

# Wireless Vital Sign Solution - Pulse Oximeter

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#### 1. Background- Pulse Oximeter

- A pulse oximeter is a medical device that indirectly monitors the oxygen saturation of a
  patient's blood (as opposed to measuring oxygen saturation directly through a blood sample)
  and changes in blood volume in the skin, producing a photoplethys mogram that may be
  further processed into other measurements. The pulse oximeter may be incorporated into a
  multipara meter patient monitor. Most monitors also display the pulse rate. Portable,
  battery-operated pulse oximeters are also available for transport or home blood-oxygen
  monitoring.
- Pulse oximetry is particularly convenient for noninvasive continuous measurement of blood oxygen saturation. In contrast, blood gas levels must otherwise be determined in a laboratory on a drawn blood sample. Pulse oximetry is useful in any setting where a patient's oxygenation is unstable, including intensive care, operating, recovery, emergency and hospital ward settings, pilots in unpressurized aircraft, for assessment of any patient's oxygenation, and determining the effectiveness of or need for supplemental oxygen.
- Because of their simplicity of use and the ability to provide continuous and immediate oxygen saturation values, pulse oximeters are of critical importance in emergency medicine and are also very useful for patients with respiratory or cardiac problems especially COPD, or for diagnosis of some sleep disorders such as apnea and hypopnea.





### 1. Background- SpO<sub>2</sub> Monitoring @ COVID-19

- Scientists have found a possible explanation for why some COVID-19 patients
  experience extremely low, otherwise life-threatening levels of oxygen, known as happy
  hypoxia, but no signs of difficulty in breathing. A study published in The American
  Journal of Respiratory and Critical Care Medicine in 2020 stated that the new
  understanding of the condition, also known as silent hypoxemia, could prevent
  unnecessary intubation and ventilation in patients during the current and expected
  second wave of coronavirus.
- During the ongoing coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic, reports in social media and the lay press indicate that a subset of patients are presenting with severe hypoxemia in the absence of dyspnea, a problem unofficially referred to as "silent hypoxemia." To decrease the risk of complications in such patients, one proposed solution has been to have those diagnosed with COVID-19 but not sick enough to warrant admission monitor their arterial oxygenation by pulse oximetry at home and present for care when they show evidence of hypoxemia.
- WHO(World Health Organization) released an interim guidance On the Use of Pulse Oximetry in Monitoring Covid-19 Patients Under Home Based Isolation and Care in 2021 Apr.





WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION REGIONAL OFFICE FOR AFRICA SUPPORTS THE COVID-19 RESPONSE

### WHO/AFRO: Response to COVID-19 outbreak

Interim Guidance for Member States - On the Use of Pulse Oximetry in Monitoring Covid-19 Patients Under Home-Based Isolation and Care

April 2021

#### Continuous SPO2 Monitoring becomes a MUST!



### 1. Background- Who needs SpO<sub>2</sub> Monitoring?



#### Ward Patient

- Spot Check for general wards and outpatients,
- Patients who need oxygen therapy in any special unit other than the operating room, or when performing sedation in dialysis, cardiopulmonary rehabilitation room, radiology, dental and microscopy centers, etc.



#### Baby

- Routine screening for newborns suffering from Critical CHD.
- Prevent premature babies from blindness caused by mistakes in oxygen supply in the incubator.
- Prevent the occurrence of Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS).



#### **Obstructive Sleep Apnea**

 Simple preliminary diagnosis and severity determination of Sleep Apnea Syndrome



Chronic Obstruction Pulmonary Disease (COVID-19)

- Simple preliminary diagnosis and severity determination of Sleep Apnea Syndrome
- Elderly-patients with various chronic diseases and disability

#### 2. Product Introduction

The Advantech Wireless Vital Sign Solution is a wearable, wireless monitoring system that continuously checks blood oxygen saturation and pulse rate (PR) once per second.

Real-time vitals are visible on the system display unit, and alarms sound when PR or SpO2 move outside of the preset limits, which are customizable for the needs of each patient. The Wireless Vital Sign Solution is ideal for one-on-one patient-doctor monitoring.

