System Operating Manual

PLUM A+™

PLUM A+™ 3

for use with Hospira MedNet™

For use with List Numbers: 20678/20679/20792-04 & (11971-04 or 12391-04 with Module 20677-04)

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Descriptive Information

NOTE: In this manual, references to Plum A+ Infusion System apply to both the Plum A+ Infuser and Plum A+3 Infuser unless otherwise noted.

Plum A+ Infuser List # 20679/20792-04

NOTE: This operating manual may also be used with Device List # 12391-04 & 11971-04 when used with Module List # 20677-04.

Plum A+3 Infuser List # 20678-04

CAUTION: THIS DEVICE IS TO BE USED WITH AN IV POLE WITH A 6-WHEEL BASE AND A SHELF.

The Plum A+ and Plum A+3 Volumetric Infusion Systems are designed to meet the fluid delivery requirements of today's evolving healthcare environments. Both are cassette based multi-function infusion systems. The Plum A+ allows two lines in and one line out while the Plum A+3 allows six lines in and three lines out. Each pump can be used for standard, piggyback, or concurrent delivery. Delivery modes include:

- Standard Infusions
- Multistep Programming
- Loading Dose
- Dose Calculation

The Plum A+ and Plum A+3 are designed to deliver parenteral, enteral, or epidural infusions over a broad range of infusion rates from multiple fluid container types.

Both are designed to be used in most areas of patient care, including, but not limited to:

• General Floor	*• Labor/Delivery/ Post Partum*	*• Burn Unit*
• Medical/Surgical	*• OR/Anesthesia*	*• Hemodialysis*
• ICU/CCU	*• Post Op/Recovery*	*• Oncology*
• Pediatrics	*• Cardiac Cath Lab*	*• Mobile Intensive Care*
• Neonatology	*• Emergency*	*• Nutritional*

Product Description

Each system includes a pumping module (hereafter called the infuser) and an assortment of disposable IV sets (hereafter called a set), optional accessories, and this operator's manual.

The Plum A+ host device contains a Connectivity Engine peripheral module that provides wired Ethernet and wireless 802.11 a/b/g local area networking capabilities. This allows the Hospira Mednet networked application software to download drug libraries to the infuser and enable the auto-programming feature.

Accessory equipment connected to the analog and digital interfaces must be certified according to the respective IEC Standards (e.g. IEC 60950 for data processing equipment and IEC 60601-1 for Medical Equipment). Furthermore, all configurations shall comply with the system standard IEC 60601-1-1. Any person who connects additional equipment to the signal input or output part configures a medical system, and is therefore responsible for ensuring that the system complies with the requirements of the system Standard IEC 60601-1-1. If in doubt, consult the technical service department or your local representative.

Indications for Use

USER QUALIFICATION

The Plum A+ is intended for use at the direction or under the supervision of licensed physicians or certified healthcare professionals who are trained in the use of the infuser and the administration of parenteral, enteral, and epidural fluids and drugs and whole blood or red blood cell components. The training should emphasize preventing related IV complications, including appropriate precautions to prevent accidental infusion of air. The epidural route can be used to provide anesthesia or analgesia.

WARNING

ADMINISTER ONLY ANESTHETICS/ANALGESICS APPROVED FOR EPIDURAL ADMINISTRATION (AS INDICATED OR ALLOWED BY THE DRUGS' FDA APPROVED LABELING). EPIDURAL ADMINISTRATION OF DRUGS OTHER THAN THOSE INDICATED FOR EPIDURAL USE COULD RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY TO THE PATIENT.

Conventions

This section describes the conventions used throughout this manual, as follows:

CONVENTION	APPLICATION	EXAMPLE
Italic	Reference to a section, figure, or table Function or mode specific instructions	(*See Figure 3-1, Priming Cassette*) *Primary Only:* Attach an empty container.
[BRACKETED ALL CAPS]	Keys or buttons on the device are displayed in [BRACKETED ALL CAPS] or with a graphic.	[START] or (**START**)
▲ *[Italic]*	Softkey Options	▲ *[Choose]*
Initial Caps lowercase	Screen displays and device labels (as appropriate)	Program Dose Calculation
Bold	Emphasis	...sets are supplied **Sterile** and are for....

WARNINGS, CAUTIONS, AND NOTES

Alert messages used throughout this manual are described below. Pay particular attention to these messages.

WARNING

A WARNING MESSAGE CONTAINS SPECIAL SAFETY EMPHASIS AND MUST BE OBSERVED AT ALL TIMES. FAILURE TO OBSERVE A WARNING MESSAGE IS POTENTIALLY LIFE THREATENING.

CAUTION: A CAUTION USUALLY APPEARS IN FRONT OF A PROCEDURE OR STATEMENT. **I**T CONTAINS INFORMATION THAT COULD PREVENT IRREVERSIBLE PRODUCT DAMAGE OR HARDWARE FAILURE. **F**AILURE TO OBSERVE A **CAUTION** COULD RESULT IN SERIOUS PATIENT OR USER INJURY.

NOTE: A Note highlights information that helps explain a concept or procedure.

⚠ This symbol directs the user to consult accompanying documents.
When visible on the display, this symbol informs the user to use CAUTION because the specified drug has NOT been programmed with specified safety limits.

NOTE: Figures are rendered as graphic representations to approximate the actual product. Therefore, figures may not exactly reflect the product.

Precautions

The Plum A+ has been designed and manufactured to be safe, reliable, and easy to use. This section details precautions and possible hazards.

For safe operation of the Plum A+, observe the following precautions and hazards.

HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS AND PATIENT RELATED

• In vitro studies have suggested that packed red blood cells with unusually high hematocrit be diluted with blood-compatible fluids, such as 0.9% sodium chloride injection, to decrease hemolysis and increase flow rate.

• Setting the primary rate greater than the secondary rate will result in a more rapid infusion of any residual secondary drug remaining in the line and the cassette.

• Consult drug labeling to confirm drug compatibility, concentration, delivery rates, and volumes are all suitable for secondary, concurrent and piggyback delivery modes.

- Arrange tubing, cords, and cables to minimize the risk of patient strangulation or entanglement.
- Before opening the door, close clamp on the primary line or remove the secondary container from the secondary port to prevent mixing of primary and secondary fluids.
- To prevent unrestricted flow, close all slide or CAIR™ clamps before opening the cassette door.
- Although unlikely, failure of certain robust mechanical components such as the anti-free flow mechanism or valve control springs could cause fluid delivery limited to the contents of the fluid container. Single fault failure of certain electronic/motor control components would result in no more than 5 mL of unexpected fluid delivery.
- A small amount of fluid is expelled from the set (less than 0.05 mL) each time the door is opened or closed with a set installed. If potent drugs are being used, take appropriate action to guard against overmedication of the patient.
- Before disconnecting a syringe from the cassette, pull up the plunger slightly to avoid spilling the fluid. For rigid containers, close the upper slide clamp, open the cassette door, then remove and invert the cassette (ports down).
- Air bubbles may form distal to the cassette as the result of normal outgassing of dissolved air in the fluid in one or more of the following cases:
    - Chilled solution is in use
    - Certain fluids known to routinely outgas are in use
    - The infuser is mounted significantly above the patient
    - The infuser is infusing at very low rates between 0.1– 5 mL/hr

  In these cases an air-eliminating filter may be used when clinically appropriate.
- Repeated opening and closing of the door may defeat the proximal air-in-line alarm and may cause a distal air-in-line alarm, requiring repriming.
- The screen displays the VTBI (volume to be infused) in integers when value is above 99.9. Any fraction of a milliliter delivered is not displayed, but is retained in memory.

- For Plum A+3 users, be aware that changing the weight on one device does NOT change the weight on the other two devices. Patient weight must be changed on each device when delivering weight-based therapy dependent on medication requirements.

CONCURRENT FLOW

GUIDELINES

When delivering short half-life critical drugs (*see Critical Drugs, this section*) using the Plum A+ in the Concurrent mode, the following delivery rate guidelines should be observed:

- If the critical drug (with half-life less than 6 minutes) is to be infused at less than 2 mL/hr, the other infusion should be no faster than 5 times the critical drug's rate. Dopamine, for example, delivered at 1.5 mL/hr should not be accompanied by an infusion programmed any faster than 7.5 mL/hr.
- If the critical drug (with half-life less than 6 minutes) is to be infused at 2 - 5 mL/hr the other infusion should be no faster than ten times the critical drug's rate. Dopamine, for example, delivered at 3.5 mL/hr should not be accompanied by an infusion programmed any faster than 35 mL/hr.
- If the critical drug (with half-life less than 6 minutes) is to be infused at 5.1 mL/hr or greater, the other infusion can be programmed at any desired rate.

NOTE: The total of the primary rate plus the secondary rate cannot exceed 500 mL/hr.

These guidelines apply *only* when infusing *short half-life critical drugs* in *Concurrent mode.* Individual patient responses may vary requiring adjustment of delivery rates.

DELIVERY RATE GUIDELINES	
SHORT HALF-LIFE (LESS THAN 6 MINUTES) CRITICAL DRUG INFUSION RATE	MAXIMUM RATE OF ACCOMPANYING INFUSION
0.5 - 1.9 mL/hr	5 Times the Critical Drug Rate
2 - 5 mL/hr	10 Times the Critical Drug Rate
5.1 or Greater	Any Desired Ratio

CRITICAL DRUGS

Examples of drugs with a short half-life (approximately 6 minutes or less when given IV) include:

Dobutamine	Esmolol	Nitroprusside
Dopamine	Isoproterenol	Norepinephrine
Epinephrine	Lidocaine	Oxytocin
Epoprostenol	Nitroglycerin	Procainamide

For these drugs, the concurrent flow guidelines should be followed when the infusion rate of the drug will be 5 mL/hr or less.

NOTE: This list of critical drugs is not intended to be all-inclusive of critical drugs or drugs with a short half-life.

The clinician should become familiar with the pharmacodynamics of any critical drug before administration.

This information is presented to inform clinicians of a rare situation that could be misinterpreted if they are unfamiliar with this phenomenon.

EPIDURAL ADMINISTRATION

• Recommended use of the epidural route is to provide anesthesia or analgesia for periods up to 96 hours.

• This device can be used to administer only those anesthetics/analgesics approved for epidural administration (as indicated

or allowed by the drugs' FDA approved labeling). Epidural administration of drugs other than those indicated for epidural use could result in serious injury to the patient.

• For epidural administration, the use of Hospira catheters, Plum sets without Y-sites, and "epidural" stickers indicating ongoing epidural administration are recommended.

• Administration of drugs via the epidural route should be limited to personnel familiar with associated techniques and patient management problems. Proper epidural placement of the catheter is essential since catheter migration could result in intravascular or intrathecal administration. Facilities practicing epidural administration must be equipped with resuscitative equipment, oxygen, naloxone, and other resuscitative drugs. Adequate monitoring equipment (e.g., Oximetry) is recommended for continuous monitoring of the patient during epidural administration. Patients must be observed frequently for side effects in a fully-equipped and staffed environment for at least 24 hours following completion of drug administration by the epidural route. DELAYED RESPIRATORY DEPRESSION FOLLOWING CONTINUOUS EPIDURAL ADMINISTRATION OF PRESERVATIVE-FREE MORPHINE SULFATE HAS BEEN REPORTED.

• The epidural space has 58 openings through which fluid can exit. Pressure buildup during administration is transient. However, if a large volume of fluid is administered over a short time period, the pressure will take longer to return to normal. If overdelivery occurs during administration, observe the patient closely for signs of spinal cord compression (disorientation, headache, transient neuralgias) and drug overdose.

BATTERY OPERATION

• When the battery is removed from the Plum A+, do not operate on patients. Use of a properly maintained and charged battery helps confirm proper operation.

• The battery may not be fully charged upon receipt. Connect the infuser to AC power for at least six hours.

- Use AC power whenever possible. Connect to AC power during storage to ensure a fully charged battery for emergencies. If the quality of the earth grounding source is in doubt, use battery power.
- If the low-battery alarm sounds, connect the infuser to AC power immediately.

SETS AND ACCESSORIES

- Only compatible LifeCare PlumSets™ can be used with the Plum A+. See individual set instructions for additional information.
- Administration sets should be changed per CDC guidelines or healthcare provider policy. Discard after use.
- LifeCare™ IV infusion sets with integral nonblood filters are not for use in the administration of blood, blood products, emulsions, suspensions, or any medications not totally soluble in the solution being administered. These medications may be administered through the lower Y-injection site, below the filter.
- When infusing at low delivery rates (5 mL/hr or less) the use of thick-walled microbore PlumSets is recommended. This will reduce the amount of the fluid bolus that may be delivered when a distal line occlusion is released.
- Syringes must be larger than 3 cc. Use syringe adapter (List 11986-48) when using syringes smaller than 10 cc. Some 10 cc syringes may require use of a syringe adapter. Syringes larger than 10 cc may be attached directly to the secondary port of the cassette. Use of a syringe adapter may decrease the occurrence of proximal occlusion alarms.
- Use a 19-gauge or larger needle or catheter at the venipuncture site for viscous fluids if operating at rates greater than 500 mL/hr. See *Section 10 for information on sets and accessories.*

BACKPRIMING

- Backpriming is not recommended for reconstituting secondary containers containing dry powders.

- To avoid pressurization when backpriming into a syringe, the user must confirm there is sufficient empty space to accept the backprimed fluid.

GENERAL

- Possible explosion hazard exists if used in the presence of flammable anesthetics.
- Do not place Plum A+ in service if it fails the self-test.
- Do not operate the Plum A+ with the case opened.
- Keep the cassette door securely closed while the infuser is not in use, to avoid cassette door damage.
- Values beyond a field's maximum hard limit will be displayed as dashes (-- -- --). The user must clear these fields using the [CLEAR] key prior to entering new values.
- The Plum A+3 is to be used with an IV pole with a 6-wheel base and a shelf.

CLEANING

For more information on cleaning the infuser, *see Section 8.*

- To avoid mechanical or electronic damage, do not immerse the Plum A+ in any fluids or cleaning solutions.
- Do not spray cleaning solutions toward any opening in the instrument.
- Certain cleaning and sanitizing solutions may slowly degrade components made from some plastic materials. Using abrasive cleaners or cleaning solutions not recommended by Hospira may result in product damage. Do not use compounds containing combinations of isopropyl alcohol and dimethyl benzyl ammonium chloride.
- Never use sharp objects such as fingernails, paper clips, or needles to clean any part of the infuser.
- Do not sterilize by heat, steam, ethylene oxide (ETO), or radiation.
- To avoid infuser damage, cleaning solutions should only be used as directed. The disinfecting properties of cleaning

solutions vary; consult the manufacturer for specific information.

BOLUS RELATED

Use the following procedure to avoid the administration of a bolus following a distal occlusion (that is, a closed distal clamp):

• If a secondary container is in use, clamp proximal tubing before opening cassette door.

• To prevent unrestricted flow, close all slide or CAIR clamps before opening the cassette door.

• Open cassette door and remove the cassette.

• Open the flow regulator briefly to dissipate the pressure and then close it.

• Eliminate the source of occlusion (closed clamp).

• Reinsert the cassette and close the cassette door.

• Open all clamps and resume infusion.

NOTE: When troubleshooting an occlusion where all clamps are in the OPEN position, use care to avoid delivery of a bolus by opening the flow regulator to release any built-up pressure. Close the clamp between the cassette and the patient before opening the flow regulator to relieve the pressure. *See Section 7, Alarms and Troubleshooting, for more information*.

ARTIFACTS

• Nonhazardous, low-level electrical potentials are commonly observed when fluids are administered using infusion devices. These potentials are well within accepted safety standards, but may create artifacts on voltage-sensing equipment such as ECG, EMG, and EEG machines. These artifacts vary at a rate that is associated with the infusion rate. If the monitoring machine is not operating correctly or has loose or defective connections to its sensing electrodes, these artifacts may be accentuated so as to simulate actual physiological signals. To determine if the abnormality in the monitoring equipment is caused by the infusion device instead of some other source in the environment, set the

infusion device so that it is temporarily not delivering fluid. Disappearance of the abnormality indicates that it was probably caused by the electronic noise generated by the infusion device. Proper setup and maintenance of the monitoring equipment should eliminate the artifact. Refer to the appropriate monitoring equipment system documentation for setup and maintenance instructions.

- The Plum A+ Infusion system is designed to operate normally in the presence of most encountered electromagnetic interference (EMI) conditions. In the event of extreme levels of interference, such as encountered next to an electrosurgical generator, it is possible that the normal operation of a sensor or microcomputer might be disrupted. Even in this event, the outcome would likely be a false alarm or detected system malfunction and would not result in a hazard to patient or operator.

- This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the EMC limits for the Medical Device Directive 93/42/EEC (EN 55011 Class B and IEC/EN 60601-1-2:2001). These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a typical medical installation. The equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to other devices in the vicinity. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference with other devices, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

  - Reorient or relocate the receiving device
  - Increase the separation between the equipment
  - Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the other device(s) is connected
  - Consult the manufacturer or field service technician for help

- Portable and mobile RF communications equipment, such as cellular telephones, 2-way radios, Bluetooth™ devices, microwave ovens, in close proximity to this device may affect wireless and wired communications with the Infusion pump and/or the operation of the Infusion pump. Special precautions need to be exercised regarding EMC, These include:
    - Use of a shielded Ethernet cable (CAT5 STP or better) for plugging into the RJ45 Ethernet connector. Using an unshielded Ethernet cable may result in increased emissions.
    - Maintaining a minimum separation distance of 2 ½ ft between the Infusion pump system and portable/ mobile RF communications equipment

- List Numbers 12391 and 11971 are compliant to IEC/EN 60601-1-2 (1993)

  List Numbers 20678, 20679, & 20792 are compliant to IEC/ EN 60601-1-2 (2001) and have been tested and found to comply with EMC limits for the Medical Device Directive 93/ 42/EEC (EN 55011 Class B and EN 60601-1-2:2001).

INTERCONNECTING OF MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

- Accessory equipment connected to the analog and digital interfaces must be certified according to the respective IEC Standards (e.g. IEC 60950 for data processing equipment and IEC 60601-1 for Medical Equipment). Furthermore, all configurations shall comply with the system standard IEC 60601-1-1. Any person who connects additional equipment to the signal input or output part configures a medical system, and is therefore responsible for ensuring that the system complies with the requirements of the system Standard IEC 60601-1-1. If in doubt, consult the technical service department or your local representative.

Guidance on EMC Compatibility

- There is a shared responsibility between manufacturers, customers and users to ensure that Medical Equipment and Systems are designed and operated as intended. Medical electrical equipment needs special precautions regarding electromagnetic compatibility and needs to be installed and used according to the electromagnetic compatibility information provided in this manual.

- The device is suitable for use in all establishments, including domestic establishments. If extended operation during power mains interruption is needed, use battery power.

- Always manage the electromagnetic environment.

- The guidance included in this manual provides information needed to:
    - Determine the device's suitability for use in the intended environment.
    - Manage the electromagnetic environment to permit the device to perform as intended without disturbing other equipment.

- Separate the device from all other electronic equipment. If the device must be used near other electrical equipment, monitor the equipment to ensure there is no electromagnetic interference.

- Devices should not be used adjacent to or stacked with other equipment. If the device must be used adjacent to or stacked with other equipment, monitor the devices to verify normal operation.

- USE ONLY components specifically labeled for use with the Plum A+ Infusion System to help ensure the device operates as intended.

- If you suspect external RF sources or other equipment are influencing device operation, contact the biomedical engineering department for additional guidelines concerning electromagnetic immunity.

- Contact the biomedical engineering department for additional information in the technical service manual concerning operating devices near RF sources.

