

Introduction

The ALARIS® Medley[™] Medication Safety System is designed to help you provide the best possible patient care, by avoiding potential adverse drug events associated with IV administration at the point of care. This in turn helps you avoid the potential cost of harm, both in human and financial terms. The Medley[™] Medication Safety System accomplishes this by integrating the infusion, patient monitoring, and clinical best practices at your facility.

System Components

 SpO2 module is not currently being used.





Priming

- Close roller clamp
- Fill the drip chamber to 2/3 full
- To prime tubing and clear air from SmartSite[®] Needle-Free valve y-sites, slowly open the roller clamp
 - Adult Patients: Invert and tap SmartSite[®] Needle-Free Valve(s) while priming

2/3 full

Open

- Pediatric/NICU Patients: Once set is primed, attach a sterile luer lock syringe and aspirate air through the SmartSite[®] Needle-Free Valve(s) into the syringe
- Close the slide clamp and roller clamp



Attaching Pump Module

- Press blue release button on pump module, tip at 45° angle
- Reattach the pump module, start at a 45° angle
- Maximum of 4 pump modules



Administration Set Priming & Loading

- Loading administration set
 - 1. Position **upper fitment** into fitment recess
 - Insert Flo-Stop[®] fitment into recess below mechanism, arrows point into Medley[™] Pump Module
 - Using fingertip, firmly push tubing toward back of Air-in-Line Detector



Misloads

- Illustrations of Misloaded Sets
- **Note:** Misloads can lead to rate inaccuracy.





System Start-up

- Press "SYSTEM ON"
- NEW PATIENT?
 - "Yes" clears previous patient data
- Select "YES"
- Next Screen displays previous profile <u>e.g. Critical Care</u>?
 - "YES" confirms same profile
- Select "NO" to preview available profiles
- Select your patient's profile on the LEFT of the screen
- Press Confirm

- PROFILE: A name assigned to a patient care area or patient type.
- Profiles for WBH Royal Oak:
 - CRITICAL CARE
 - MEDICAL SURGICAL
 - OBSTETRICS
 - ONCOLOGY
 - PEDSA (0-2kg)
 - PEDS B (2.1-15kg)
 - PEDS C (>15kg)
 - TRAINING

Programming a Basic Infusion

- Press CHANNEL SELECT A
- Select BASIC INFUSION
- Press RATE, program 10mL/h
- Press VTBI (volume to be infused), program 100mL
- Press START



- Lighthouse is GREEN to show infusion running
- Press PAUSE on pump module lighthouse is now YELLOW
- Press RESTART
- Lighthouse is **RED** when infusion is disrupted



Changing Basic Infusion Rate

- Press CHANNEL SELECT A
- Press RATE, program 20 mL/h
- Press START

Note: It is not necessary to pause infusion to change rate

Infusion Complete - KVO

- This is a SIMULATION
- Press Channel Select A
- Press Rate, program 50 ml/h
- Press VTBI, decrease VTBI to 0.1 ml by entering .1
- Press Start

Note: KVO alert "Infusion Complete – KVO", Red

and **Green** indicators illuminate lighthouse which indicates that the **KVO** Rate is infusing.

Infusion Complete – KVO continued

- To return to primary infusion rate:
 - Press Channel Select on Channel A
 - Press VTBI, press Restore, note VTBI = 0.1 ml
 - Change VTBI to 100 ml
 - Press Start

Channel Labels

- To program a Channel Label
 - Press Channel Select A
 - Press Options
 - Select Channel Labels
 - Select Maintenance IV Fluid
 - Press Start
- To clear a Channel Label
 - Press Channel Select A
 - Press Options
 - Select Channel Labels
 - Select Clear Label
 - Press Start



Secondary Infusion

- Press Channel Select A
- Press Secondary
- Press Basic Sec
- Press Rate, program 200 ml/h
- Press VTBI, program 0.3 ml (to simulate nearing end of secondary infusion)



Press Start

Remember to lower primary bag and unclamp secondary Note: Plastic hanger that comes with secondary line should be extended the full length when lowering primary bag to ensure full infusion is given. When secondary is complete, the infusion will automatically return to Primary Rate.

Policy

- Guardrail infusion: Used for the administration of most continuous medication infusions and some IVPB medications. If a medication is included in the Guardrails library, the pump must be programmed as a Guardrail infusion.
- Medications have minimum and maximum dosage limits. If the dose is programmed above/below these limits an alert will appear.

Guardrails[®] Drug Library – Med/Surg

Mandatory use – Refer to Policy #465 IV Therapy Electronic Infusion Device

- Press Channel Select B
- Press Options
- Press the Guardrails[®] Drugs
- Select Dopamine 400mg\250 ml
- Enter 95kg for patient weight
- Press Next
- Program VTBI as 250ml
- Program Dose as 5 mcg/kg/min
- Press Start



Note: If entering Rate, the dose will automatically be calculated. If entering Dose, the Rate will be automatically calculated.

Troubleshooting

- Air-in-Line lighthouse is **RED**
 - Message scrolls in channel message display
 - Assess the amount of air in the line by pressing Restart
 - Air passes the eye and resets the eye to detect more air
 If amount of air is <u>clinically significant</u>, remove air from the line
 - If no air is seen:
 - Ensure the air sensor is clean and free from debris
 - □ Ensure the set is properly seated in the Air-in-Line detector

Troubleshooting continued

- Occluded Patient Side Lighthouse is RED
 - Partial Occlusion Patient Side or Occluded Patient Side scrolls in channel message display
 - Clear occulsion on patient side of the infusion below the affected Pump Module and press **Restart**
- Flo-stop Open/Close Door Lighthouse is RED
 - Flow stop is in the open position (free-flow position) with the door open
 - Close roller clamp on the set or close the door then press **Restart** to resume the infusion

Volume Infused

- Press Volume Infused
- Press Clear All
- Press Main Screen

Note: May clear each channel individually by pressing soft key corresponding to applicable channel



Audio Adjust

- Press Audio Adjust
- Adjust audio using Softer or Louder (1 through 5)
- Press Main Screen



Display Contrast

- Press Options
- Press Display Contrast
- > Adjust contrast using Lighter or Darker
- Press Main Screen

Tamper Resist – Panel Lock

Prevents unwanted changes by unauthorized persons

- To lock panel
 - Press and hold Tamper Resist Switch on back (3 seconds)
 - Note: Main screen confirms "Panel Locked" when key is pressed

Tamper Resist Switch



- To unlock panel
 - Press and hold Tamper Resist Switch (3 seconds)
 - Note: Main screen confirms "Panel Unlocked" and an advisory tone will confirm tamper Resistant is off

Powering Off

Individual Channel Off

- Go to individual pump module
- Press Channel Off for 1.5 sec (until beep is heard) and release

Note: If this is the only pump module in use, this action will Power Off the entire system

- Multiple Channels System Off
 - Press Options
 - Press Power Down All Channels
 - Power **Down All Channels**?
 - Select No



Congratulations You have completed Medley Medication Safety System Module

Please return the pump to your instructor

If you have any questions, please contact the Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS) on your unit