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To Be Completed By Tester	
Session Date:	Session Time:
Participant Name: _____	Recruitment Method: _____
Contacted PH via: _____	PH responded via: _____
Email: _____	Phone: _____
Configuration tested:	
Webware version:	Server: Browser: Platform:
App version:	OS version: Platform:
Sensor HW version:	Sensor FW version:
User Guide version:	
Packaging version:	
Significant configuration deviations:	
Significant prompt deviations (summarise):	
Operational difficulties, use errors, and close calls (summarise and list JIRA ticket(s)):	
Time Required for Execution:	Reimbursement:
Test Executed By – Print Name, Sign and Date:	
Print: _____	Signature: _____ Date: _____
Results Reviewed and Approved By – Print Name, Sign and Date:	
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## 1. Introduction and Purpose

- 1.1. The purpose of this test is to assess the effectiveness of Sensor Model 2014-D in detecting Diskus inhaler usages and, in the event of ineffectiveness, to determine primary factors contributing to detection success or failure.
- 1.2. Non-bolded text in italics indicates a prompt to be read aloud to the participant.
- 1.3. Check boxes indicate procedure items to be conducted. Check each as it is performed. Missed checkboxes constitute prompt deviations
- 1.4. Circles are used to represent both:
  - 1.4.1. Configuration options that should be checked if used and summarized in the configuration details section of the first page.
  - 1.4.2. Answers to questions given to the participant.
- 1.5. Note any deviations from the prompt.
- 1.6. The preconditions to execute this inspection protocol are:
  - 1.6.1. Tester has been trained in running/completing usability test protocols and has been familiarized with the type of defects that they may see as a function of executing this test protocol.
  - 1.6.2. Tester initials: \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. Scope:

- 2.1. The scope of this test procedure is to assess the performance of the SM 2014-D detection algorithm using fixed parameter values specified below. The test procedure also assesses factors contributing to detection failure. The dynamic thresholds algorithm is not included in this assessment.
- 2.2. Participants will be from the following age groups:
  - 2.2.1. Two to four participants ages 18-39
  - 2.2.2. Two to four participants ages 40-59
  - 2.2.3. Two to four participants ages 60-79
  - 2.2.4. Two to four participants ages 80+
- 2.3. At least ten total participants will be included.

## 3. Definitions

- 3.1. **SM 2014-D** - Sensor Model 2014-D (Propeller Sensor for Diskus)

## 4. Materials and Equipment:

- 4.1. The following materials and equipment are required for executing the test plan.
  - 4.1.1. **Data Sets:** N/A
  - 4.1.2. **Equipment:**
    - 4.1.2.1. Sensor and Inhaler
      - 4.1.2.1.1. ☐ Sensor Model 2014-D with attachment label
        - 4.1.2.1.1.1. Firmware specifications:
          - 4.1.2.1.1.1.1. ☐ Dynamic thresholds have been disabled
          - 4.1.2.1.1.1.2. ☐ Sensor has been modified to record breath sounds whenever the touch sensor is activated
          - 4.1.2.1.1.1.3. ☐ Sensor has been modified to show an amber LED when awake and a green LED when both awake and the touch sensor is activated
        - 4.1.2.1.1.2. Preparation:
          - 4.1.2.1.1.2.1. ☐ Sensor has been taken out of inventory mode
          - 4.1.2.1.1.2.2. ☐ Sensor has a thick, opaque cloth sticker



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## 5.1. Introduction to usability testing

- 5.1.1. Welcome the participant
- 5.1.1.1. ☐ List name
  - 5.1.1.2. ☐ List company
  - 5.1.1.3. ☐ Offer bottle of water
  - 5.1.1.4. ☐ Thank participant for their time
  - 5.1.1.5. ☐ Summarise purpose for session
- 5.1.2. ☐ Give overview of each portion of the consent form (TST\_2014-D\_DetectionAssessment\_Consent).
- 5.1.2.1. ☐ If participant agrees, continue.
- 5.1.3. Establish comfort level
- 5.1.3.1. ☐ Evaluating the product, not the participant
  - 5.1.3.2. ☐ You can stop at any time without forfeiting payment
  - 5.1.3.3. ☐ Please tell us if you are uncomfortable or need a break
  - 5.1.3.4. ☐ Video recording acceptable? (Check all that are acceptable)
    - 5.1.3.4.1. ☐ Video ☐ Audio ☐ Screen capture ☐ None
- 5.1.4.

## 5.2. Interview questions

- 5.2.1. You do not have to answer the following questions if you do not feel comfortable.
- 5.2.1.1. How frequently do you take Diskus? \_\_\_\_\_
- 5.2.1.2. Where do you store your Diskus? \_\_\_\_\_
- 5.2.1.3. Do you use take your Diskus while:
  - ☐ Standing ☐ Sitting ☐ Lying down ☐ Other
- 5.2.1.4. In what decade were you born? \_\_\_\_\_
- 5.2.1.5. What condition do you take Diskus for? \_\_\_\_\_
- 5.2.1.6. Any vision problems? ☐ No ☐ Y, corrected ☐ Y, uncorrected
- 5.2.1.7. Any hearing problems? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 5.2.1.8. How is your dexterity? ☐ Good ☐ Difficulty
- 5.2.1.9. How frequently do you use a computer?
  - 5.2.1.9.1. ☐ Daily ☐ ~3 days/week ☐ Weekly ☐ Monthly
  - ☐ Less than 1x/month
- 5.2.1.10. Does participant have a mustache? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 5.2.1.11. Is participant wearing lip gloss / lipstick? ☐ Yes ☐ No