- The wireless module (20677/20791-04) has been tested with Plum A+ infusion systems and has been found to comply with the international standard IEC 60601-1-2 Edition 2 Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) of Medical Electrical Equipment.

FCC Information

US FCC (FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION) STATEMENT

- This device complies with Part 15C, 15E of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause interference, and (2) This device must accept any interference, including that may cause undesired operation of these devices.

FCC INTERFERENCE STATEMENT

- This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15C, 15E of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy. If not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, it may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try and correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:
  - Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
  - Increase the distance between the equipment and the receiver.
  - Connect the equipment to an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.

- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

- Changes or modifications not expressly approved by Hospira could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

RADIO FREQUENCY EXPOSURE STATEMENT

- The Wireless LAN radio device in the Connectivity Engine peripheral board with this infusion device has been evaluated and found compliant to the requirements of the following Radio Frequency exposure standards:

  - Federal Communications Commission, OET Bulletin 65 (Edition 97-01), Supplement C (Edition 01-01), Evaluating Compliance with FCC Guidelines for Human Exposure to Radio frequency Electromagnetic Fields, July 2001.

  - Industry Canada, Evaluation Procedure for Mobile and Portable Radio Transmitters with respect to Health Canada's Safety Code 6 for Exposure of Humans to Radio Frequency Fields, Radio Standards Specification RSS-102 Issue 1 (Provisional): September 1999.

- The radiated output power of this Wireless LAN device is far below the FCC radio frequency exposure limits. The Wireless LAN device for both Plum A+ and Plum A+3 has been evaluated with 0.2 inches separation of human body from the antenna and found to be compliant with FCC RF exposure limits.

WIRELESS DEVICE PRECAUTION

- The wireless 801.11a/b/g device usage in the 5150-5250 MHz band is limited to indoor use to reduce potential for harmful interference to co-channel mobile satellite systems.

- In the 5250-5350 MHz and 5650-5850 MHz frequency bands, high power radars are allocated as primary users and these radars could cause interference and/or damage to LE-LAN devices.

- Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) the wireless device may not cause interference, and (2) the wireless device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the wireless device.

SECTION 2
Principles of Operation

Features

The Plum A+ is a dual-line volumetric infusion system designed to meet the growing demand for hospital-wide, as well as alternate site and home healthcare, standardization. With its primary line, secondary line, and piggyback fluid delivery capability, the Plum A+ is suited for a wide range of medical/surgical and critical care applications. Full compatibility with LifeCare Plum Series administration sets and accessories and the LifeShield**™** and CLAVE**™** needleless protection systems, makes the Plum A+ a convenient and cost-effective infusion system.

PROGRAMS

- Standard Programming
- Loading Dose
- Multistep Programming

LINE PROGRAMMING OPTIONS

- Drug List
- Nurse Call Back
- Delayed Start/Standby Setting
- Concurrent delivery
- Titration
- Micro 0.1-99.9 mL/hr (in 0.1 mL increments) flow rate range for both lines
- Macro 100-999 mL/hr (in 1 mL increments) flow rate range for both lines
- Automated Secondary drug delivery (Piggyback)

PLUMSET CAPABILITIES

- Anti Free-Flow Protection
- Direct Connection for syringe delivery

AIR MANAGEMENT

- Air Trap
- Air Removal/Backpriming
- Air Detection-Proximal
- Air Detection-Distal

BATTERY

NOTE: The Plum A+3 utilizes three batteries.

- Battery Gauge
- Less than 8-Hour Battery Recharge Time
- Long battery life (3 hours) for emergency backup and temporary portable operation

BIOMEDICAL

- Upgradability (Field- Single Channel Devices Only)
- Variable Rate Cap
- Alarm History
- Nurse Call Relay Connector

OPTIONS

- Volumes Infused (A, B, Total Volume)
- KVO at dose end (1 mL/hr or less depending on delivery rate) or Continue Rate (CR) to continue at the current rate
- Variable Distal Pressure Settings

OTHER FEATURES

• Nonpulsatile volumetric accuracy
• Microprocessor control
• Large liquid crystal display (LCD) screen
• Panel back illumination on mains power
• Lockout switch
• Standard syringe use
• Parenteral and nonparenteral (enteral) fluid delivery
• Blood and blood products delivery
• Wide range of Standard and Specialty administration sets
• Password protected keypad lock

COMMUNICATION

• Networked Communication (Ethernet & Wireless)
• Autoprogramming
• Drug Library Download

Definitions

TERM	DEFINITION
Administration Set	*The sterile, disposable assembly with flexible tubing that connects to a source fluid container for input to the Cassette pumping chamber and to some output device for administration to the patient.*
Alarm	*A condition requiring operator intervention that invokes both audible and visible alarm indicators. Confirmation of the condition usually is required.*
Alert	*While entering a program, a visual warning that informs the clinician of the violation of a hospital-defined rule set, e.g., a dose limit for a specific drug.*

TERM	DEFINITION
Alternate Units	*Dose Rate units that may be selected. Alternate Units are any units other than mL/ hr.*
Alternate Units Parameters	*Drug Amount, Diluent, Patient Weight (if applicable), and Dose Rate.*
Auto-Program	*A physician order sent to the infuser.*
Auto-Program (new)	*An auto-program is considered "new" if either of the following conditions are met: A) There is no program on the associated line. B) The drug and concentration in the auto-program is different from a currently-programmed drug and concentration.*
Auto-Program (titration)	*An auto-program is considered a "titration" if the drug and concentration in the auto-program match the currently-programmed drug and concentration. Non-promotion titration programs include some subset of the following: Rate, Dose, Duration. Promotion titration programs include some subset of the following: Rate, Dose, Duration, Patient Weight, Dosing Units, Drug Amount, Drug Units, Diluent Amount.*
Awake CE	*The CE is considered awake when the infuser is powered on with battery power and the battery is above the low battery threshold or is plugged into AC.*
Backpressure	*Resistance to fluid flow on the Distal or output portion of the Administration Set, usually expressed as PSIG.*
Backprime	*Removal of air or fluid from the proximal tubing and Cassette air trap by rapid pumping of fluid from Line A to an output receptacle on Line B. No fluid delivered distal to the cassette during a Backprime.*

TERM	**DEFINITION**
Basic Delivery	*A single-step delivery specifying rate, VTBI, and duration only. Drug name may or may not be specified.*
Biomed Mode	*The name for the non-delivery or service mode of Infuser operation.*
Bolus	*A single uninterrupted discrete volume of fluid delivered over a discrete period of time.*
Cassette	*A Hospira standard Plum Macro Cassette that contains the actual pumping chamber with inlet and outlet valves. It also contains access ports to diaphragms for proximal and distal line pressure sensing and chambers for air trapping and air quantity measurement.*
Caution	*Contains information which could prevent hardware failure, irreversible damage to equipment, or loss of data.*
Channel	*Distal Line output to the patient.*
Cleared Program	*Same as Cleared Settings, but restricted to the program delivery settings for an individual line.*
Cleared Settings	*Programmed delivery settings for both lines and the general control parameters are at their default values.*
Clinical Care Area (CCA)	*An area of the hospital for which authorized hospital staff has allowed use of up to 149 specific drugs, plus No Drug Selected. The clinician selects a CCA after turning on the Infuser. The hospital may create from one to eighteen CCAs.*

TERM	DEFINITION
Concentration	*For Dose Calculation based Line A or B delivery programming of premixed drugs, the concentration consists of Drug Amount (in micrograms [mcg], milligrams [mg], grams, milliequivalents [mEq], millimols [mmols], or units [USP Units]) and Diluent (Volume in milliliters [mL]). Abbreviated on screen displays as "Conc".*
Concurrent Delivery	*Simultaneous delivery of two fluids at independent flow rates.*
Concurrent Mode	*The Line B control selection mode that allows either Line A or Line B (or both) of the Mechanism to be programmed for delivery that completes with KVO or CR. Line A operation is unaffected by Line B delivery.*
Connectivity Engine (CE)	*A component of the infuser that controls ethernet and wireless communication between the MMU and Infuser processor.*
Continue Rate (CR)	*An option used to provide fluid delivery at the current fluid delivery rate when the VTBI becomes zero.*
Default Drug Library (DDL)	*A drug list of 99 drug names, default units and default concentrations, plus 'No Drug Selected'. Does not contain Soft or Hard Limits. The DDL is a subset of Plum A+ Version 11.3 drug list. The Infuser functions initially with the DDL.*
Deliver Together	*A Biomed Delivery option setting, which selects default of Piggyback or Concurrent delivery mode.*
Delivery Mode	*The normal operational mode for the Infuser, either Concurrent or Piggyback, during which fluid delivery may occur.*
Delivery Rate	*The delivery rate (as Volume/Time) assigned by the operator or calculated from other delivery parameters.*

TERM	DEFINITION
Device	*The Plum A+ IV Infusion Device (Infuser), not including the disposable administration sets.*
Diluent (Volume)	*The volume of fluid used with the Diluent Unit (e.g., 250 mL), which dilutes the drug to be infused.*
Distal	*Downstream (output) from the Cassette portion of the Administration Set.*
Door	*The lever-operated, bottom-hinged, Cassette holder on the front of the Mechanism.*
Dose (Rate)	*Delivery rate times drug concentration.*
Dose Calculation	*Allows programming Dose Rates in alternative units of measure. Dose Calculation can be used in Simple Delivery, Loading Dose, and Multistep.*
Drug Amount	*The mass or quantity of the drug premixed with a Diluent to express the Concentration for the Line being programmed.*
Drug Library	*Drug names available for use with the Infuser in the selected CCA, and each drug's concentration, units of measure, and dose limits, as determined by authorized hospital staff. The Drug Library is based on hospital-defined best practices. The Drug Library is customized and downloaded into the Infuser by authorized hospital personnel using Hospira MedNet Networked software.*
Duration	*The time period used to deliver a VTBI at an existing Delivery Rate or as set by the operator.*
Enteral	*Delivery via an intestinal route.*

TERM	DEFINITION
Error	*A condition resulting in an audible warning and often an accompanying message, such as an invalid key press, resulting from an operator attempt to make an input that is not valid for the current operational context. Not a Malfunction.*
Filling Head Height (FHH)	*The gravity induced Proximal Line pressure due to fluid height in source container above the Distal Line output level.*
Flow Rate	*The resulting rate of fluid flow. (See Rate and Dose.)*
Fluid Delivery Begin	*The time required, measured from the initial start of a keypad press, for a digit in the third decimal place of a scale measuring grams to change when pumping water, the delivery tube is fluid filled, and the end of the delivery tube is immersed.*
Hard Limit	*The dosing amount (upper and/or lower amount) that when assigned to a drug cannot be overridden. Defined by the hospital for each drug in its Drug Library. The hard limits for a particular drug may vary across different CCAs.*
Infuser	*A Plum A+ device, not including the disposable administration set.*
Initialized Position	*The plunger is in the Plunger Park Position, and each valve is in the Valve Home Position.*
Key	*Any of the marked locations on the front panels intended for user input via a pressing action.*
KVO	*(Keep Vein Open) Internally selected minimal delivery rate, the lesser of 1.0 mL/Hr or actual Rate, intended to provide sufficient fluid flow to decrease the potential for clotting at the IV infusion site.*

TERM	DEFINITION
Line A	*Inlet tubing on the top center of Cassette when viewed after it has been loaded in Mechanism Door.*
Line B	*Inlet connector on the top right of Cassette when viewed after it has been loaded in Mechanism Door.*
Loading Dose	*Allows programming of an initial infusion rate for a specific volume, followed automatically by a maintenance rate from the same container (e.g., a fluid challenge). If Dose Calc is used, the Loading Dose and Maintenance Dose are in the same unit of measure, over the same period of time (mcg/min), from the same container.*
Macro Cassette	*The Plum Cassette as part of an Administration Set whose attainable delivery performance is for general purpose uses.*
Malfunction	*One of a number of conditions that indicate a failure of the Infuser. These conditions usually require a repair action.*
Mechanism	*The provider of the physical activities of: 1) valve control for Line selection and inlet to or outlet from the Cassette; 2) Plunger extension and retraction for changing fluid volume of the Cassette pumping chamber.*
MedNet software	*Networked application software used to define and download the custom drug library to the Infuser.*
Multistep	*Allows a sequential program to deliver up to 10 steps; fluid volumes and delivery rates may be programmed for each step. The program may be entered based on Rate and Volume or Volume and Time. If Dose Calc is used, the delivery steps are in the same unit of measure, over the same period of time, from the same container.*

TERM	DEFINITION
MMS	*Medication Management Suite- a product suite that will be used to support safe and efficient caregiver administration of intravenous medications.*
MMU	*Medication Management Unit- the MMU is a product of the MMS and provides external communications with infusers and other systems supporting medication management. It supports drug library downloads and status/log updates to the infusers. MMU also delivers a variety of pre-built and custom reports related to the infuser activities.*
Network-Enabled Module	*The hardware that facilitates communication between the infuser and the network.*
Note	*A Note explains something new, gives tips on performing an activity, or provides a reminder of necessary preparations.*
Override	*The clinician acknowledges an Alert, confirms and proceeds with a program containing a parameter that falls outside the hospital-defined Soft Limits.*
Parenteral	*Delivery via other than an intestinal route, such as intravenous (IV) injection.*
Patient Weight	*The Alternate Units Parameter whose value entry is required with Dose rates (quantity/ time) having the third parameter of weight, such as mcg/kg/min.*
Piggyback Delivery	*Infusion will stop Line A and infuse Line B until VTBI completes.*

TERM	DEFINITION
Piggyback Mode	*The Line B control selection mode that requires Line A delivery suspension while Line B delivers and then its resumption when Line B VTBI completes. If Line A is not programmed and started, Line B delivery just stops when its VTBI completes. Line A operation is delayed for duration of its interruption by Line B.*
Plunger Park Position	*The position of the pumping plunger that allows the cassette to be withdrawn from the Infuser without restriction, with an opened Door.*
POST	*Power On Self Tests. Startup initialization and test of critical hardware modules and software functions, to determine Infuser readiness for its Intended Use.*
Power On	*When the power is first applied to the Infuser processor. It occurs when Infuser is in the off condition and the AC power is applied or during battery operation when the ON/OFF key is pressed.*
Pressure	*The measured fluid pressure for Proximal Line A, Proximal Line B, or the Distal line when a fully primed administration set is loaded into a Mechanism with the Cassette Door closed.*
Programs	*A Concentration-based extension to basic Volume/Rate delivery for Dose Rate applications. Softkey-selected types are: 1) Standard Program for single rate delivery; 2) Loading Dose for up to two steps of delivery at differing rates; 3) Multistep for up to ten steps of delivery at differing rates. Loading Dose and Multistep include the basic Delivery Rate option.*

TERM	DEFINITION
Protocol	*In the medical field, hospital-approved procedures. For devices with an electronic communications interface, the format and content of messages being exchanged.*
Proximal	*Upstream (input, as Line A and/or B) with respect to the Cassette portion of the Administration Set.*
Rate	*See Delivery Rate*
Rounding	*To round-off to the closest whole number (e.g., 25.5 would round to 26, but 25.4 would round to 25).*
Rule Sets	*The compilation of Soft and Hard Limits associated with a drug entry.*
Screen	*That active portion of the LCD assigned to a delivery or other user interactive display operation.*
Softkey	*A front panel key whose function label is on the bottom portion of the display screen just above its location, so that label may be changed to indicate differing key functions within the operational context of the defined screens.*
Soft Limit	*The dosing amount (upper and/or lower amount) that when assigned to a drug can be overridden based on confirmation. Defined by the hospital for each drug in its Drug Library. The soft limits for a particular drug entry may vary across CCAs.*
Standard Programming	*(see Basic Delivery)*
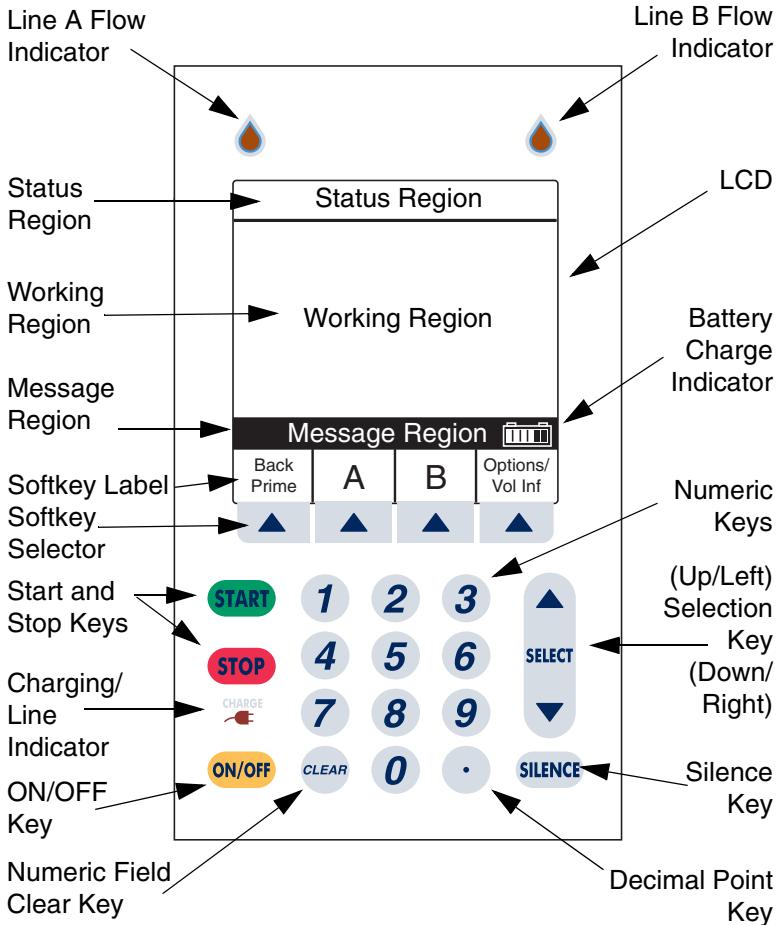
| TERM	DEFINITION
Standby	*A delivery program state that resembles a delayed start for a line in all respects, but status display of STANDBY instead of DELAYED. A press of the START key (and a Start Softkey if necessary) will begin the programmed delivery.*
System	*The Plum A+ Infuser system with its associated accessories and Administration Sets.*
Tall-Man Lettering	*Tall-Man lettering uses uppercase letters in combination with lowercase letters to help clinicians differentiate among sound-alike or look-alike drug names. Certain Hospira Default Library drug names are displayed in Tall-Man lettering.*
Truncate	*To round down to the last whole number (e.g., 103.7 would be 103).*
Units	*A Drug Amount (without a quantity of mass referent) adopted as the United States Pharmacopoeia (USP) standard of measure for use in a Concentration.*
VI	*Volume Infused.*
VTBI	*Volume To Be Infused – The volume of fluid or IV solution (remaining) for delivery by a program or Therapy step from a Line.*

TERM	DEFINITION
Warning	*Audible indication at the defined Warning sound level, often accompanied by a brief message, to advise operator that: 1. Input was attempt to use a function in wrong sequence, with wrong values, or at wrong time (resulting in an Invalid Key Warning); 2. Input was properly related to a function (resulting in a Valid Key Warning). (The Low Battery Warning is an exception, using the Alarm Indication sound level.)*
Weight	*The Alternate Units Parameter whose value entry is required with Alternate Units for Dose that include /kg/.*

SECTION 3
Equipment Description

Line A Flow Indicator

Line B Flow Indicator

Status Region

LCD

Working Region

Battery Charge Indicator

Message Region

Status Region

Working Region

Message Region

Softkey Label Softkey Selector

Back Prime | A | B | Options/ Vol Inf

Start and Stop Keys

Numeric Keys

(Up/Left) Selection Key (Down/ Right)

START

STOP

1 2 3

4 5 6

SELECT

Charging/ Line Indicator

CHARGE

7 8 9

ON/OFF Key

ON/OFF

CLEAR

0

SILENCE

Silence Key

Numeric Field Clear Key

Decimal Point Key

Front Panel Display and Keypad

Operating Keys

> **NOTE:** For Plum A+3, all three pumps act as individual Plum A+ infusers.