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### 3. 6 Features for the Wireless Vital Sign Solution

**CONTINUOUS MONITORING** 

Real-time data of key vitals, blood oxygen saturation (SpO2) and pulse rate, are collected once per second

#### **WIRELESS AND WEARABLE**

Comfortable wearable technology without the risk of tangled wires or cords

#### **EFFECTIVE ALARMS**

Alarm notifications with audible and visible signaling help facilitate early intervention

#### **BATTERY**

22 Hour rechargeable battery, 3 hours to charge fully.



#### **EASY INTEGRATION**

Vital sign data can be easily integrated with iWard solutions and hospital EMR systems.



#### **MEDICAL CERTIFICATION**

U.S. FDA approval and CE Class II certification ensure HIPAA compliance







### 4. Wireless Vital Sign Solution Overview





Note: The Oximeter Box must be used within 10 meters (32.8 feet) from the Display Unit.









Charging Adaptor-Oximeter Box



Wristband



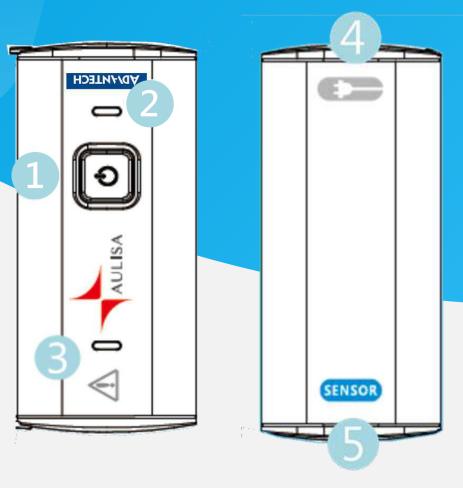
Adult Oximeter Sensor Cable



Pediatric Oximeter Sensor Cable



#### 5. Product Function-Oximeter Box



- ① Power button
- ② Power LED
- 3 Alarm LED
- ④ Charging port
- Sensor cable port

Status	LED Color
Charging	Blue
Fu <b>l</b> ly Charged	Off

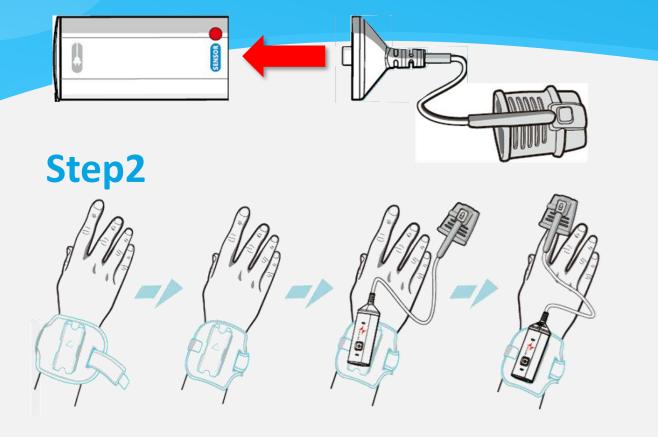
Status	LED Color
Power On	Green

**Front View** 

**Back View** 

#### 5. Product Function-Wear The Oximeter Module

#### Step1



#### Note:

- 1.The wristband should be worn with the arrow indicator facing towards the patient's hand.
- 2.Attach the sensor probe to the thumb or finger, making sure that sensor cable runs over the top of patient's hand.