## 5.3. Task 1: Installation and first inhalation

- 5.3.1. Task prompt:
- 5.3.1.1. ☐ We will be using a few different things in this test:
  - 5.3.1.1.1. ☐ The sensor: This is our product, called a "sensor." It is used to keep track of when you use your Diskus inhaler so it can remind you to take it every day.
  - 5.3.1.1.2. ☐ The sample inhaler - This Diskus is just a sample. It does not have any medication in it.
- 5.3.1.2. ☐ We are testing how hard it is to attach the sensor to the inhaler.
  - 5.3.1.2.1. ☐ Your task is to attach the sensor to the medication.
  - 5.3.1.2.2. ☐ When you are finished, demonstrate how you normally take your inhaler. The inhaler is new and hasn't been used by anyone

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*but you, so you can actually take it as if it were your normal inhaler.*

- 5.3.1.3. ☐ *Let me know when you are done. I won't tell you when I think you are done, so be sure to let me know.*

**5.3.2. Task results:**

- 5.3.2.1. Record observations. Denote important points with key:

- 5.3.2.1.1. [UE] = Use Error  
5.3.2.1.2. [OD] = Operational Difficulty  
5.3.2.1.3. [CC] = Close Call  
5.3.2.1.4. [B] = Product Bug

**5.3.3. Self-identified trouble areas**

- 5.3.3.1. Operational Difficulties: *Was there anything that was difficult or confusing?*

- 5.3.3.2. Use Errors: *Were there any points where you did something and later thought "oh, maybe that wasn't right?"*

- 5.3.3.3. Close calls: *Did you have any "close calls" where you almost did something and caught yourself?*

**5.4. Task 2: Inhalation attempts**

**5.4.1. Task prep:**

- 5.4.1.1. ☐ While wearing gloves, correct the positioning of the sensor on the medication if necessary.  
5.4.1.2. ☐ Take the sensor out of inventory mode.  
5.4.1.3. ☐ Apply the thick sticker to the sensor so that only the test operator can view the LED during Diskus use.  
5.4.1.4. ☐ Place the sensor in an analogous location to where the patient usually stores their medication (e.g. counter, drawer, table).  
5.4.1.4.1. Describe: \_\_\_\_\_

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5.4.2. **Task prompt:**

- 5.4.2.1. ☐ *In this part of the test, I'll ask you to demonstrate taking the Diskus several times, and I'll write down if the sensor could tell whether you had taken it.*
- 5.4.2.2. ☐ *Take the inhaler in the same position you usually do (sitting, standing, ...)*
- 5.4.2.3. ☐ *We'll take a break after each try to give you time to rest.*
- 5.4.2.4. ☐ *You do not need to hold your breath after demonstrating.*
- 5.4.2.5. ☐ *When you are ready, demonstrate how you normally take your inhaler using the sample inhaler.*

5.4.3. **Task results:**

- 5.4.3.1. If a sensor fails to register an event, pause to let the participant react. Then ask:
- 5.4.3.1.1. ☐ *What do you assume has happened?*
- 5.4.3.1.2. ☐ *What would you do if that happened at home?*
- 5.4.3.2. Repeat this task until 10 inhalations have been completed. Leave a minimum of two minutes between each attempted inhalation. Other non-inspiratory tasks may be done in the intervening time.

Description			Sensors activated			
No.	Event Registered?	Qualitative Description	Accel.	Touch	Inhalation Peak	Inhalation Duration
1	P / F		P / F	P / F		
2	P / F		P / F	P / F		
3	P / F		P / F	P / F		
4	P / F		P / F	P / F		
5	P / F		P / F	P / F		
6	P / F		P / F	P / F		

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7	P / F		P / F	P / F		
8	P / F		P / F	P / F		
9	P / F		P / F	P / F		
10	P / F		P / F	P / F		

**5.4.4. Additional Notes:**

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**5.5. Task 3: In-series flow rate measurement**

**5.5.1. Task prep:**

5.5.1.1. ☐ Record the temperature of the room: \_\_\_\_\_

**5.5.2. Task prompt:**

5.5.2.1. ☐ *In this test, we're going to measure how fast you breathe when inhaling air through the Diskus. To do this, we'll use a spirometer <point to instrument>.*

5.5.2.1.1. ☐ While wearing gloves, open a new sterile spirette and insert it into the spirometer.

5.5.2.1.2. ☐ Attach the Diskus resistor to the spirometer.

5.5.2.2. ☐ *What will happen is that I'll turn this on and get it ready for the test. I'll hand it to you, and you need to*

5.5.2.2.1. ☐ *put this mouthpiece in your mouth,*

5.5.2.2.2. ☐ *exhale into the mouthpiece, then*

5.5.2.2.3. ☐ *inhale as if you were taking your Diskus medication.*

5.5.2.3. ☐ *The spirometer will beep while you are breathing - that is normal.*

**5.5.3. Task instructions:**

5.5.3.1. ☐ Press ENTER when the patient is ready. Block one end of the spirometer with a gloved hand until the spirometer baseline is set.

5.5.3.1.1. ☐ Hand the spirometer to the participant.

5.5.3.2. ☐ Ensure that the participant is feeling comfortable.