The [ON/OFF] key is used to control the power of the Plum A+.

ON/OFF

> **NOTE:** All deliveries must be stopped in order to turn the power off.

> **NOTE:** To confirm proper shutdown of infuser, do not unplug until **"double beep"** is heard (approximately 5 seconds). If **"double beep"** is not heard, the infuser will turn itself back ON sensing the AC power was lost and revert to battery back-up power.

The [START] key is used to begin infusion. It brings up the Confirmation screen. If all information appears correct, select ▲ *[Yes]* to start program.

START

The [STOP] key is used to stop the current delivery on one line; used in conjunction with soft keys to stop delivery on both lines.

STOP

The [SILENCE] key is used to silence an audible alarm during actions to correct its cause.

SILENCE

The [SELECT] key (or ⬆SELECT⬇) is used to move the highlighting cursor between the programming fields.

▲

SELECT

▼

The numeric keys are used to enter values for any highlighted field requiring numeric data.

1 2 3

The [CLEAR] key will cause a highlighted numeric field to be cleared in preparation for data entry. It is also used to clear the displayed dashes (-- -- --) that occur when entering values beyond the pre-programmed hard limits. It WILL NOT clear the entire program.

4 5 6

7 8 9

CLEAR 0 •

The [DECIMAL POINT] key is used to manually enter numbers other than whole numbers (i.e., 1.2 mL).

Softkeys are located at the bottom of the main display and serve a variety of functions. What each key does is indicated by the text in the display above the actual softkey.

	Standby	Enter	Cancel/Back
▲	▲	▲	▲
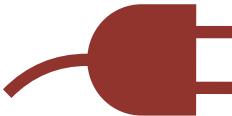
Indicators

The Charge/Line Indicator is illuminated to indicate the battery is currently charging.

> **NOTE:** If the device is plugged into AC power, with a battery installed, and the Charge Indicator is not illuminated, contact technical support.

The fluid drop symbol, when flashing, indicates an active infusion on Line A and/or Line B.

CHARGE

Display Symbols

Battery Capacity Symbol (located on right side of message region on display) indicates relative charge with number of white boxes from left to right.

Cautionary Symbol is displayed to alert the user that the infuser is being operated without rule sets (soft or hard limits). Read the drug package insert for information on proper usage.

Soft Limit Override Symbol indicates the programmed soft limits upper (up arrow) or lower (down arrow) have been overridden.
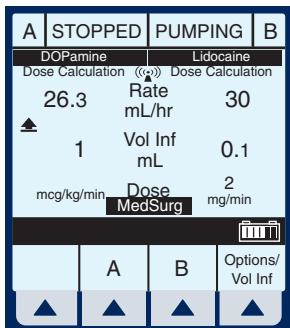
> **NOTE:** The infuser will display the rule set icon from the first step in a situation where a 2-step process is completed and the infuser is stopped after going to KVO.

The "Wireless Connection Available" icon is displayed when the device is receiving a wireless signal. The infuser will connect to the network if a wireless network access point is recognized.

It may appear on any Main Delivery Screen whether pumping or stopped. It also may appear regardless of Auto-Programming. However, in a wireless network environment, Auto-Programming will not be successful if the icon is not visible during the Auto-Program transfer. If wireless Auto-Programming is desired and the icon is not displayed on the Main Delivery Screen, try relocating the pump towards the wireless access point until the icon is displayed. The icon will not be displayed if the infuser is communicating via an ethernet connection.
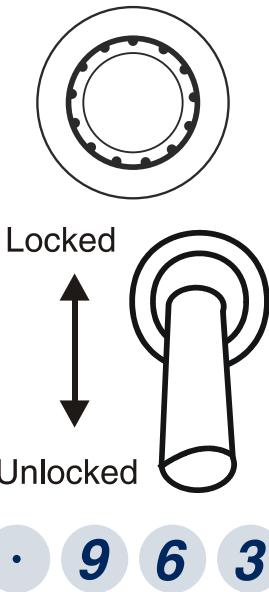
Rear Case Controls

NOTE: For Plum A+3, each control applies to all three pumps.

The Audio Level Rotary Knob is located on the back of the pump. Rotate the knob to achieve the desired alarm volume level.

The Toggle Switch, located below the audio level control, activates the lockout function when the lever is placed in the "up" position, disabling all front panel keys except [STOP].

Password Protected Keypad Lock may also be used. It both locks and unlocks the keypad by pressing the decimal key, followed by 9, 6, & 3.
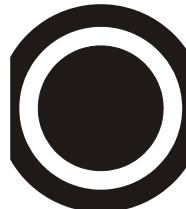
NOTE: For Plum A+3, keypad lock applies to individual pump in use.

NOTE: Pressing of a key while lockout is active results in the display of the lockout enabled message. This action is recommended to confirm each lockout activation.
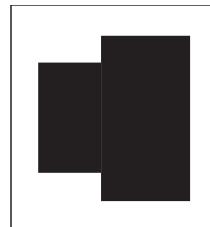
NOTE: If the lockout switch is put in the "Locked" position while the infuser is off, the [ON/OFF] key allows the unit to turn on.

The connector located below the lockout switch is the Nurse Call Relay Connector, for providing remote notification of a nurse call event.
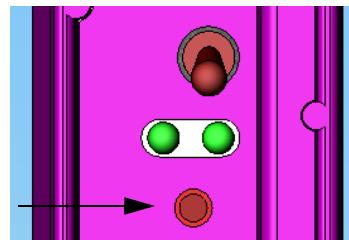
The Ethernet port is used with a shielded Ethernet cable to connect to a local area connection.

> **NOTE:** *See page 14 for more information on Ethernet cables.*
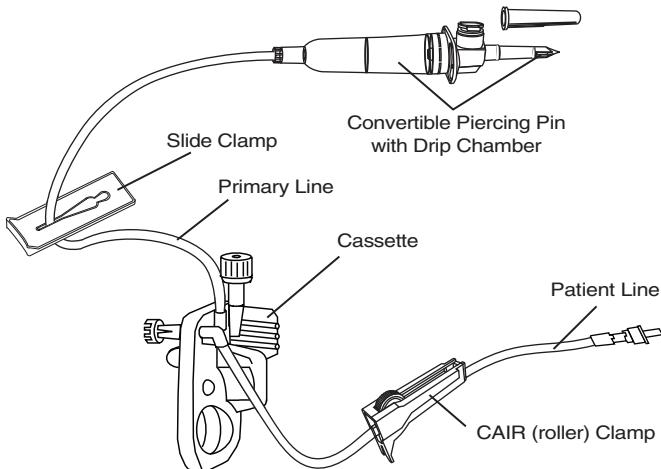
The Reset Button (only visible on Lists 20791/20792-04-77+ & single-channel devices upgraded with Module List 20677-04-77+) is located below the indicator lights. It is used to reset the IP Address. This button is only to be used by Field Service personnel. See the Technical Service Manual for more information.
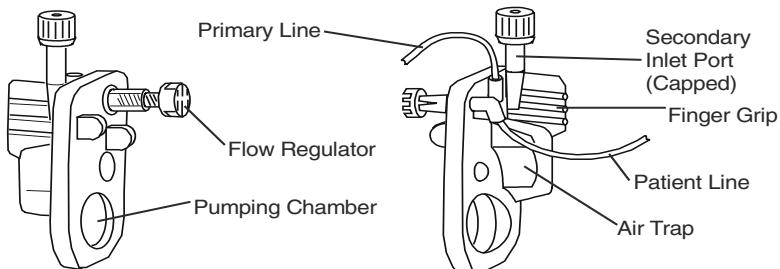
Administration Sets

The Plum A+ is compatible with a wide range of LifeCare Plum series administration sets. Become familiar with the set components before preparing the administration set.

Administration Set


Cassette

Preparing the Administration Set
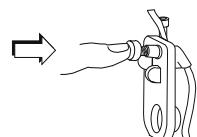
NOTE: For detailed instructions, see administration set packaging.

WARNING
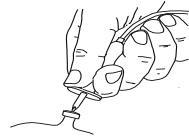
ARRANGE TUBING, CORDS, AND CABLES TO MINIMIZE THE RISK OF PATIENT STRANGULATION OR ENTANGLEMENT.

Use the aseptic technique to prepare the administration set for priming, then proceed as follows:

**1** **Make sure flow regulator is closed.**
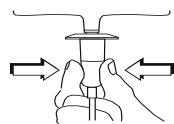
2 **Insert piercing pin into container outlet with a twisting motion.**
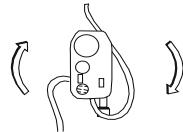
3 **Fill Drip chamber to about 1/2 full or to the score mark. Do not completely fill.**

NOTE: To avoid getting Distal Air Alarms, confirm the fluid bag is positioned higher than the infuser. This should be set up prior to priming the cassette.
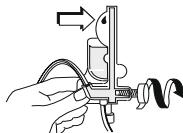
Priming the Administration Set
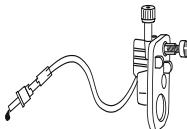
1   **Invert the cassette.**
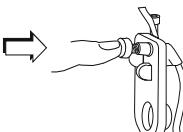
2   **Turn the flow regulator counter-clockwise until a drop of fluid is seen in the pumping chamber.**

3   **Turn the cassette upright, then prime the remainder of the administration set.**

4   **Push in the flow regulator to close. Confirm there is no flow.**

Loading the Cassette

To load the primed cassette into the Plum A+, proceed as follows.

1   **Open the cassette door by lifting up the handle.**

2 **Insert cassette into door guides. Close the cassette door. Confirm there is no flow and no kinks appear in tubing.**

> **NOTE:** If flow is observed, close the tubing clamps and replace the administration set.

> **NOTE:** The administration set should be changed per CDC guidelines or healthcare provider policy. Discard after use.

Preparing the Secondary Line

**CAUTION:** CONSULT THE DRUG LABELING TO CONFIRM DRUG COMPATIBILITY, CONCENTRATION, DELIVERY RATES, AND VOLUMES ARE ALL SUITABLE FOR CONCURRENT DELIVERY OR PIGGYBACK DELIVERY (SECONDARY FOLLOWED AUTOMATICALLY BY PRIMARY) MODES.

The Plum A+ features concurrent or piggyback delivery modes when program requires administering more than one fluid.

In addition to standard containers, the Plum A+ can use syringes on the secondary port. The secondary line can be prepared without removing or repriming the cassette.

Before preparing the secondary line, observe the following guidelines:

- Review the backpriming function.
- Attach the secondary container using an 18- or 19- gauge, 31 mm (or shorter) needle, if the cassette secondary inlet port has a piercing reseal.
- Syringes must be larger than 3 cc. Use syringe adapter (List 11986-48) when using syringes smaller than 10 cc. Some 10 cc syringes may require use of a syringe adapter. Syringes larger than 10 cc may be attached directly to the secondary port of the
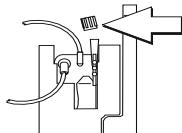
cassette. Use of a syringe adapter may decrease the occurrence of proximal occlusion alarms.

• When using a syringe adapter, retract the plunger to draw approximately 1 mL of fluid into the syringe to clear air from the adapter filter.
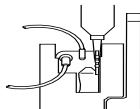
To prepare the secondary line, use aseptic technique and proceed as follows:

1 **With cassette door closed: Loosen and remove white cap, then discard. Add secondary tubing or syringe.**
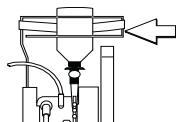
2 **Open all proximal clamps before pressing [START].**

3 **Set up per operating instructions.** *(See Sections 4 - 6 of this manual.)*

4 *Syringe:* **Secure the container to the cassette door using the optional container support arm** *(List 12095-03)***.**

Discontinuing Electronic Flow Control & Setting Gravity Flow

If electronic flow needs to be stopped, the precision flow regulator on the cassette can be used to manually set and maintain fluid flow in a gravity mode *(see the following graphics).*

CAUTION: **BEFORE OPENING DOOR, CLOSE CLAMP ON PRIMARY OR SECONDARY SET OR REMOVE SECONDARY CONTAINER FROM SECONDARY PORT TO PREVENT MIXING OF PRIMARY AND SECONDARY FLUIDS.**

WARNING

TO PREVENT UNRESTRICTED FLOW, CLOSE ALL SLIDE OR CAIR CLAMPS PRIOR TO OPENING THE CASSETTE DOOR.
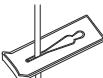
1 PRESS STOP

STOP
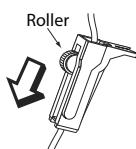
2 CLOSE ALL SLIDE OR CAIR (ROLLER) CLAMPS
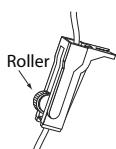
TO CLOSE SLIDE CLAMP

CLOSED POSITION

Roller

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TO CLOSE CAIR (ROLLER) CLAMP

CLOSED POSITION

NOTE: IF DOOR OPEN ALARM OCCURS, TURN PUMP OFF
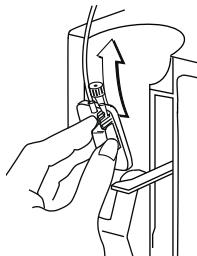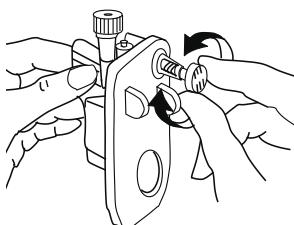
3 OPEN DOOR & REMOVE CASSETTE

NOTE: FLOW REGULATOR CLOSES AUTOMATICALLY WHEN DOOR IS OPENED TO PREVENT ACCIDENTAL FREE FLOW
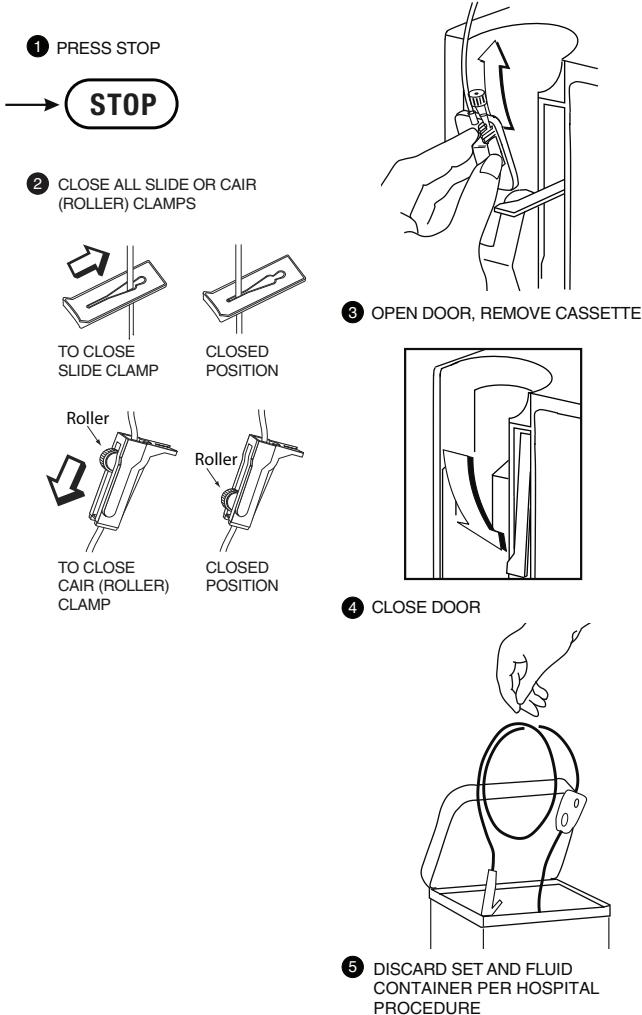
4 SET GRAVITY RATE BY TURNING FLOW REGULATOR COUNTER-CLOCKWISE

NOTE: CASSETTE SHOULD BE IN UPRIGHT POSITION AND CLAMPS SHOULD BE OPEN

Discontinuing Fluid Administration

❶ PRESS STOP

⟶ **(STOP)**

❷ CLOSE ALL SLIDE OR CAIR (ROLLER) CLAMPS

TO CLOSE
SLIDE CLAMP

CLOSED
POSITION

Roller

TO CLOSE
CAIR (ROLLER)
CLAMP

Roller

CLOSED
POSITION

❸ OPEN DOOR, REMOVE CASSETTE

❹ CLOSE DOOR

❺ DISCARD SET AND FLUID CONTAINER PER HOSPITAL PROCEDURE

SECTION 4
Basic Operation

Getting Started

UNPACKING

CAUTION: PRODUCT DAMAGE MAY OCCUR UNLESS PROPER CARE IS EXERCISED DURING UNPACKING AND INSTALLATION. DO NOT USE THE PLUM A+ IF IT APPEARS DAMAGED IN ANY WAY. THE BATTERY MAY NOT BE CHARGED UPON RECEIPT.

Inspect the Plum A+ packaging for possible shipping damage. If damage is found, contact the delivery company immediately.

Use care when unpacking the infuser. Retain the packing slip and save all packing material in case the infuser is damaged or fails the infuser self-test and has to be returned to Hospira.

Inspect thoroughly for damage.

CAUTION: IF THE PLUM A+ APPEARS TO BE DAMAGED, CONTACT HOSPIRA, INC.

To set up, connect the AC (mains) cord to a properly grounded receptacle, unless temporary battery operation is desired.

NOTE: Use AC (mains) power whenever possible. Store the infuser connected to AC (mains) to confirm a fully charged battery for emergencies.

NOTE: If the quality of the earth grounding source is in doubt, use battery power.
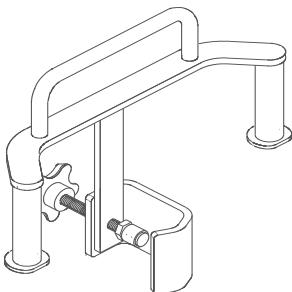
CAUTION: THE PLUM A+ SYSTEM IS DESIGNED TO OPERATE NORMALLY IN THE PRESENCE OF MOST ENCOUNTERED ELECTROMAGNETIC INTERFERENCE (EMI) CONDITIONS. IN THE EVENT OF EXTREME LEVELS OF INTERFERENCE, SUCH AS ENCOUNTERED NEXT TO AN ELECTROSURGICAL GENERATOR, CELLULAR TELEPHONES, OR 2-WAY RADIOS, IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THE NORMAL OPERATION OF A SENSOR OR MICROCOMPUTER MIGHT BE DISRUPTED.

OPERATION OF THE INFUSER UNDER THESE CONDITIONS SHOULD BE AVOIDED.

TANDEM CARRIER INSTRUCTIONS

NOTE: The Plum A+3 is NOT to be used with the tandem carrier. It is only to be used with the Plum A+ and other single-channel devices.

The Plum A+ may be safely and conveniently mounted on an IV stand or on a tandem carrier mounted on an IV stand.

Always mount the tandem carrier (List# 12270-01) to the pole before attaching the infuser(s) to the tandem carrier.

Make sure tandem carrier clamp is attached firmly to pole.

Make sure infusers are firmly attached to tandem carrier.

This section details the Plum A+ instrument setup procedures.

SYSTEM SELF-TESTS

The infuser performs a suite of System Self-Tests when power is applied to confirm readiness for use.

