- A partial automatic loading of the pump segment, followed by a rushed manual unloading may result in a damaged pump rotor.
- The pump will not work properly (not occlusive anymore), and this may lead to a patient adverse event.
- If the pump rotor is damaged, DO NOT use the machine for treating patients, until service has been involved for maintenance.
- Use the crank when unloading the set manually, and do not pull the cassette out if the hooks of the cassette loader have not been pushed out.

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### Hands on: Chapter 11

- Select the AFB K therapy
- K profile mode
- Load ArtiSet blood tubing system + AFB K infusion
- Auto-priming
- Start treatment
- Change blood flow / infusion flow
- Change Hospasol bags
- Switch to K constant
- Auto-rinseback
- Unload cassettes

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## The Artis Physio Plus System Connectivity Panel

The connectivity panel at the rear of the machine is equipped with some communication ports.



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## The Artis Physio Plus System Native IT Features (1)

### The Contact-less Patient card



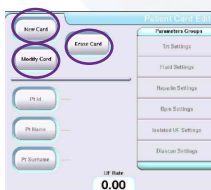
The Artis Physio Plus system allows to fully handle the card (format/read/write). No other devices or software products are needed.

- Patient identification
- Prescription download to the Artis Physio Plus system
- The contact-less technology makes it fast and secure
- The Artis Physio Plus system reads the prescription from the card or from the network.
- The patient card can be modified from start to Connect Patient and additionally from the dialyzer emptying phase onwards.

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## Patient Card Handling



The 3 operations (New Card – Modify Card – Erase Card) can be directly made on the machine (no other device or software are needed).

How to read: the Patient Card must be brought straight in front of the reader (located above the EvaClean device).

When download of the prescription is possible:

- only when the Prescription screen is displayed and until patient connection
- out of treatment and during disinfection.

When the prescription is downloaded, a review window is displayed. The operator must verify the adequacy and confirm. The same mandatory parameters (identified with an exclamation mark symbol) as the manual prescription must be confirmed before patient connection.

When Exalis is in use, the Patient Card can be configured as a patient ID Card, allowing to download the patient prescription from the network without any manual search/ID typing.

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## The Artis Physio Plus System Native IT Features (2)

### Universal Serial Bus



The Artis Physio Plus system hosts a USB port on its back-side. This port allows to:

- Use a USB key to copy settings from a machine to another;
- Retrieve black-box sessions;
- Perform software upgrades of the Artis Physio Plus system.

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## The Artis Physio Plus System Native IT Features (3)

### Exalis connectivity (V1.16)

The Artis Physio Plus system is natively able to be integrated with Exalis 1.16. The communication protocol between the Artis Physio Plus system and Exalis is performed by means of a proprietary protocol that runs on TCP/IP.

Co-working of the Artis Physio Plus system with Exalis allows:

- Automatic data collection (treatment results, alarms and operating phases)
- Data management (patient history files, treatment report, ...)
- Data export from Exalis to 3<sup>rd</sup> parties according to HL7 protocol
- Prescription download
- Data storage
- Pre/post dialysis recording

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## Nice to know

- Activation of the Patient Card reader and of the Exalis connection is done in Service 2.
- Connection to Exalis, as well as Mediartis or any Clinical Software, requires the network parameters to be preset.
- In case of Exalis connection, the Patient Card shall be preset as "ID Card only".
- The <Patient ID> button is displayed in the prescription screen only if the machine is effectively connected to Exalis.



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