### 5. Product Function - Display

**DU Battery Level** 

Settings menu

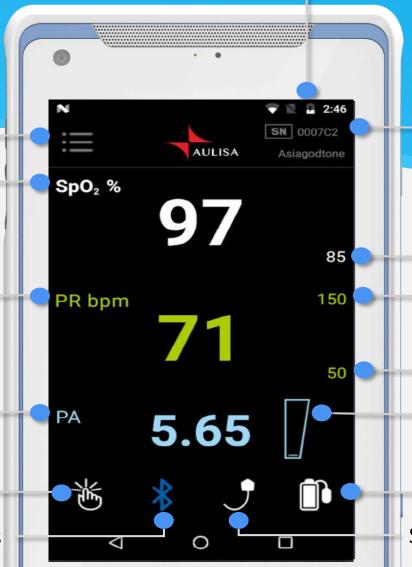
Blood Oxygen Saturation(%)

Pulse Rate(bpm)

Pulse Amplitude

**Bluetooth Connection Status** 

Measurement Site Status



Serial Number of OB

SpO<sub>2</sub> Lower Alarm Limit

PR Upper Alarm Limit

PR Lower Alarm Limit

PA Indicator (Blip Bar)

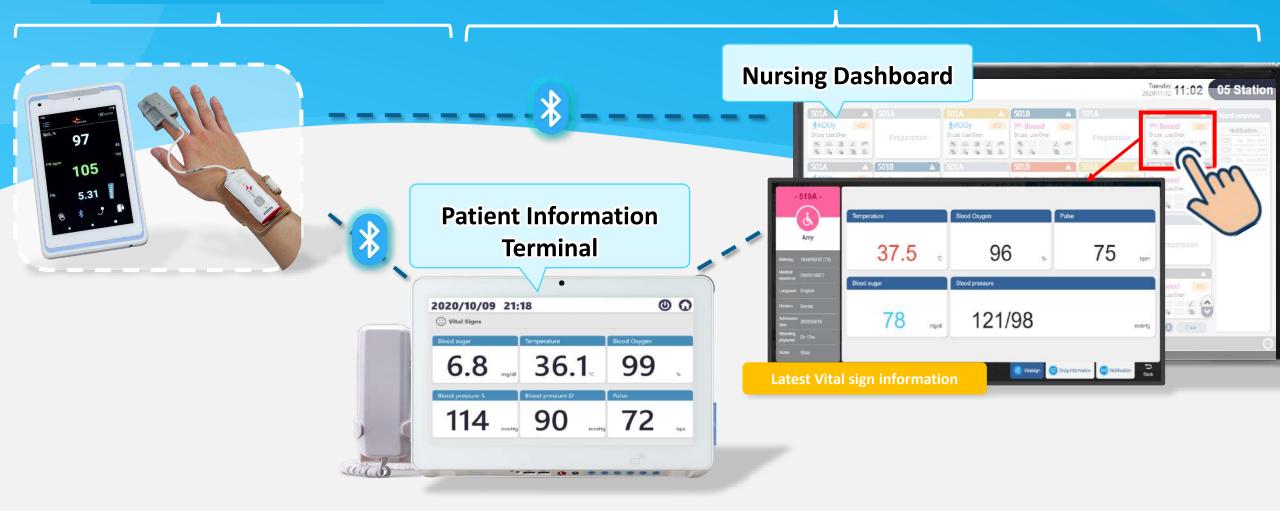
**OB Battery Level** 

Sensor Cable Connection StatusAD\ANTECH

#### 6. Integration with iWard Solutions

**Wireless Vital Sign Solution** 

iWard Solutions





#### 7. Benefit for Wireless Vital Sign Solution:

**Providing more safe** 







501A Continues Vital sign



Real-time data observing



Providing an opportunity for early intervention



Preventing unnecessary contact



Raising patient and nurse safety



Reducing work loading





### **Appendix**



### **Appendix 1: Product Spec**

Dimensions	0.7" x 1.3" x 2.7" (16mm x 32mm x 68mm)	
Weight	1 oz (28g)	
Ingress Protection	IP22	
Display Range		
Blood Oxygen Saturation (SpO <sub>2</sub> )	1% to 100%	
Pulse Rate	30 to 290 bpm	
Accuracy		
Blood Oxygen Saturation (SpO <sub>2</sub> )	70-100% ±3 digits	
Pulse Rate	±3%	
Measurement Wave	lengths and Output Power	
Red	660 nanometers @ 1.8 mw nominal	
Infrared	905 nanometers @ 2 mw nominal	
Battery Type	3.7V battery	
Battery Life	22 hours of continuous operation	
Temperature		
Operating	+5°C to +40°C	
Storage/Transportation	–25°C to +70°C	