Failure during the Self-Tests is reported as a Malfunction Condition.

CAUTION: DO NOT PLACE THE PLUM A+ IN SERVICE IF IT FAILS THE SYSTEM SELF-TESTS.

Connect the AC power (mains) cord to an AC power receptacle, then confirm that the Charging/Line indicator illuminates (above the [ON/OFF] key on the front panel).

A systematic self-testing of the processing, delivery, and safety systems is performed whenever the Plum A+ is turned on, to verify readiness for operation.

NOTE: If the quality of the earth grounding source is in doubt, use battery power.

Press the [ON/OFF] key to turn the power on. Check screen display and listen for a beep to indicate the audio is working. Wait for the self-tests to complete. If successful, put a fully primed macro cassette into the cassette door and close the door. See *Loading Cassette* in *Section 3* for details of correct procedure.

When the Charging/Line indicator is off and the battery symbol on the display is flashing, this indicates that the Plum A+ is operating on low battery power and should be recharged.

CAUTION: WHEN THE BATTERY IS REMOVED FROM THE PLUM A+, DO NOT OPERATE ON PATIENTS. USE OF A PROPERLY MAINTAINED AND CHARGED BATTERY HELPS CONFIRM PROPER OPERATION.

To confirm battery is fully charged, connect the Plum A+ to AC (mains) power for a minimum of six hours while in the OFF mode.

If an alarm occurs during the power on self-test, identify the alarm message, then take corrective action (see *Section 7*, *Alarms and Troubleshooting*).

Turn infuser OFF, then back ON. If the self-test alarm recurs, remove the infuser from service and contact the local Hospira representative.

The infuser performs a suite of System Self-Tests when power is applied to confirm readiness for use.

Failure during the Self-Tests is reported as a Malfunction Condition.

DATA RETENTION
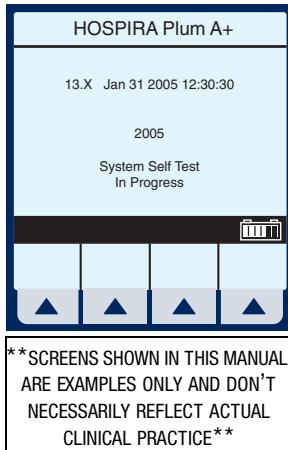
Delivery program settings and programming option selections are retained in non-volatile memory. If the Plum A+ has been turned off for longer than four hours, all delivery settings are cleared and programming option selections are restored to their default selections for next use.

Power On

1 Press (ON/OFF) to Power On the Plum A+ and the System Self-Tests Screen is displayed.

After self-testing successfully completes, the display will proceed to the next screen.

Programming the infuser may begin during the cassette check phase of the start-up testing.

```
HOSPIRA Plum A+

13.X   Jan 31 2005 12:30:30

2005

System Self Test
In Progress
```

SCREENS SHOWN IN THIS MANUAL ARE EXAMPLES ONLY AND DON'T NECESSARILY REFLECT ACTUAL CLINICAL PRACTICE
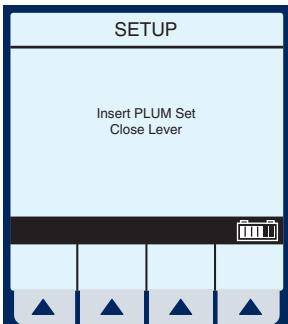
NOTE: If battery is missing or defective, a "Battery not installed" message with a "Continue without battery" prompt will appear (AC power only).

CAUTION: WHEN THE BATTERY IS REMOVED FROM THE PLUM A+, DO NOT OPERATE ON PATIENTS. USE OF A PROPERLY MAINTAINED AND CHARGED BATTERY HELPS CONFIRM PROPER OPERATION.

2 To set up the Plum A+, insert selected Plum Set and close cassette holder door lever.
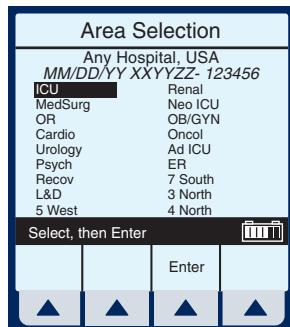
NOTE: If cassette is already inserted, this screen is skipped.
If Infuser ID Entry screen appears, consult your hospital's biomed personnel.

```
SETUP

Insert PLUM Set
Close Lever
```

The Area Selection screen will appear if your system has been programmed with the Hospira

MedNet accessory. Use [SELECT] to choose. If only one CCA has been entered, it becomes the default and this screen is skipped.

```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│      Area Selection         │
├─────────────────────────────┤
│      Any Hospital, USA      │
│   MM/DD/YY XXYYZZ- 123456   │
│ ICU            Renal        │
│ MedSurg        Neo ICU      │
│ OR             OB/GYN       │
│ Cardio         Oncol        │
│ Urology        Ad ICU       │
│ Psych          ER           │
│ Recov          7 South      │
│ L&D            3 North       │
│ 5 West         4 North      │
│ Select, then Enter   [IIII] │
├─────────────────────────────┤
│              │     Enter    │
├──────┬──────┬──────┬────────┤
│  ▲   │  ▲   │  ▲   │   ▲    │
└──────┴──────┴──────┴────────┘
```
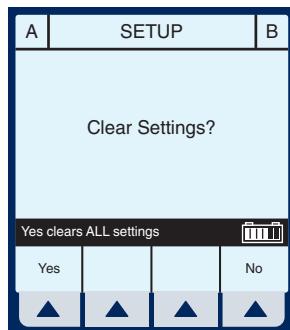
NOTE: To change the CCA while infusing, *see Changing CCA While Infusing in Section 6.*

If not using MedNet, the display will go straight to the "Clear Settings?" option.

Example of Clear Settings Screen

3 The on-screen message "Clear Settings?" may appear. Select ▲ *[Yes]* to clear all settings.

```
┌───┬──────────────────┬───────┐
│ A │      SETUP       │   B   │
├───┴──────────────────┴───────┤
│                              │
│        Clear Settings?       │
│                              │
│                              │
│ Yes clears ALL settings [IIII]│
├──────┬──────┬──────┬─────────┤
│ Yes  │      │      │   No    │
├──────┼──────┼──────┼─────────┤
│  ▲   │  ▲   │  ▲   │   ▲     │
└──────┴──────┴──────┴─────────┘
```

Clear ALL settings when changing patients or multiple programming parameters.
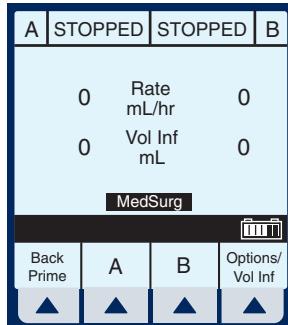
NOTE: This clears all delivery parameters, such as Rate and VTBI on both lines, as well as setting items, such as the KVO and Nurse Callback options, to their default values.

NOTE: If no settings currently exist or all settings are zero, this screen will be bypassed.

Simple Delivery

Example of MedNet Main
Delivery Screen (with cleared
settings). The selected area is
displayed at the bottom.

A	STOPPED	STOPPED	B

0	Rate mL/hr	0
0	Vol Inf mL	0

MedSurg

| Back Prime | A | B | Options/ Vol Inf |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |

**SCREENS SHOWN IN THIS MANUAL
ARE EXAMPLES ONLY AND DON'T
NECESSARILY REFLECT CURRENT
ACTUAL PRACTICE**

NOTE: For clarity, whole number font
sizes will appear larger than fractional
number font sizes (numbers on the right-side of the decimal).
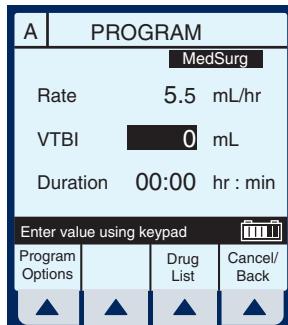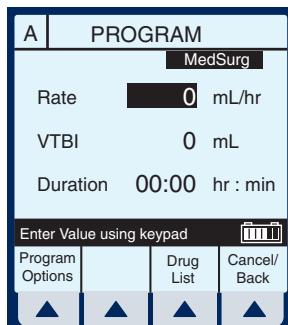
1 To Program a delivery rate, select ▲ *[A]*.

2 To enter delivery rate, use
numeric keypad.

3 Use (SELECT) to move down to the
VTBI field.

A	PROGRAM
	MedSurg
Rate	0 mL/hr
VTBI	0 mL
Duration	00:00 hr : min

Enter Value using keypad

| Program Options | | Drug List | Cancel/ Back |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |

4 To enter VTBI amount, use
keypad.

NOTE: While the VTBI is being
entered, the duration is automatically
computed. If the computed value is
greater than 99:59, dashes (- -)
appear in place of hours.

A	PROGRAM
	MedSurg
Rate	5.5 mL/hr
VTBI	0 mL
Duration	00:00 hr : min

Enter value using keypad

| Program Options | | Drug List | Cancel/ Back |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |

5 Use $\begin{pmatrix}\blacktriangle\\ \text{SELECT}\\ \blacktriangledown\end{pmatrix}$ to move down to the DURATION field.

If auto-calculated Duration is acceptable, skip to step 9.

6 Use keypad to change/enter the hours part of duration if desired.

> **NOTE:** When all parameters are displayed, changing any one parameter will result in other parameters automatically being computed. To understand the Automatic Calculation feature, *see Examples of Automatic Calculation in Section 6.*

A	PROGRAM
	MedSurg
Rate	5.5 mL/hr
VTBI	0.5 mL
Duration	00:05 hr : min
Enter value using keypad	
Program Options	Drug List	Cancel/ Back

7 Use $\begin{pmatrix}\blacktriangle\\ \text{SELECT}\\ \blacktriangledown\end{pmatrix}$ to move from hours to minutes.

> **NOTE:** The maximum hours allowed is 99 and the maximum minutes is 59.

8 Use keypad to enter minutes.

9 Press $\left(\textbf{START}\right)$.

> **CAUTION: VERIFY ALL VALUES BEFORE STARTING INFUSION.**
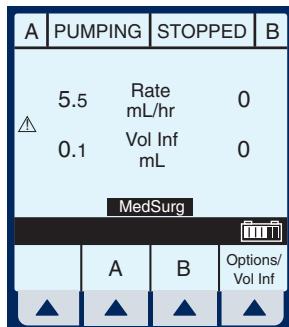
Program Confirmation screen will appear. If correct, press ▲ *[Yes]* to begin infusion.

A	PROGRAM
	MedSurg
	Delivery will be:
Drug	No Drug Selected
Rate	5.5 mL/hr
VTBI	0.5 mL
	⚠
	Confirm Program?
Yes	No

Example of Main Delivery
Screen just after being
programmed and started.

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B
⚠	5.5	Rate mL/hr	0
	0.1	Vol Inf mL	0

MedSurg

	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲

NOTE: The Line A Fluid Flow
Indicator also will flash to indicate
pumping.
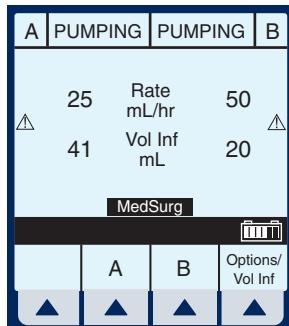
NOTE: VTBI (volume *to be* infused)
values over 100 mL are displayed
truncated. This means that the
number displayed *rounds down* to the last whole number (for
example, 105.7 would be displayed as 105). An example would
be the Programming or Pumping screens.

NOTE: VI (volume infused) values over 100 mL are displayed
rounded. This means that the number displayed rounds off to
the *nearest* number (e.g., 105.7 would be displayed as 106, but
105.3 would be displayed as 105). An example would be the
Program Options screen.

Titration

1 Select Line ▲ *[A]* (or ▲ *[B]*) at
the Main Delivery Screen.

A	PUMPING	PUMPING	B
⚠	25	Rate mL/hr	50 ⚠
	41	Vol Inf mL	20

MedSurg

	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲

2 Enter the desired Rate using the keypad.

> **NOTE:** When Rate is changed, the duration is automatically recomputed using the current VTBI. To understand the Automatic Calculation feature, *see Examples of Automatic Calculation in Section 6.*

```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│ A  │    PROGRAM              │
│                  MedSurg     │
│  Rate          15  mL/hr     │
│  VTBI          50  mL        │
│  Duration    03:20  hr : min │
│ Enter Value using keypad  ▥  │
│ Program          Drug  Cancel/│
│ Options          List   Back │
│  ▲     ▲      ▲      ▲        │
└─────────────────────────────┘
```

3 Press (**START**).

> **CAUTION: VERIFY ALL VALUES BEFORE STARTING INFUSION.**

Program Confirmation screen will appear. If correct, press ▲ *[Yes]* to begin infusion.
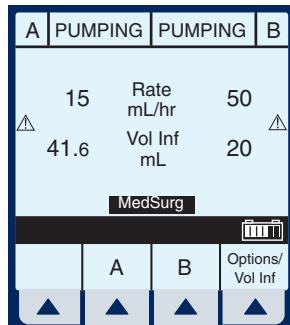
NOTE: During Titration, infuser continues to deliver at previous parameters until new program is confirmed.

```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│ A  │    PROGRAM              │
│       Delivery will be: MedSurg│
│  Drug    No Drug Selected    │
│  Rate     15  mL/hr          │
│  VTBI     50  mL         ⚠   │
│       Confirm Program?       │
│                          ▥   │
│  Yes                     No  │
│  ▲     ▲      ▲      ▲        │
└─────────────────────────────┘
```

Example of Main Delivery Screen after being titrated.

NOTE: Volume Infused is an incrementing value which is cleared in ▲ *[Options/Vol Inf]*.
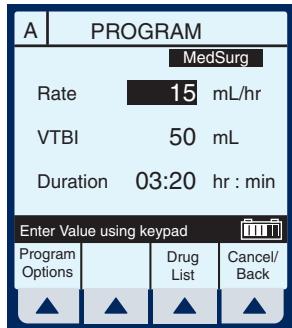
The following 3 screens are examples of changed values.

```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│ A │PUMPING│PUMPING│ B        │
│         Rate                 │
│    15   mL/hr    50          │
│ ⚠              ⚠             │
│   41.6  Vol Inf  20          │
│          mL                  │
│         MedSurg              │
│                          ▥   │
│         A     B   Options/   │
│                    Vol Inf   │
│  ▲     ▲      ▲      ▲        │
└─────────────────────────────┘
```

Example of changed rate.

A	PROGRAM	
	MedSurg	
Rate	15	mL/hr
VTBI	50	mL
Duration	03:20	hr : min

Enter Value using keypad

Program Options		Drug List	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

4 From the Main Delivery Screen, select ▲ *[A]*.

5 Use keypad to change the RATE value.

NOTE: The display time is only accurate to ± one minute. As shown in this example, the delivery shows 3 hours and 20 minutes (not 3 minutes and 20 seconds).

6 Press (**START**).
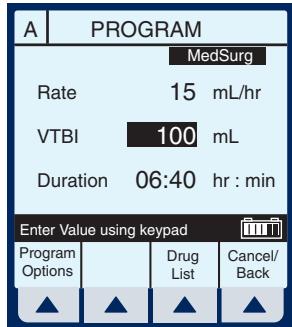
Program Confirmation screen will appear. If correct, press ▲ *[Yes]* to begin infusion.

NOTE: [START] accepts the change. Delivery is changed to the new RATE and DURATION and display returns to Main Delivery Screen.

Example of Changed VTBI value.

A	PROGRAM	
	MedSurg	
Rate	15	mL/hr
VTBI	100	mL
Duration	06:40	hr : min

Enter Value using keypad

Program Options		Drug List	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

7 Use (**SELECT**) to highlight the VTBI field.

8 Use the keypad to change the VTBI value.

NOTE: When the VTBI is changed, the Duration is recomputed with respect to the current Rate. To understand the Automatic

Calculation feature, *see Examples of Automatic Calculation in Section 6.*

9 Press (**START**).
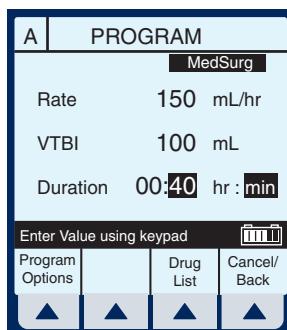
Program Confirmation screen will appear. If correct, press ▲ *[Yes]* to begin infusion.

NOTE: [START] accepts the change. Delivery is changed to the new VTBI and DURATION and the display brings up the Confirmation screen before returning to the Main Delivery Screen.

Example of changed DURATION field.

10 Use (**SELECT**) to highlight the Duration field, then use the keypad to change its value.

NOTE: When DURATION is changed, RATE is automatically recomputed using the current VTBI value. To understand the Automatic Calculation feature, *see Examples of Automatic Calculation in Section 6.*

```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│ A │    PROGRAM              │
│                   MedSurg   │
│                             │
│   Rate        150  mL/hr    │
│                             │
│   VTBI        100  mL       │
│                             │
│   Duration   00:40 hr : min │
│ ─────────────────────────── │
│ Enter Value using keypad  ▥ │
│ Program          Drug Cancel/│
│ Options          List  Back │
│   ▲      ▲       ▲     ▲    │
└─────────────────────────────┘
```

11 Press (**START**).
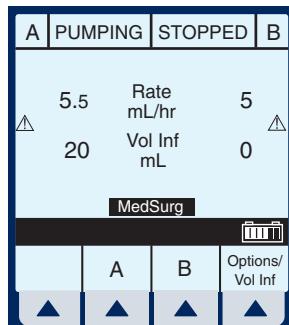
CAUTION: VERIFY ALL VALUES BEFORE STARTING INFUSION.

Program Confirmation screen will appear. If correct, press ▲ *[Yes]* to begin infusion.

NOTE: [START] accepts the change. Delivery is changed to the new DURATION and RATE and the display brings up the Confirmation screen before returning to the Main Delivery Screen.

Piggyback Delivery
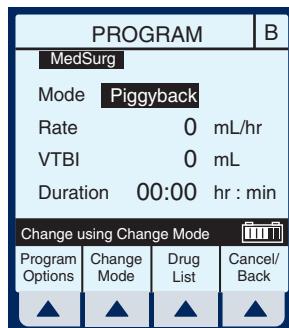
PIGGYBACK DELIVERY-Infusion will stop Line A and infuse Line B until VTBI completes. Line A will automatically restart.

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B

⚠ 5.5	Rate mL/hr	5 ⚠
20	Vol Inf mL	0

MedSurg

	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲

1 With Line A pumping, to program a Piggyback delivery, select ▲ *[B]*.

The Delivery Mode field is highlighted.

NOTE: If an entry was previously programmed, RATE is highlighted. If no previous entries, MODE is highlighted.

PROGRAM	B

MedSurg

Mode	Piggyback	
Rate	0	mL/hr
VTBI	0	mL
Duration	00:00	hr : min

Change using Change Mode

Program Options	Change Mode	Drug List	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

2 If field reads "Concurrent", select
▲ *[Change Mode]* to switch to "Piggyback".
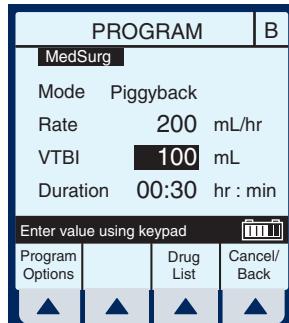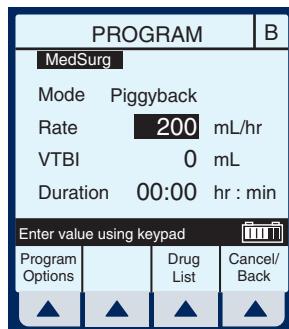
3 Select $\boxed{\text{SELECT}}$ to highlight the RATE field.

4 To enter delivery rate, use numeric keypad.

5 Use $\boxed{\text{SELECT}}$ to move down to the VTBI field.
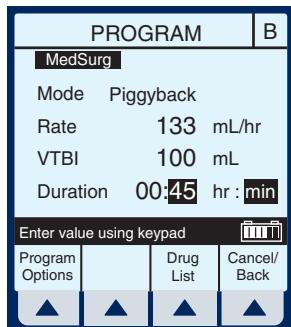
PROGRAM	B
MedSurg	
Mode	Piggyback
Rate	**200** mL/hr
VTBI	0 mL
Duration	00:00 hr : min
Enter value using keypad	
Program Options	Drug List	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

6 To enter VTBI amount, use keypad.

NOTE: While the VTBI is being entered, the duration is automatically computed. If the computed value is greater than 99:59, dashes (- -) appear in place of hours. To understand the Automatic Calculation feature, *see Examples of Automatic Calculation in Section 6.*

PROGRAM	B
MedSurg	
Mode	Piggyback
Rate	200 mL/hr
VTBI	**100** mL
Duration	00:30 hr : min
Enter value using keypad	
Program Options	Drug List	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

7 Use ⬆⬇(SELECT) to move down to the DURATION field.

(Optional) Use keypad to change duration.

When all parameters are displayed, changing any one parameter will result in other parameters automatically being computed.

```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│   PROGRAM          │ B      │
│ ▭MedSurg▭                   │
│  Mode    Piggyback          │
│  Rate         133  mL/hr    │
│  VTBI         100  mL       │
│  Duration   00:45  hr : min │
│ Enter value using keypad  ▭▭│
│ Program         Drug  Cancel/│
│ Options         List   Back │
│   ▲      ▲       ▲      ▲    │
└─────────────────────────────┘
```
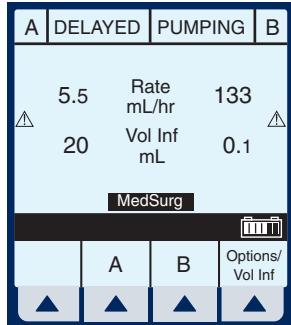
8 Press (**START**).

CAUTION: **VERIFY ALL VALUES BEFORE STARTING INFUSION.**

Program Confirmation screen will appear. If correct, press ▲ *[Yes]* to begin infusion.

NOTE: If Line A has a Delay Start remaining or is stopped, a message will appear warning of a possible non-delivery *(see Section 6)*.

Example of Main Delivery Screen just after being programmed and started.

```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│ A │ DELAYED │ PUMPING │ B   │
│                             │
│        Rate                 │
│   5.5  mL/hr      133       │
│ ⚠                      ⚠    │
│        Vol Inf              │
│   20     mL       0.1       │
│                             │
│        ▭MedSurg▭            │
│                        ▭▭▭▭ │
│                     Options/│
│          A    B     Vol Inf │
│   ▲      ▲    ▲       ▲      │
└─────────────────────────────┘
```
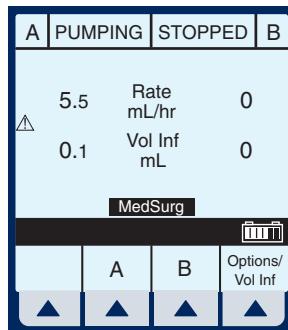
Concurrent Delivery

CONCURRENT DELIVERY-
Simultaneous delivery of two fluids at
independent flow rates.

**CAUTION: CONSULT DRUG
LABELING TO CONFIRM DRUG
COMPATIBILITY, CONCENTRATION,
DELIVERY RATES, AND VOLUME ARE ALL
SUITABLE FOR CONCURRENT AND
PIGGYBACK DELIVERY MODES.** *SEE
SECTION 1 FOR INFORMATION ON
CONCURRENT FLOW, SEE SECTION 9
FOR DELIVERY RATE RANGES.*
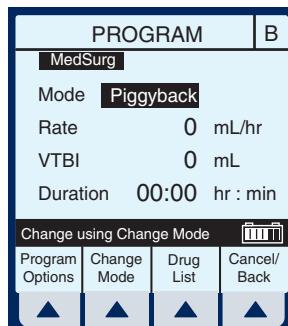
NOTE: In concurrent mode with certain alarm conditions, one
line may stop while the other line may continue to deliver.

1 With pumping started on line A, to program a
Concurrent delivery rate, select ▲ *[B]*.

The Delivery Mode field is
highlighted.

NOTE: If an entry was previously
programmed, RATE is highlighted. If
no previous entries, MODE is
highlighted.
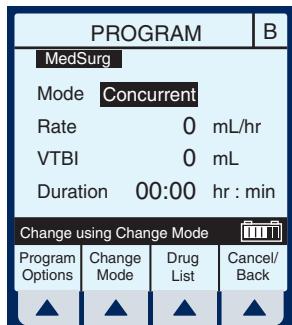
If field reads "Piggyback",
select ▲ *[Change Mode]* to
switch to "Concurrent".
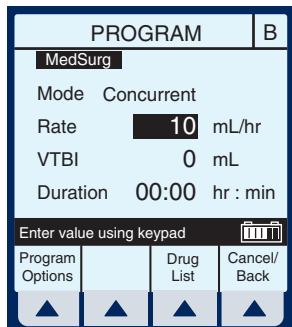
Verify change to "Concurrent" mode.

2 Use ⬆️SELECT⬇️ to highlight Rate field.

```
            PROGRAM        B
  MedSurg
  Mode   Concurrent
  Rate              0   mL/hr
  VTBI              0   mL
  Duration     00:00   hr : min
  Change using Change Mode    🔋
  Program  Change   Drug    Cancel/
  Options   Mode    List     Back
    ▲        ▲       ▲        ▲
```

3 To enter delivery rate, use numeric keypad.

> **NOTE:** When Rate for Line A plus Rate for Line B is greater than valid rate ranges, a "Concurrency violation" message will explain why second line did not start. *See Section 9 for valid delivery rate ranges.*

```
            PROGRAM        B
  MedSurg
  Mode   Concurrent
  Rate             10   mL/hr
  VTBI              0   mL
  Duration     00:00   hr : min
  Enter value using keypad    🔋
  Program           Drug    Cancel/
  Options           List     Back
    ▲        ▲       ▲        ▲
```
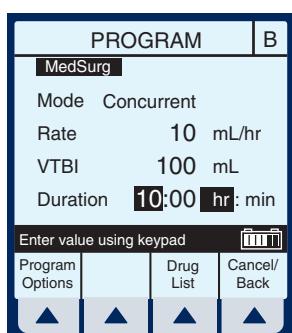
> **NOTE:** "Concurrency violation" may not be displayed if unit is displaying "VTBI Complete". The device will not start and an invalid keypress sound will occur when [START] is pressed.

4 Use ⬆️SELECT⬇️ to move down to the VTBI field.

5 To enter VTBI amount, use keypad.

> **NOTE:** While the VTBI is being entered, the duration is automatically computed. If the computed value is greater than 99:59, dashes (- -) appear in place of hours. To

```
            PROGRAM        B
  MedSurg
  Mode   Concurrent
  Rate             10   mL/hr
  VTBI            100   mL
  Duration     10:00   hr : min
  Enter value using keypad    🔋
  Program           Drug    Cancel/
  Options           List     Back
    ▲        ▲       ▲        ▲
```

understand the Automatic Calculation feature, *see Examples of Automatic Calculation in Section 6.*

6 Use 🔘 to move down to the DURATION field.

(Optional) Enter values for desired hours and minutes.
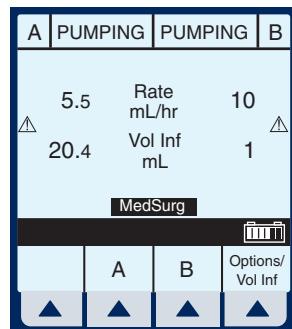
NOTE: When Duration is entered, Rate is automatically computed.

7 Press **(START)**.

CAUTION: **VERIFY ALL VALUES BEFORE STARTING INFUSION.**

Program Confirmation screen will appear. If correct, press ▲ *[Yes]* to begin infusion.

Example of a concurrent delivery.

Stop and Start with Only 1 Line Pumping
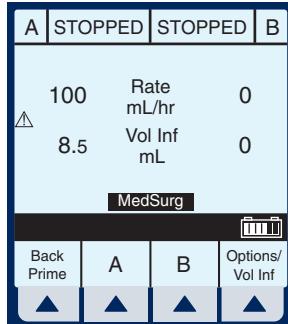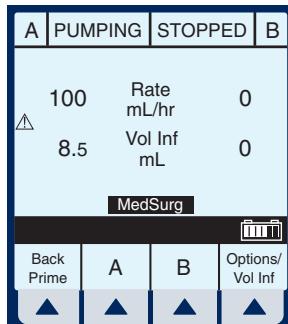
1 Press (**STOP**) at the Main Delivery Screen.

> **NOTE:** If ▲ *[A]* (or ▲ *[B]*) is selected prior to pressing [STOP], the display will return to the programming screen. Select ▲ *[Cancel/Back]* to return to the Main Delivery screen.
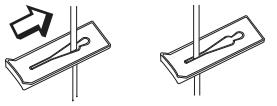
Example of stopped delivery.
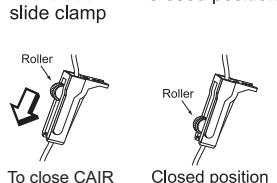
A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B

⚠ 100   Rate mL/hr   0

8.5   Vol Inf mL   0

MedSurg

Back Prime	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲

2 To resume infusion, press (**START**).

Or, to discontinue infusion, press (**ON/OFF**).

A	STOPPED	STOPPED	B

⚠ 100   Rate mL/hr   0

8.5   Vol Inf mL   0

MedSurg

Back Prime	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲

3 Clamp secondary tubing if connected.

To close slide clamp   Closed position

4 Close all slide or CAIR clamps.

Roller

To close CAIR (roller) clamp   Closed position
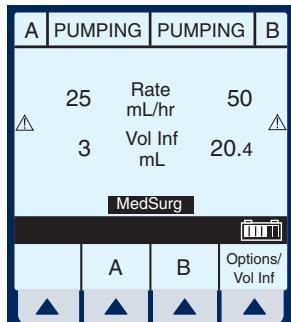
5 Open cassette door, remove set and close door.
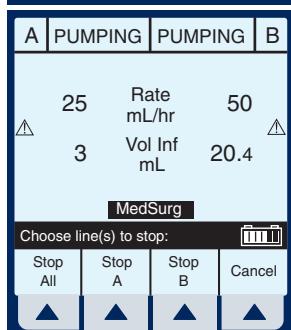
Stop and Start with Both Lines Pumping

1 Press **(STOP)** at the Main Delivery Screen.

A	PUMPING	PUMPING	B
⚠	25	Rate mL/hr	50	⚠
	3	Vol Inf mL	20.4	

MedSurg

| | A | B | Options/ Vol Inf |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |

2 Select ▲ *[Stop A]*, ▲ *[Stop B]*, or ▲ *[Stop All]*.
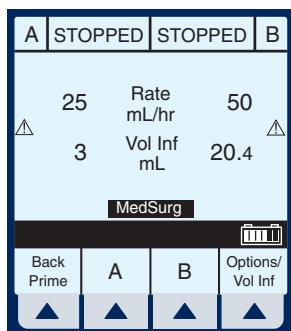
NOTE: If ▲ *[A]* (or ▲ *[B]*) is selected prior to [STOP], the display will show the programming screen. Select ▲ *[Cancel/Back]* to return to the Main Delivery screen.

A	PUMPING	PUMPING	B
⚠	25	Rate mL/hr	50	⚠
	3	Vol Inf mL	20.4	

MedSurg

Choose line(s) to stop:

| Stop All | Stop A | Stop B | Cancel |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |

Example of stopped infusion.
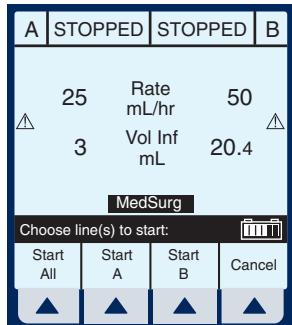
NOTE: This is an example using ▲ *[Stop All]*.

CAUTION: VERIFY ALL VALUES BEFORE STARTING INFUSION.

A	STOPPED	STOPPED	B
⚠	25	Rate mL/hr	50	⚠
	3	Vol Inf mL	20.4	

MedSurg

| Back Prime | A | B | Options/ Vol Inf |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |

3 To resume infusion,

press **(START)**.

A	STOPPED	STOPPED	B
⚠	25	Rate mL/hr	50	⚠
	3	Vol Inf mL	20.4

MedSurg

Choose line(s) to start:
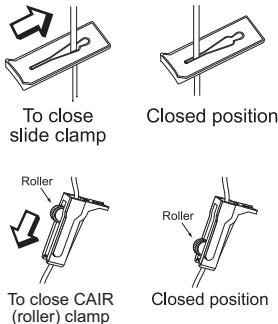
Start All	Start A	Start B	Cancel
▲	▲	▲	▲

4 Select ▲ *[Start A]*, ▲ *[Start B]*, or ▲ *[Start All]*.

Or discontinue infusion,

press **(ON/OFF)**.

5 Clamp secondary tubing if connected.

6 Close all slide or CAIR clamps.

To close slide clamp   Closed position

7 Open cassette door, remove set and close door.

Roller

To close CAIR (roller) clamp   Closed position
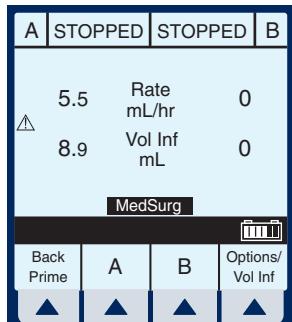
Backpriming

BACKPRIMING- Removal of air or fluid from the proximal line and cassette airtrap.

A	STOPPED	STOPPED	B
⚠	5.5	Rate mL/hr	0
	8.9	Vol Inf mL	0

MedSurg

Back Prime	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲
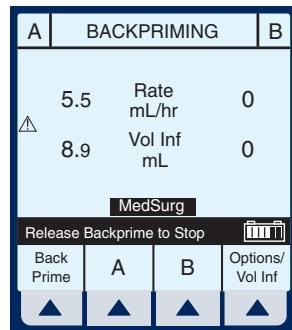
1 To initiate a backprime, select ▲ *[Back Prime]*.

NOTE: Backpriming is available only when all delivery is stopped. Secondary container is necessary to receive the air.

2 Select and hold
▲ *[Back Prime]* until fluid
pumped from line A to line B
has expelled the air from
cassette air trap into
Secondary container.

NOTE: Fluid flow is at maximum rate
possible.

A	BACKPRIMING	B
⚠	5.5 Rate mL/hr 0	
	8.9 Vol Inf mL 0	
	MedSurg	
Release Backprime to Stop		📶
Back Prime ▲	A ▲	B ▲	Options/ Vol Inf ▲
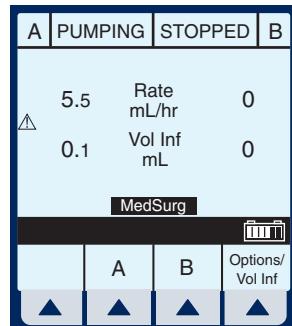
3 Upon release of ▲ *[Back Prime]*, the cassette test is
performed to confirm readiness for pumping.

Pressing (**START**) will resume programmed delivery.

Clearing Settings
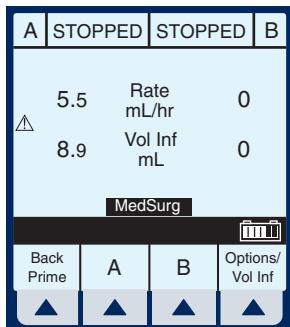
1 Press (**STOP**) at the Main
Delivery Screen.

Clear ALL settings when
changing patients or multiple
programming parameters.

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B
⚠	5.5 Rate mL/hr 0		
	0.1 Vol Inf mL 0		
	MedSurg		
			📶
▲	A ▲	B ▲	Options/ Vol Inf ▲
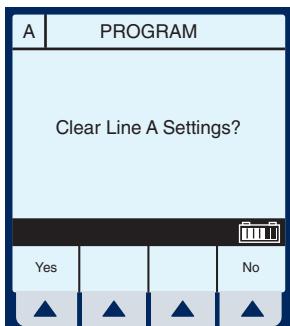
2 Select Line ▲ *[A]* (or B if active) from the stopped Main Delivery Screen.

> **NOTE:** If Line A or B is programmed with a Therapy (i.e., Dose Calculation), Rate, VTBI and Duration will not display values. The values to be cleared may be viewed in applicable programming screen under ▲ *[Drug List]*.

A	STOPPED	STOPPED	B
⚠	5.5	Rate mL/hr	0
	8.9	Vol Inf mL	0
		MedSurg	
Back Prime	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲
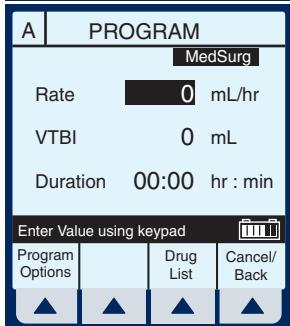
3 Select ▲ *[Yes].*

Clear ALL settings when changing patients or multiple programming parameters.

A	PROGRAM
	Clear Line A Settings?
Yes			No
▲	▲	▲	▲

Example screen of "Cleared Settings".
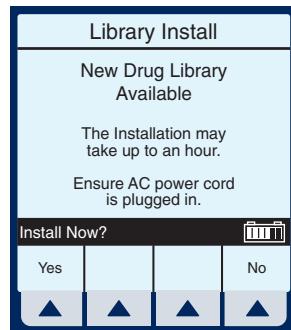
4 Select ▲ *[Cancel/Back]* to return to the Main Delivery screen or program new settings.

A	PROGRAM	
	MedSurg	
Rate	0	mL/hr
VTBI	0	mL
Duration	00:00	hr : min
Enter Value using keypad		
Program Options		Drug List	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

Updating Drug Library

If a new Drug Library is available, the New Drug Library Install screen will be displayed when powering down the infuser.

```
┌─────────────────────────┐
│      Library Install    │
│                         │
│      New Drug Library   │
│         Available       │
│                         │
│     The Installation may│
│     take up to an hour. │
│                         │
│    Ensure AC power cord │
│       is plugged in.    │
│  Install Now?    ▐▛▀▜▌  │
│                         │
│   Yes              No   │
│   ▲      ▲    ▲     ▲   │
└─────────────────────────┘
```
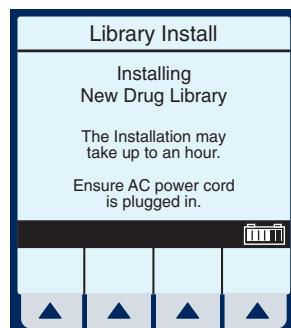
1 Select ▲ *[Yes]* to begin the installation (It may take up to an hour).

NOTE: When the clinician chooses ▲ *[Yes]*, the Library moves to the infuser side of the module. When complete, it powers OFF the unit signifying completion of the transfer process.

Example screen of Library Installing.

Or, select ▲ *[No]* to skip the installation and continue using the current library.

```
┌─────────────────────────┐
│      Library Install    │
│                         │
│       Installing        │
│     New Drug Library    │
│                         │
│     The Installation may│
│     take up to an hour. │
│                         │
│    Ensure AC power cord │
│       is plugged in.    │
│  ▬▬▬▬▬▬▬▬▬▬▬     ▐▛▀▜▌  │
│                         │
│   ▲      ▲    ▲     ▲   │
└─────────────────────────┘
```

NOTE: When the clinician chooses ▲ *[No]*, the infuser completes the power down process *without* finishing the Library transfer.