Humidity	
Operating	15% to 90% R.H. non- condensing
Storage/Transportation	10% to 93% R.H. non- condensing
Operating Altitude	altitude ≤ 3000 m
Atmospheric Pressure	700 hPa to 1013 hPa
Wireless Communication	
Range	32.8 feet (10 meters) spherical radius
Protocol	Bluetooth 4.0
Direction	Bi-direction
Data rate	Up to 100kbps
Classifications per IEC 60601- 1	
Type of Protection	Class II, MOPP (on AC power) Internally powered (on battery power)
Type of Protection	Type BF-Applied Part
Mode of Operation	Continuous

#### Appendix 2:

#### 1. Care and Maintenance

The advanced digital circuitry within the Oximeter Module requires no calibration or periodic maintenance. Field service or repair of this system is not possible. Do not attempt to open the case of Oximeter Module for that will cause damage and void the warranty. If the Oximeter Module is not functioning properly, see "Troubleshooting" section for more information.

#### 2. Cleaning and Disinfection

Clean and disinfect the Oximeter Sensor Cable before each use. First, lightly wipe the surface of the Oximeter Sensor Cable with a soft cloth dampened with rubbing alcohol for cleaning. Secondly, disinfect the surface of the Oximeter Sensor Cable with a soft cloth saturated with a solution of 10% chlorine bleach in tap water. Lastly, allow the device to dry thoroughly before reuse.



### **Appendix 3: Trouble shooting**

Problem	Possible Solution
Cannot turn on the Oximeter Module	Press the Power button again.
Cannot turn on the Oximeter Module	Fully charge the Oximeter Box until the LED blue light goes off.
	Reposition the sensor probe or reinsert the finger and keep the hand motionless for at least 10 seconds.
	Position the sensor probe at a different site.
Unable to obtain a valid SpO <sub>2</sub> or pulse rate	Make sure the Oximeter Sensor Cable is attached to the finger and Oximeter Box securely.
	Check the Oximeter Sensor Cable for any visible signs of deterioration.
reading	Warm the application site by rubbing or covering with a blanket.
	Allow the hand to rest comfortably without squeezing or pressing the sensor probe on a hard surface.
NOTE: In some instances, perfusion of	Make sure the Oximeter Module is within 32.8 feet (10 meters) spherical radius to the Display Unit.
person being monitored may be inadequate	Reduce or eliminate any interference. Make sure the Oximeter Module is NOT placed on the same arm being used for
	other medical therapies or diagnostics (e.g. blood pressure cuff).
for pulse detection.	Check the Display Unit for any alarms or error messages.
	Check if the Oximeter Module is in low power.
	Verify the system's wireless connection.
	Shield the sensor probe from any light source.
	Attach the sensor probe to a finger without fingernail polish or an artificial nail.
Unstable or constant SpO <sub>2</sub> and Pulse Rate	Position the sensor probe at a different site.
readings	Make sure the Oximeter Sensor Cable is attached to the finger and Oximeter Box securely.
	Check the Oximeter Sensor Cable for any visible signs of deterioration.
	Reduce motion.
	Make sure the Oximeter Sensor Cable is attached to the finger and Oximeter Box securely.
"" appears on the vital sign displays	Position the sensor probe at a different site.
	Make sure the Oximeter Module is within 32.8 feet (10 meters) spherical radius to the Display Unit.
	Reposition the sensor probe or reinsert the finger and keep the hand motionless for at least 10 seconds.
Data update period has exceeded the limit	Position the sensor probe at a different site.
	Attach the sensor probe to a finger without fingernail polish or an artificial nail.
Cannot establish	Make sure the Oximeter Module is within 32.8 feet (10 meters) spherical radius to the Display Unit.
	Turn off the system and retry.
system connection	

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