When the infuser is next used (or powered ON for any other reason) the former Library remains IN EFFECT. The New Library Drug Available screen will reappear (when powering down) and the same choices will be available.

NOTES

SECTION 5
Advanced Programs

Standard Program	*(Dose Calculation)* *Allows programming Dose Rates in alternative units of measure. Dose Calculation can be used in Simple Delivery, Loading Dose, and Multistep.*
Loading Dose	*Allows programming of an initial infusion rate for a specific volume, followed automatically by a maintenance rate from the same container (e.g., a fluid challenge).* *If Dose Calc is used, the Loading Dose and Maintenance Dose are in the same unit of measure, over the same period of time (mcg/min), from the same container.*
Multistep	*Allows a sequential program to deliver up to 10 steps; fluid volumes and delivery rates may be programmed for each step. The program may be entered based on Rate and Volume or Volume and Time. If Dose Calc is used, the delivery steps are in the same unit of measure, over the same period of time, from the same container.*

NOTE: During programming, user must identify desired drug with softkey Drug List prior to setting program parameters.

Use drug manufacturer recommendations for IV administration when using the Plum A+ infuser.
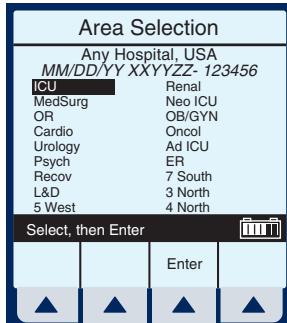
Dose Calc (mcg/kg/min on A)

DOSE CALCULATION- Allows programming Dose Rates in alternative units of measure. Dose Calculation can be used in Simple Delivery, Loading Dose, and Multistep.

Clear ALL settings when changing patients or multiple programming parameters.

The Area Selection screen will appear if your system has been programmed with the MedNet accessory.
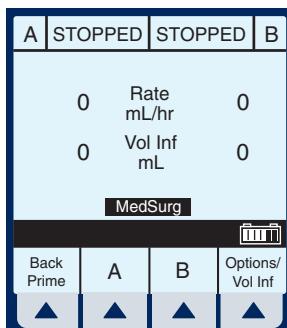
Use (SELECT) to select CCA and bring you to the Main Delivery Screen.

NOTE: To change the CCA while infusing, *see Changing CCA While Infusing in Section 6.*

1 Select ▲ *[A]* at the Main Delivery Screen.

SCREENS SHOWN IN THIS MANUAL ARE EXAMPLES ONLY AND DON'T NECESSARILY REFLECT CURRENT ACTUAL PRACTICE

The Line A Programming
screen appears.

A	PROGRAM
	MedSurg

Rate	0	mL/hr
VTBI	0	mL
Duration	00:00	hr : min

Enter Value using keypad

Program Options		Drug List	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲
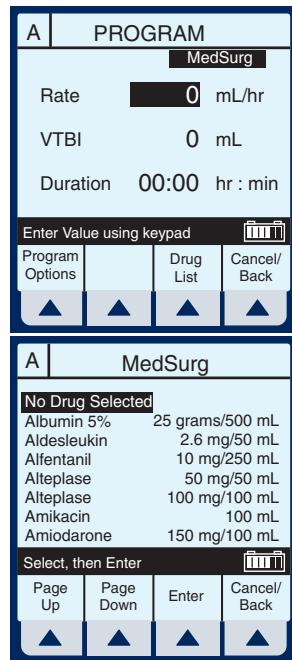
2 Select ▲ *[Drug List]* for Dose
Calculation programming.

The Drug List Screen appears
mainly in alphabetical order.

NOTE: Default entry is "No Drug
Selected".

A	MedSurg

No Drug Selected
Albumin 5%	25 grams/500 mL
Aldesleukin	2.6 mg/50 mL
Alfentanil	10 mg/250 mL
Alteplase	50 mg/50 mL
Alteplase	100 mg/100 mL
Amikacin	100 mL
Amiodarone	150 mg/100 mL

Select, then Enter

Page Up	Page Down	Enter	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

3 Use (⬆SELECT⬇) to highlight desired
drug name.

When list does not contain
desired generic drug name or
group name select
▲ [Page Down] (or ▲ [Page
Up]) until it shows, then use

(⬆SELECT⬇) to highlight choice.

A	MedSurg

Antibiotic	
DOBUTamine	250 mg/500 mL
DOBUTamine	500 mg/500 mL
Docetaxel	100 mg/250 mL
DOPamine	/ mL
DOPamine	400 mg/250 mL
DOPamine	800 mg/250 mL
Heparin	25,000 units/500 mL

Select, then Enter

Page Up	Page Down	Enter	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲
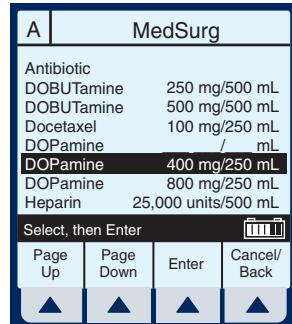
4 Select ▲ *[Enter]* to indicate selection and advance to
the Therapy selection screen.

Based on this selection, assume the hospital has set
the following rules for the Med/Surg Area:

Soft upper limit of 8 mcg/kg/min
Hard upper limit of 12 mcg/kg/min
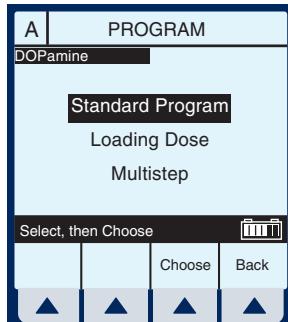
NOTE: The SOFT and HARD limits are not displayed. However, the limit is provided if a value is programmed outside the acceptable range. Typically, the pharmacy will set the limit.

The Select Therapy screen for Line A appears.

5 Select ▲ *[Choose]* to select Standard Program (Dose Calc) and continue.

If selected drug has been programmed with established dosing units and concentration, skip to step 8.
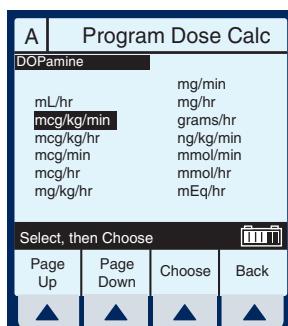
The Program Dose Calc screen appears.

NOTE: Cursor defaults to package insert (or hospital) recommended dose units associated with the selected drug.

6 Select ▲ *[Choose]* to continue.
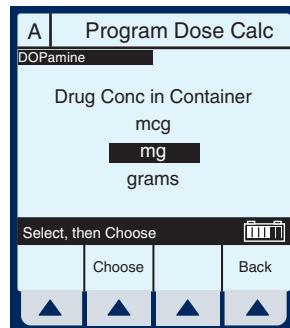
Or, use (SELECT) to change the units to use in the delivery.

If desired, select ▲ *[Page Down]* to see more units of measure.

The Container Concentration Selection screen appears whenever the selected Dose Units are gram-based (e.g., grams, mg, mcg, or ng), otherwise this screen is skipped.

```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│ A │   Program Dose Calc     │
│ DOPamine ▬▬▬▬▬▬             │
│                             │
│     Drug Conc in Container  │
│            mcg              │
│            mg               │
│            grams            │
│                             │
│ Select, then Choose   ▥▥▥   │
│         Choose        Back  │
│   ▲     ▲      ▲       ▲     │
└─────────────────────────────┘
```

NOTE: Cursor defaults to package insert (or hospital) recommended concentration units associated with the selected drug.

7 Select ▲ *[Choose]* to continue. Or, use ⬥SELECT⬥ to change the Container Concentration units to use in the delivery.

The next page of the Program Dose Calc screen appears to provide for entry of delivery program parameters.

```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│ A │   Program Dose Calc     │
│ DOPamine ▬▬▬▬▬▬             │
│ Conc       400 mg    250 mL │
│ Weight      70 kg           │
│                             │
│ Dose           0  mcg/kg/min│
│ VTBI           0  mL        │
│ Duration   00: 00 hr : min  │
│ Rate           0  mL/hr     │
│                             │
│ Enter value using keypad ▥▥▥│
│ Program             Cancel/ │
│ Options              Back   │
│   ▲     ▲      ▲       ▲     │
└─────────────────────────────┘
```

The Concentration and Volume fields are filled in per drug selection.
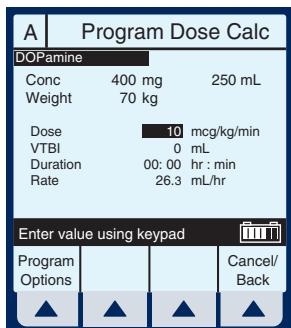
8 Use keypad to enter desired values. Once each value is entered, use ⬥SELECT⬥ to highlight the next programming field.

NOTE: The Concentration elements and weight value must be entered before the [SELECT] key allows access to remaining fields.

9 Continue to enter values using the keypad, and advancing to the next field using $\text{\small SELECT}$.

> **NOTE:** As the Dose value is entered, the Rate is automatically calculated. To understand the Automatic Calculation feature, *see Examples of Automatic Calculation on page 108.*
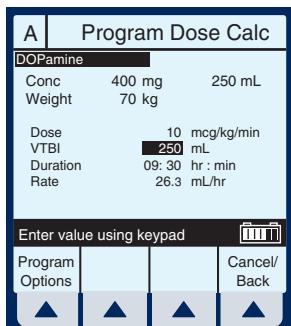
A	Program Dose Calc

DOPamine

Conc	400 mg	250 mL
Weight	70 kg	

Dose	10	mcg/kg/min
VTBI	0	mL
Duration	00: 00	hr : min
Rate	26.3	mL/hr

Enter value using keypad

Program Options			Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

10 Use $\text{\small SELECT}$ to scroll down to the VTBI field.

11 Enter a value for VTBI using the keypad.

> **NOTE:** As the VTBI value is entered or changes, Duration is automatically updated.

A	Program Dose Calc

DOPamine

Conc	400 mg	250 mL
Weight	70 kg	

Dose	10	mcg/kg/min
VTBI	250	mL
Duration	09: 30	hr : min
Rate	26.3	mL/hr

Enter value using keypad

Program Options			Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

> **NOTE:** At this point, programming is complete unless ▲ *[Program Options]* are desired. *See Section 6, Additional Features, for more information.*
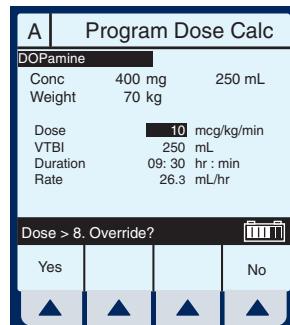
12 Press $\boxed{\textbf{START}}$.

> **CAUTION:** **VERIFY ALL VALUES BEFORE STARTING INFUSION.**

Because the Dose falls outside the soft limits, the infuser beeps three times (Invalid Key Warning), and generates the error message:

```
┌─────────────────────────────────┐
│ A │   Program Dose Calc         │
│ DOPamine                        │
│ Conc        400 mg      250 mL  │
│ Weight       70 kg              │
│                                 │
│ Dose           10  mcg/kg/min   │
│ VTBI          250  mL           │
│ Duration    09: 30 hr : min     │
│ Rate         26.3  mL/hr        │
│                                 │
│ Dose > 8. Override?      ▥▥▥    │
│                                 │
│  Yes                      No    │
│  ▲      ▲      ▲      ▲         │
└─────────────────────────────────┘
```

"Dose > 8. Override?"

13 Select ▲ *[Yes].*
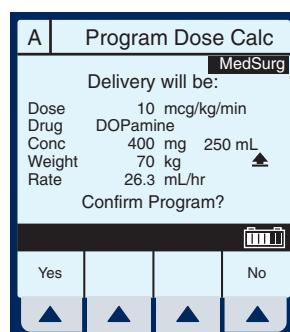
NOTE: A SOFT limit override will be recorded in the History Events Log.

This will bring up the PROGRAM CONFIRMATION screen.

```
┌─────────────────────────────────┐
│ A │   Program Dose Calc         │
│                        MedSurg  │
│         Delivery will be:       │
│ Dose          10  mcg/kg/min    │
│ Drug      DOPamine              │
│ Conc        400  mg   250 mL ▲  │
│ Weight       70  kg          ▲  │
│ Rate        26.3  mL/hr         │
│       Confirm Program?          │
│                          ▥▥▥    │
│  Yes                      No    │
│  ▲      ▲      ▲      ▲         │
└─────────────────────────────────┘
```

14 If Dose, Drug, Conc., Weight & Rate appear correct, select ▲ *[Yes]* to begin program.

NOTE: If the selected drug has been pre-programmed with dosing units and concentration, the concentration drug amount or diluent volume cannot be changed whether delivering or stopped. The only way to change to a different concentration is to clear the program.

However, if selected drug has not been pre-programmed (or still operating with the DDL), the concentration can be changed for a program.

The Main Delivery screen
appears displaying the
information just entered.

NOTE: The Program Type and Drug
are displayed as well as the Dose
Rate and Dose Units.

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B

DOPamine
Dose Calculation

26.3	Rate mL/hr	0
0	Vol Inf mL	0
10 mcg/kg/min	Dose MedSurg	

	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
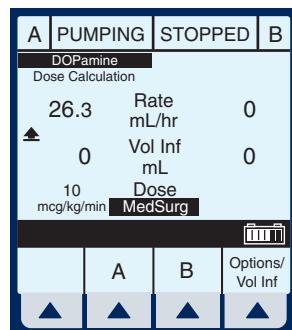
Dose Calc (mg/min on B)

DOSE CALCULATION- Allows programming Dose Rates in alternative units of measure. Dose Calculation can be used in Simple Delivery, Loading Dose, and Multistep.
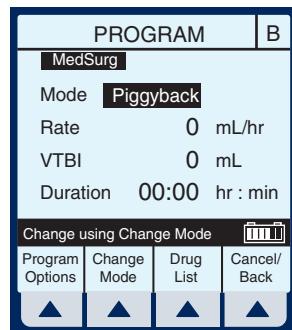
Clear ALL settings when changing patients or multiple programming parameters.

1 Select ▲ *[B]* at the Main Delivery Screen.

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B

DOPamine
Dose Calculation

26.3	Rate mL/hr	0
▲ 0	Vol Inf mL	0
10 mcg/kg/min	Dose MedSurg	

	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲

The Line B Programming screen appears.

2 Select ▲ *[Drug List].*

PROGRAM	B

MedSurg

Mode	Piggyback	
Rate	0	mL/hr
VTBI	0	mL
Duration	00:00	hr : min

Change using Change Mode

Program Options	Change Mode	Drug List	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

The Drug List Screen appears mainly in alphabetical order.

NOTE: Default entry is "No Drug Selected".

MedSurg	B
No Drug Selected	
Albumin 5%	25 grams/500 mL
Aldesleukin	2.6 mg/50 mL
Alfentanil	10 mg/250 mL
Alteplase	50 mg/50 mL
Alteplase	100 mg/100 mL
Amikacin	100 mL
Amiodarone	150 mg/100 mL

Select, then Enter

Page Up	Page Down	Enter	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

3 Use 〈SELECT〉 to highlight desired drug name.

When list does not contain desired generic drug name or group name select
▲ [Page Down] (or
▲ [Page Up]) until it shows,

then use 〈SELECT〉 to highlight choice.

MedSurg	B
Labetalol	200 mg/200 mL
Lepirudin	100 mg/250 mL
Lidocaine	1 grams/250 mL
Lidocaine	2 grams/500 mL
Lidocaine	4 grams/500 mL
Liposyn 10%	100 mL
Liposyn 20%	500 mL
Milrinone	200 mcg/100 mL

Select, then Enter

Page Up	Page Down	Enter	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

4 Select ▲ *[Enter]* to indicate selection and advance to the Program Selection screen.

The Select Program screen for Line B appears.

5 Select ▲ *[Choose]* to continue.

PROGRAM	B
	Lidocaine

Standard Program

Loading Dose

Multistep
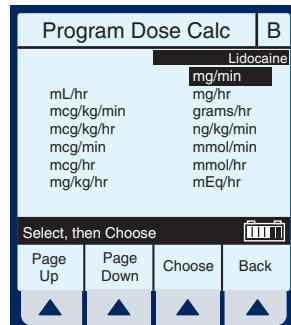
Select, then Choose

		Choose	Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

If selected drug has been programmed with established dosing units and concentration, skip to step 8.

The Program Dose Calc screen appears.

NOTE: Cursor defaults to package insert (or hospital) recommended dose units associated with the selected drug.

Program Dose Calc	B

Lidocaine

	mg/min
mL/hr	mg/hr
mcg/kg/min	grams/hr
mcg/kg/hr	ng/kg/min
mcg/min	mmol/min
mcg/hr	mmol/hr
mg/kg/hr	mEq/hr

Select, then Choose

| Page Up | Page Down | Choose | Back |
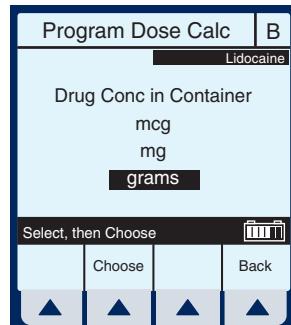
6 Select ▲ *[Choose]* to continue.

Or, use (SELECT) to change the units to use in the delivery.

If desired, select ▲ *[Page Down]* to see more units of measure.

The Container Concentration Selection screen appears whenever the selected Dose Units are gram-based (e.g., grams, mg, mcg, or ng); otherwise, this screen is skipped.

NOTE: Cursor defaults to package insert recommended concentration units associated with the selected drug.

Program Dose Calc	B

Lidocaine

Drug Conc in Container

mcg

mg

grams

Select, then Choose

| | Choose | | Back |

7 Select ▲ *[Choose]* to continue. Or, use (SELECT) to change the Container Concentration units to use in the delivery.

The next page of the Program Dose Calc screen appears to provide for entry of delivery program parameters.

Program Dose Calc	B
	Lidocaine

```
Conc          2 grams
              500 mL
Mode          Piggyback

Dose                    0  mg/min
VTBI                    0  mL
Duration          00: 00  hr : min
Rate                    0  mL/hr
```

Enter value using keypad ▓▓▓▓

Program Options			Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

8 Use keypad to enter desired values. Once entered, use (**SELECT**) to highlight the next field.

NOTE: If selected drug has established Rule Sets (e.g., non-blank concentration), the Mode field will be highlighted upon entry to this screen.

9 To change the Piggyback Delivery Mode default, scroll down to Mode using (**SELECT**), then select ▲ *[Change Mode]*.

NOTE: Delivery Mode Option is available on Line B, its default is Piggyback, and the Weight field is gone.

10 Continue entering desired values using the keypad. Use (**SELECT**) to advance to the next field.

Program Dose Calc	B
	Lidocaine

```
Conc          2 grams
              500 mL
Mode          Concurrent

Dose                    2  mg/min
VTBI                  500  mL
Duration          16 : 40  hr : min
Rate                   30  mL/hr
```

Enter value using keypad ▓▓▓▓

Program Options			Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

NOTE: When entering the RATE, with a VTBI value entered, the DOSE and DURATION fields are automatically updated. To understand the Automatic Calculation feature, *see Examples of Automatic Calculation in Section 6.*

NOTE: The Duration field temporarily changes to dashes when the computed value is larger than what can be displayed.

11 Continue entering the RATE value, if desired.

NOTE: As Rate is entered, the Duration and Dose are automatically adjusted as individual numbers are entered.

NOTE: If the Duration value is changed, the Rate and Dose are automatically adjusted.

NOTE: At this point, programming is complete unless ▲ *[Program Options]* are desired. *See Section 6, Additional Features, for more information.*
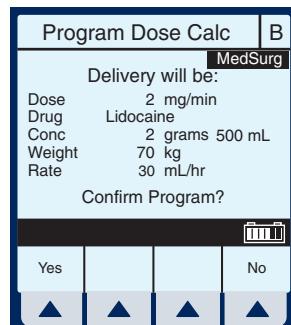
CAUTION: **VERIFY ALL VALUES BEFORE STARTING INFUSION.**

12 To start the delivery, press (START).

This will bring up the PROGRAM CONFIRMATION screen.

Program Dose Calc	B

MedSurg

Delivery will be:

Dose	2 mg/min
Drug	Lidocaine
Conc	2 grams 500 mL
Weight	70 kg
Rate	30 mL/hr

Confirm Program?

| Yes | | | No |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |

13 If Dose, Drug, Conc., Weight, & Rate appear correct, select ▲ *[Yes]* to begin program.

NOTE: If the selected drug has been pre-programmed with dosing units and concentration, the concentration drug amount or diluent volume cannot be changed whether delivering or stopped. The only way to change to a different concentration is to clear the program.

However, if selected drug has not been pre-programmed (or still operating with the DDL), the concentration can be changed for a program.

Upon $\left(\textbf{START}\right)$, the Main Delivery Screen shows delivery status for both A and B lines.

NOTE: See *Delivery Rate Range* in *Section 9.* The ratio of concurrent rates has recommendations specified in Section 1.

A	STOPPED	PUMPING	B
DOPamine		Lidocaine	
Dose Calculation		Dose Calculation	

26.3	Rate mL/hr	30
1	Vol Inf mL	0.1
mcg/kg/min	Dose MedSurg	2 mg/min

	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
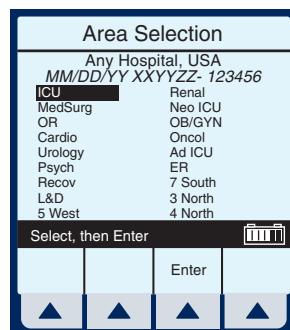
Loading Dose

LOADING DOSE- Allows programming of an initial infusion rate for a specific volume, followed automatically by a maintenance rate from the same container (e.g., a fluid challenge). If Dose Calc is used, the Loading Dose and Maintenance Dose are in the same unit of measure, over the same period of time (mcg/min), from the same container.

Clear ALL settings when changing patients or multiple programming parameters.

The Area Selection screen will appear if your system has been programmed with the MedNet accessory.

Use ![SELECT] to select CCA and bring you to the Main Delivery Screen.

Area Selection
Any Hospital, USA
MM/DD/YY XXYYZZ- 123456

ICU	Renal
MedSurg	Neo ICU
OR	OB/GYN
Cardio	Oncol
Urology	Ad ICU
Psych	ER
Recov	7 South
L&D	3 North
5 West	4 North

Select, then Enter

Enter

NOTE: To change CCA while infusing, *see Changing CCA While Infusing in Section 6.*
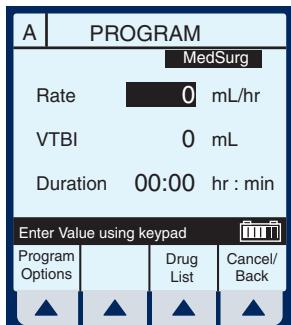
1   Select ▲ *[A]* (or ▲ *[B]*) at the Main Delivery screen.

A	STOPPED	STOPPED	B

0	Rate mL/hr	0
0	Vol Inf mL	0

MedSurg

Back Prime	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf

The selected Line (A or B) Programming screen appears.
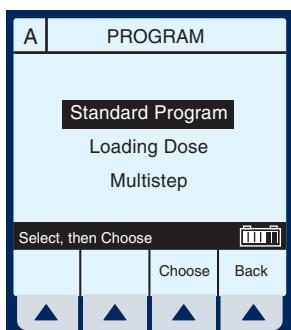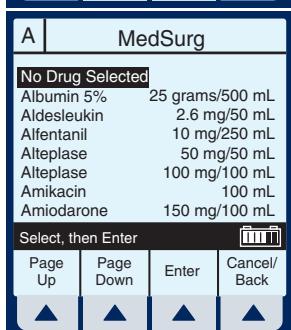
2 Select ▲ *[Drug List]*.

The Drug List Screen appears mainly in alphabetical order.

NOTE: Default entry is "No Drug Selected". This process will guide you through a "fluid challenge", so "No Drug Selected" will be entered.

3 Select ▲ *[Enter]* to indicate selection and advance to the Program selection screen.
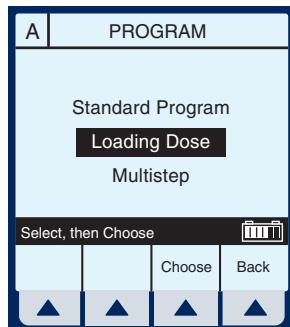
The Select Program screen for Line A (or B) appears.

NOTE: This example shows line A being programmed.

A	PROGRAM
	MedSurg
Rate	0 mL/hr
VTBI	0 mL
Duration	00:00 hr : min

Enter Value using keypad

| Program Options | | Drug List | Cancel/ Back |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |

A	MedSurg

No Drug Selected
Albumin 5%	25 grams/500 mL
Aldesleukin	2.6 mg/50 mL
Alfentanil	10 mg/250 mL
Alteplase	50 mg/50 mL
Alteplase	100 mg/100 mL
Amikacin	100 mL
Amiodarone	150 mg/100 mL

Select, then Enter

| Page Up | Page Down | Enter | Cancel/ Back |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |

A	PROGRAM

Standard Program
Loading Dose
Multistep

Select, then Choose

| | | Choose | Back |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |

4 Use 🔘 to scroll down to Loading Dose.

5 Select ▲ *[Choose]* to continue.

A	PROGRAM
	Standard Program
	Loading Dose
	Multistep

Select, then Choose

		Choose	Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

The next page of the Program Loading Dose screen appears.

6 Select ▲ *[Choose]* to continue.
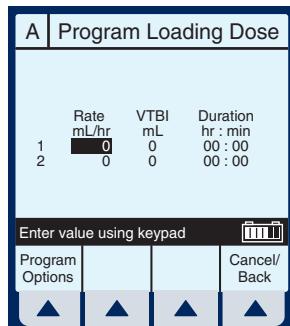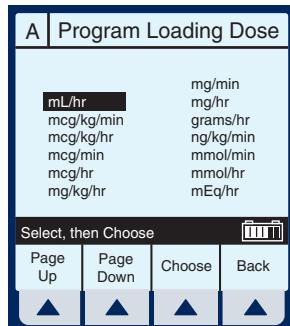
Or, use 🔘 to change the units to use in the delivery.

A	Program Loading Dose
	mg/min
mL/hr	mg/hr
mcg/kg/min	grams/hr
mcg/kg/hr	ng/kg/min
mcg/min	mmol/min
mcg/hr	mmol/hr
mg/kg/hr	mEq/hr

Select, then Choose

Page Up	Page Down	Choose	Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

If desired, select ▲ *[Page Down]* to see more units of measure.
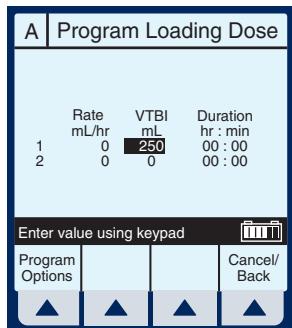
The Loading Dose Programming screen appears.

7 The default field is Rate. Since a "Fluid Challenge" is being performed in this example,

press 🔘 to advance to the VTBI field.

A	Program Loading Dose

	Rate mL/hr	VTBI mL	Duration hr : min
1	0	0	00 : 00
2	0	0	00 : 00

Enter value using keypad

Program Options			Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

8 Enter value using keypad.

A	Program Loading Dose

	Rate mL/hr	VTBI mL	Duration hr : min
1	0	**250**	00 : 00
2	0	0	00 : 00

Enter value using keypad

| Program
Options | | | Cancel/
Back |
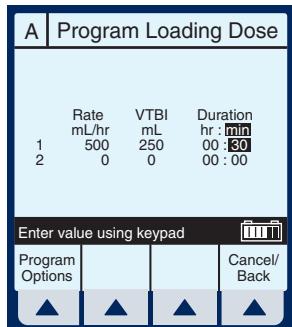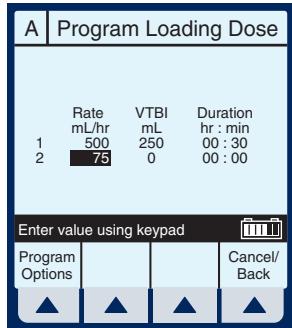
9 Use ⬆⬇ to highlight the next field.

10 Enter Duration using keypad. The Rate value is automatically calculated. To understand the Automatic Calculation feature, *see Examples of Automatic Calculation in Section 6.*

A	Program Loading Dose

	Rate mL/hr	VTBI mL	Duration hr : min
1	500	250	00 : **30**
2	0	0	00 : 00

Enter value using keypad

| Program
Options | | | Cancel/
Back |

11 After the values for loading dose Step-1 are entered, use

⬆⬇ to highlight the maintenance dose, Step-2.

NOTE: The Loading Dose program has two steps. The first is the loading dose followed by the maintenance dose. These words will appear on the main screen as each step is delivered.

A	Program Loading Dose

	Rate mL/hr	VTBI mL	Duration hr : min
1	500	250	00 : 30
2	**75**	0	00 : 00

Enter value using keypad

| Program
Options | | | Cancel/
Back |
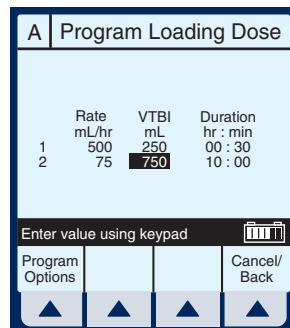
12 Enter the set of desired values for Step-2 of the program.

13 Select ▲ *[Program Options]* to select a *Delayed Start or Standby.*

> **NOTE:** At this point, programming is complete unless ▲ *[Program Options]* are desired. *See Section 6, Additional Features, for more information.*
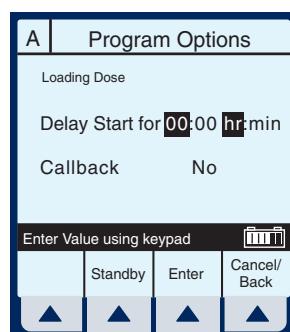
> **NOTE:** Nurse Callback enables an alarm when a change in the delivery on a line occurs such as completing Step-1 and starting Step-2. Or on line B, a piggyback delivery is completed and line A is starting its delivery.

| A | Program Loading Dose |

	Rate mL/hr	VTBI mL	Duration hr : min
1	500	250	00 : 30
2	75	750	10 : 00

Enter value using keypad

| Program Options | | | Cancel/Back |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |

| A | Program Options |

Loading Dose

Delay Start for 00:00 hr:min

Callback   No

Enter Value using keypad

| | Standby | Enter | Cancel/Back |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |
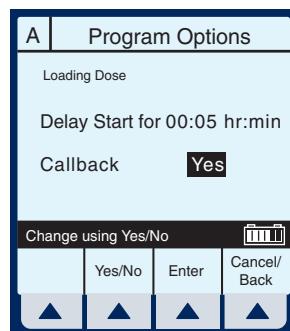
14 Enter a delay time (less than 24 hours) using the keypad.

> **NOTE:** Not available if a delivery is taking place on the line.

> **NOTE:** Nurse Callback cannot be changed while a delivery is taking place on the line.

| A | Program Options |

Loading Dose

Delay Start for 00:05 hr:min

Callback   Yes

Change using Yes/No

| | Yes/No | Enter | Cancel/Back |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |

15 Select ▲ *[Enter]* to accept the changes and return to the Program Loading Dose screen.

NOTE: ▲ *[Cancel/Back]* returns the fields to their original value and displays the previous screen.

16 To start the delivery, press $(\mathbf{START})$.

This will bring up the PROGRAM CONFIRMATION screen.

CAUTION: VERIFY ALL VALUES BEFORE STARTING INFUSION.

A	Program Loading Dose
	MedSurg
	Delivery will be:
Drug	No Drug Selected
Rate	500 mL/hr
VTBI	250 mL
	⚠
	Confirm Program?
Yes			No
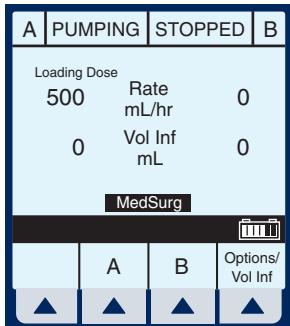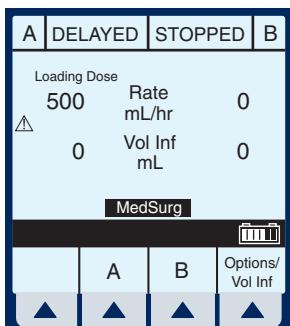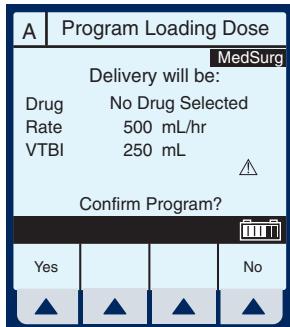
17 If Drug and Rate appear correct, select ▲ *[Yes]* to begin program.

The Main Delivery Screen appears.
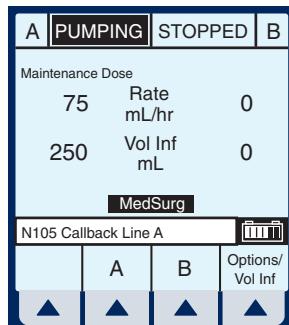
NOTE: The words "DELAYED" and "Loading Dose" appear in the upper-left corner. These indicate the options which have been selected.

A	DELAYED	STOPPED	B
Loading Dose			
500	Rate mL/hr		0
⚠			
0	Vol Inf mL		0
	MedSurg		
	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf

After the programmed delay period has expired, the Plum A+ starts "Pumping". This is indicated where "Delayed" previously was displayed.

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B
Loading Dose			
500	Rate mL/hr		0
0	Vol Inf mL		0
	MedSurg		
	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf

After the Step-1 has completed, the Main Delivery Screen changes to the second step.

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B

Maintenance Dose

75	Rate mL/hr	0
250	Vol Inf mL	0

MedSurg

N105 Callback Line A

	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲
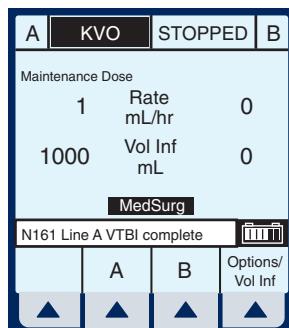
NOTE: A flashing "Callback Line A" message and the audio alarm sound indicates activation of that option.

18 The user should acknowledge the Callback message and stop the audio alarm by pressing **(SILENCE)**.

Upon completion of delivery, the screen shows a flashing "Line A VTBI complete" message and the audible alarm sounds.

A	KVO	STOPPED	B

Maintenance Dose

1	Rate mL/hr	0
1000	Vol Inf mL	0

MedSurg

N161 Line A VTBI complete

	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲

NOTE: The KVO rate will change to the rate of 1 mL/hr or less depending on delivery rate and "Pumping" mode changes to "KVO". If Continue Rate option was selected, pumping continues at original rate.

19 Press **(SILENCE)** to stop alarm sound.

NOTE: Warning message continues to flash and audio alarm will return after a two minute period of silence, unless delivery is stopped or VTBI of last line is changed.
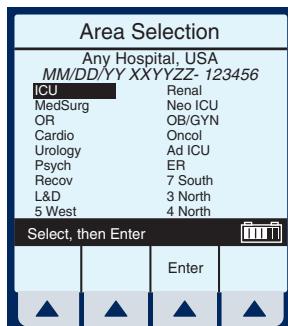
Multistep Programming

MULTISTEP- Allows a sequential program to deliver up to 10 steps; fluid volumes and delivery rates may be programmed for each step. The program may be entered based on Rate and Volume or Volume and Time. If Dose Calc is used, the delivery steps are in the same unit of measure, over the same period of time, from the same container.

Clear ALL settings when changing patients or multiple programming parameters.

The Area Selection screen will appear if your system has been programmed with the MedNet accessory.

Use 🔼SELECT🔽 to select CCA and bring you to the Main Delivery Screen.

Area Selection
Any Hospital, USA
MM/DD/YY XXYYZZ- 123456

ICU	Renal
MedSurg	Neo ICU
OR	OB/GYN
Cardio	Oncol
Urology	Ad ICU
Psych	ER
Recov	7 South
L&D	3 North
5 West	4 North

Select, then Enter

Enter

▲ ▲ ▲ ▲

NOTE: To change CCA while infusing, *see Changing CCA While Infusing in Section 6.*

1 Select ▲ *[A]* at the Main Delivery screen.

A	STOPPED	STOPPED	B

0	Rate mL/hr	0
0	Vol Inf mL	0

MedSurg

Back Prime	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲

The Line A Programming screen appears.

2 Select ▲ *[Drug List]*.

```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│ A │    PROGRAM              │
│                  MedSurg    │
│  Rate         0   mL/hr     │
│                             │
│  VTBI         0   mL        │
│                             │
│  Duration  00:00  hr : min  │
│ Enter Value using keypad   ▥│
│ Program │         │ Drug │Cancel/│
│ Options │         │ List │ Back │
│   ▲     │    ▲    │  ▲   │  ▲   │
└─────────────────────────────┘
```

The Drug List Screen appears mainly in alphabetical order.

NOTE: Default entry is "No Drug Selected".

```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│ A │       MedSurg           │
│ No Drug Selected            │
│ Albumin 5%     25 grams/500 mL│
│ Aldesleukin      2.6 mg/50 mL│
│ Alfentanil      10 mg/250 mL │
│ Alteplase        50 mg/50 mL │
│ Alteplase      100 mg/100 mL │
│ Amikacin           100 mL    │
│ Amiodarone     150 mg/100 mL │
│ Select, then Enter         ▥│
│ Page │ Page │      │Cancel/ │
│ Up   │ Down │Enter │ Back   │
│  ▲   │  ▲   │  ▲   │  ▲     │
└─────────────────────────────┘
```

3 Use ⬇SELECT to highlight desired drug name.

When list does not contain desired drug name or drug class name, select ▲ [Page Down] (or ▲ [Page Up]) until it shows, then use ⬇SELECT to highlight choice.
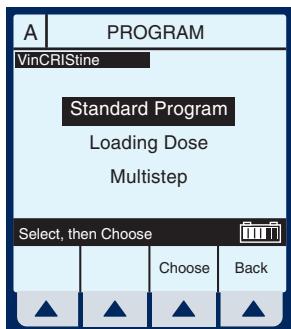
```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│ A │       MedSurg           │
│ Tirofiban        5 mg/100 mL │
│ Tobramycin      40 mg/50 mL  │
│ Tobramycin      80 mg/100 mL │
│ Vancomycin     500 mg/100mL  │
│ VinCRIStine        100 mL    │
│ VinCRIStine         50 mL    │
│                             │
│ Select, then Enter         ▥│
│ Page │ Page │      │Cancel/ │
│ Up   │ Down │Enter │ Back   │
│  ▲   │  ▲   │  ▲   │  ▲     │
└─────────────────────────────┘
```

4 Select ▲ *[Enter]* to indicate selection and advance to the Program Selection screen.

The Select Program screen for Line A (or B) appears.

NOTE: This example shows line A being programmed.

A	PROGRAM
VinCRIStine	
	Standard Program
	Loading Dose
	Multistep
Select, then Choose	
	Choose Back
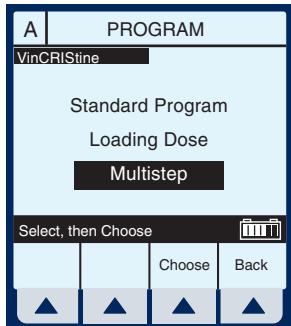
5 Use 🔼🔽 to scroll down to Multistep.

6 Select ▲ *[Choose]* to continue.
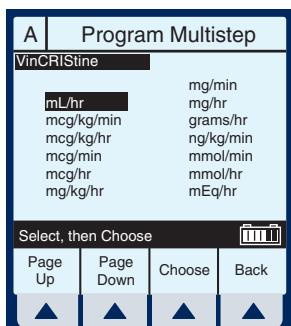
If selected drug has been programmed with established dosing units and concentration, skip to step 9.

A	PROGRAM
VinCRIStine	
	Standard Program
	Loading Dose
	Multistep
Select, then Choose	
	Choose Back

The Program Multistep screen appears.

NOTE: Cursor defaults to package insert recommended dose units associated with the selected drug.

A	Program Multistep
VinCRIStine	
mL/hr	mg/min
mcg/kg/min	mg/hr
mcg/kg/hr	grams/hr
mcg/min	ng/kg/min
mcg/hr	mmol/min
mg/kg/hr	mmol/hr
	mEq/hr
Select, then Choose	
Page Up Page Down	Choose Back

7 Use 🔼🔽 key to highlight the units to use in the delivery.

8 Select ▲ *[Choose]* to continue.
If desired, select ▲ *[Page Down]* to see more units of measure.

The Multistep Programming screen appears.

9 Rate is the default field. Enter value using keypad.

```
A       Program Multistep
VinCRIStine
        Rate    VTBI    Duration
        mL/hr   mL      hr : min
1        50      0       00: 00
2         0      0       00: 00
3         0      0       00: 00
4         0      0       00: 00

Enter value using keypad
Program         More    Cancel/
Options         Steps   Back
```

10 Use (SELECT) to highlight the Duration or VTBI field.

> **NOTE:** The VTBI value is automatically computed when the Duration value is entered. If VTBI is entered, the Duration value is automatically computed.

```
A       Program Multistep
VinCRIStine
        Rate    VTBI    Duration
        mL/hr   mL      hr : min
1        50     50      01: 00
2         0      0       00: 00
3         0      0       00: 00
4         0      0       00: 00

Enter value using keypad
Program         More    Cancel/
Options         Steps   Back
```

11 Use (SELECT) to drop down to Step-2, Rate field.

12 Enter the set of desired values for Step-2 of the program. Continue process for each additional Step.

```
A       Program Multistep
VinCRIStine
        Rate    VTBI    Duration
        mL/hr   mL      hr : min
1        50     50      01: 00
2       100      0       00: 00
3         0      0       00: 00
4         0      0       00: 00

Enter value using keypad
Program         More    Cancel/
Options         Steps   Back
```
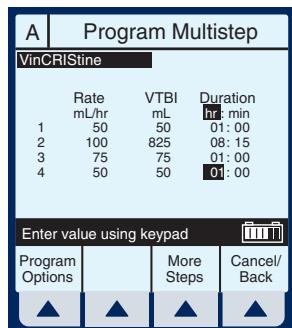
NOTE: When Step-4 is programmed, using [SELECT] to advance will highlight another item on this screen.

A	Program Multistep
VinCRIStine	

	Rate mL/hr	VTBI mL	Duration hr : min
1	50	50	01 : 00
2	100	825	08 : 15
3	75	75	01 : 00
4	50	50	01 : 00

Enter value using keypad

Program Options		More Steps	Cancel/ Back
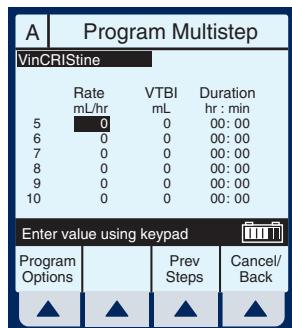
13 When Step-4 is programmed, select
▲ *[More Steps]* to program up to 10 Steps.

NOTE: Using [SELECT] will not advance you to the additional steps.

14 To set up Steps 5 through 10, enter desired values as performed for Steps 1 through 4.
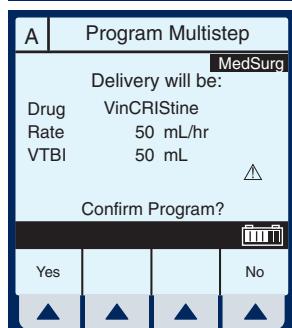
To see the previous steps, select ▲ [Prev Steps].
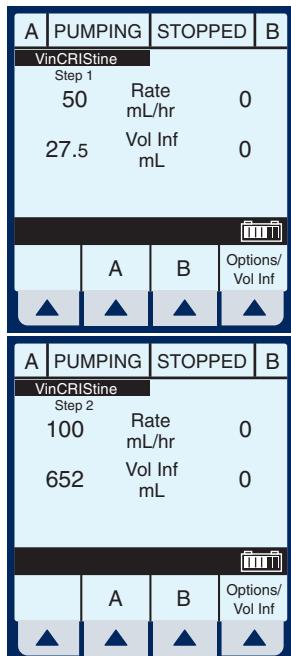
A	Program Multistep
VinCRIStine	

	Rate mL/hr	VTBI mL	Duration hr : min
5	0	0	00 : 00
6	0	0	00 : 00
7	0	0	00 : 00
8	0	0	00 : 00
9	0	0	00 : 00
10	0	0	00 : 00

Enter value using keypad

Program Options		Prev Steps	Cancel/ Back

15 To start the delivery, press **(START)**.

This will bring up the Confirmation screen.

CAUTION: VERIFY ALL VALUES BEFORE STARTING INFUSION.

A	Program Multistep
	MedSurg

Delivery will be:

Drug	VinCRIStine
Rate	50 mL/hr
VTBI	50 mL

⚠

Confirm Program?

Yes			No

The Main Delivery Screen
displays Step-1 in the upper-
left corner.

NOTE: In units other than mL/hr, the
Dose rate and units also will be
displayed.

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B

VinCRIStine

Step 1

50	Rate mL/hr	0
27.5	Vol Inf mL	0

	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲
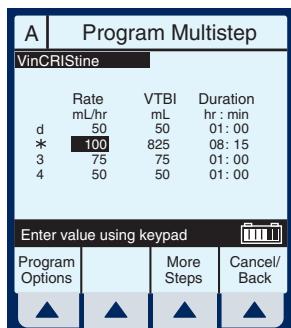
Example of Multistep Screen
Pumping on Step-2.

16 To change a program
parameter while pumping,
select ▲ *[A].*

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B

VinCRIStine

Step 2

100	Rate mL/hr	0
652	Vol Inf mL	0

	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲
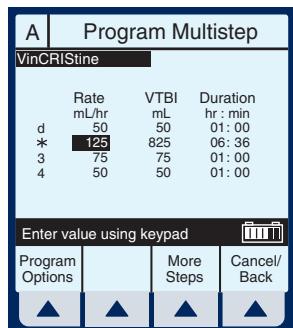
NOTE: The "*" in a Step number field
indicates the step is delivering or "d"
indicates each completed step.

17 Enter a value using the
keypad.

A	Program Multistep

VinCRIStine

	Rate mL/hr	VTBI mL	Duration hr : min
d	50	50	01 : 00
*	100	825	08 : 15
3	75	75	01 : 00
4	50	50	01 : 00

Enter value using keypad

Program Options		More Steps	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

If Rate value is changed, the Duration will automatically change.

NOTE: Only the current delivering step and future steps can be changed.
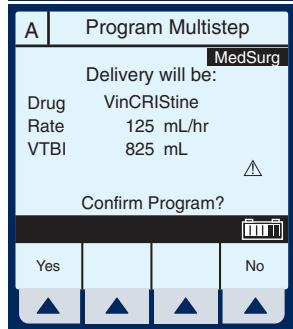
A	Program Multistep		
VinCRIStine			

	Rate mL/hr	VTBI mL	Duration hr : min
d	50	50	01 : 00
*	125	825	06 : 36
3	75	75	01 : 00
4	50	50	01 : 00

Enter value using keypad

Program Options		More Steps	Cancel/ Back

18 To start the delivery, press **START**.

This will bring up the Confirmation screen.

CAUTION: **VERIFY ALL VALUES BEFORE STARTING INFUSION.**

A	Program Multistep		
		MedSurg	

Delivery will be:

Drug	VinCRIStine
Rate	125 mL/hr
VTBI	825 mL

⚠

Confirm Program?

Yes			No
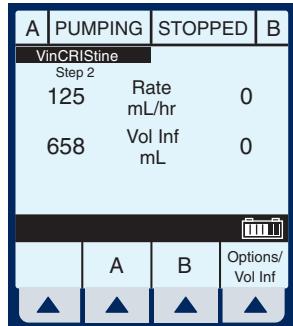
NOTE: The Values are now updated on the Main Delivery Screen.

The infuser reverts to KVO when last Step completes.

The last step can be restarted by entering a new VTBI value.

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B
VinCRIStine			
Step 2			

125	Rate mL/hr	0
658	Vol Inf mL	0

	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
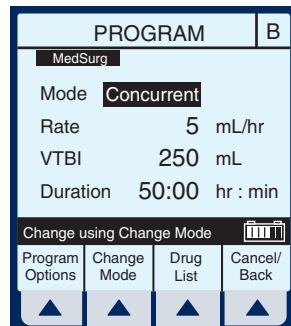
Additional Features
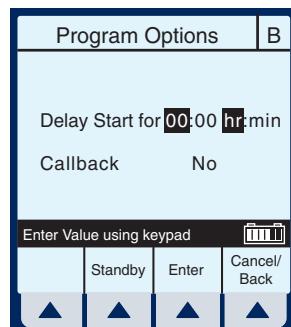
Simple Delivery Using Delayed Start

1 Before or after entering the simple delivery program, select ▲ *[Program Options].*

NOTE: To program a Delayed Start using an advanced program (i.e., Dose Calc) you must first select which line you want (A or B), next select ▲ *[Drug List]*, and then ▲ *[Program Options]*. If you program the Delayed Start first, it will be cleared upon entry into Select Program mode.

The Default screen for Program Options appears.

```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│    PROGRAM          │ B │   │
│  ▐ MedSurg ▌                │
│   Mode  Concurrent          │
│   Rate          5  mL/hr    │
│   VTBI        250  mL       │
│   Duration  50:00  hr : min │
│ Change using Change Mode ▐▟▌│
│ Program  Change  Drug  Cancel/│
│ Options   Mode   List   Back │
│   ▲       ▲      ▲      ▲    │
└─────────────────────────────┘
```

```
┌─────────────────────────────┐
│   Program Options   │ B │   │
│                             │
│  Delay Start for 00:00 hr:min│
│                             │
│  Callback        No         │
│                             │
│ Enter Value using keypad ▐▟▌│
│          Standby  Enter Cancel/│
│                          Back │
│   ▲       ▲      ▲      ▲    │
└─────────────────────────────┘
```
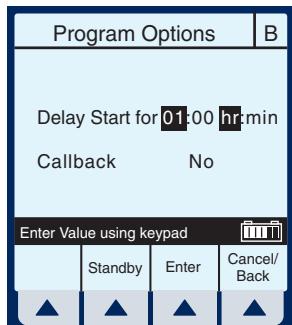
2 Enter values for desired hours and/or minutes.

3 Select ▲ *[Enter]* to confirm delayed start.

> **CAUTION: VERIFY ALL VALUES BEFORE STARTING INFUSION.**

Program Options	B
Delay Start for `01`:00 `hr`:min	
Callback	No
Enter Value using keypad	[IIIII]
Standby	Enter	Cancel/Back
▲	▲	▲	▲
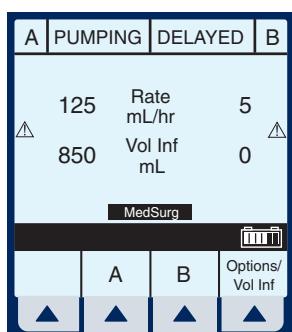
4 Press (**START**) to confirm programming.

Line B is delayed for the time entered.
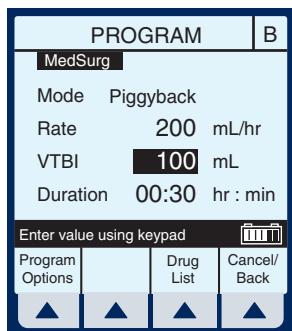
NOTE: Delayed line drip indicator will appear solid, not flashing. It will begin flashing when pumping resumes.

A	PUMPING	DELAYED	B
	125	Rate mL/hr	5
⚠	850	Vol Inf mL	0	⚠
		MedSurg	
			[IIIII]
	A	B	Options/Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲

Piggyback with Nurse Callback
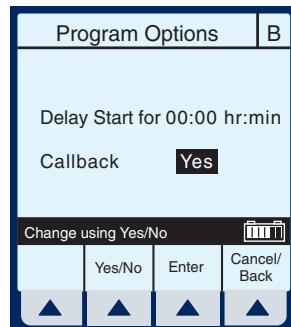
1 After programming in desired values for both lines, select ▲ *[Program Options]*.

> **NOTE:** To set a nurse callback, the infuser must be stopped. This function can be selected either before or after entering the Piggyback delivery program.

PROGRAM	B
MedSurg	
Mode	Piggyback
Rate	200 mL/hr
VTBI	`100` mL
Duration	00:30 hr : min
Enter value using keypad	[IIIII]
Program Options		Drug List	Cancel/Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

The default screen for Program Options appears.

Program Options	B
Delay Start for 00:00 hr:min	
Callback Yes	
Change using Yes/No	
	Yes/No	Enter	Cancel/Back

Use ⬍ to highlight "Callback" field and select ▲ *[Yes/No]*, if necessary to obtain "Yes", then select ▲ *[Enter]*.

NOTE: Callback default of Yes or No is a biomedical setting and must be configured using the Hospira MedNet accessory.
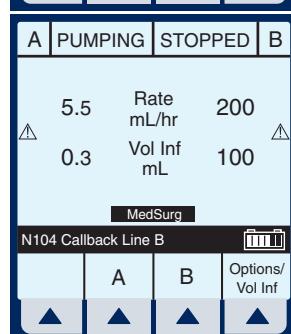
CAUTION: VERIFY **ALL VALUES** BEFORE STARTING INFUSION.

2 Press **(START)** to confirm program setting and return to Main Delivery screen.

PROGRAM	B
MedSurg	
Mode Piggyback	
Rate 200 mL/hr	
VTBI 100 mL	
Duration 00:30 hr : min	
Enter value using keypad	
Program Options		Drug List	Cancel/Back
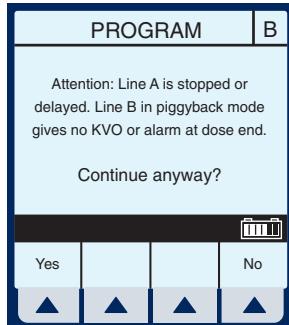
At end of Piggyback delivery, with Callback enabled for the line, Callback alarm is issued.

3 Press **(SILENCE)** to clear alarm.

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B
	5.5	Rate mL/hr	200
	0.3	Vol Inf mL	100
		MedSurg	
N104 Callback Line B			
	A	B	Options/Vol Inf

Possible Non-Delivery Programmed
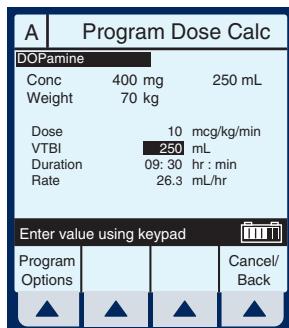
NOTE: Whenever a valid [START] key is pressed, the device checks the delivery program(s) for non-delivery conditions (such as Line B Piggyback without Line A or delayed start) that could permit a period of non-delivery. If so, the display presents this warning screen.

```
┌─────────────────────────┐
│  PROGRAM          │ B   │
│                         │
│  Attention: Line A is stopped or │
│  delayed. Line B in piggyback mode │
│  gives no KVO or alarm at dose end. │
│                         │
│      Continue anyway?   │
│                         │
│                   ▭▭▭   │
│  Yes               No   │
│  ▲    ▲    ▲    ▲        │
└─────────────────────────┘
```

1   Select ▲ *[Yes]* to continue with delivery. Or, select ▲ *[No]* to cancel.

Using the Standby Feature
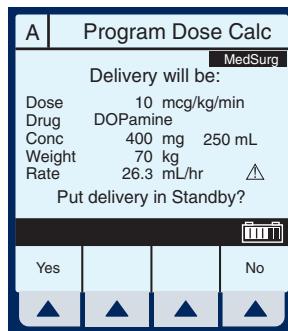
Standby is a feature that enables the clinician to program the infuser up to 23: 59 minutes in advance of Starting.

```
┌─────────────────────────┐
│ A │   Program Dose Calc  │
│ DOPamine                │
│  Conc      400 mg    250 mL │
│  Weight    70 kg        │
│                         │
│  Dose        10  mcg/kg/min │
│  VTBI       250  mL     │
│  Duration  09: 30  hr : min │
│  Rate      26.3  mL/hr  │
│                         │
│  Enter value using keypad  ▭▭▭ │
│  Program           Cancel/ │
│  Options            Back │
│  ▲    ▲    ▲    ▲        │
└─────────────────────────┘
```
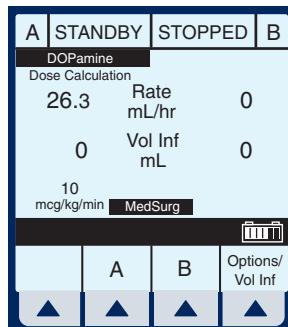
1   If Line A is infusing, select ▲ *[A]* or ▲ *[B]* to access program screen of line to be placed on Standby.

2   Select ▲ *[Program Options].*

3   Select ▲ *[Standby].*

4 Confirm the information displayed is correct, then select ▲ *[Yes]* to place program on Standby mode.

NOTE: This example screen shows a Dose Calculation Program with a Standby. It looks similar to the Program Confirmation screen with the substitution of "Put delivery in Standby" replacing "Confirm Program". Selecting ▲ *[Yes]* confirms both the Program and the Standby.

```
A        Program Dose Calc
                        MedSurg
           Delivery will be:
Dose           10  mcg/kg/min
Drug      DOPamine
Conc          400  mg    250 mL
Weight         70  kg
Rate         26.3  mL/hr      ⚠
        Put delivery in Standby?

                            🔋
 Yes                         No
  ▲      ▲       ▲       ▲
```
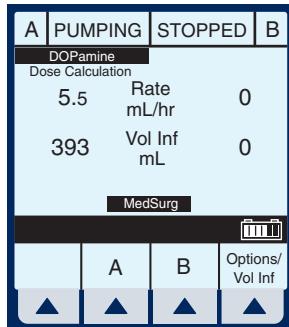
5 Press (**START**) to remove Standby and start the infusion.

```
A  STANDBY  STOPPED   B
   DOPamine
 Dose Calculation
   26.3      Rate        0
             mL/hr
    0        Vol Inf      0
             mL
    10
 mcg/kg/min   MedSurg
                           🔋
            A    B    Options/
                      Vol Inf
  ▲      ▲       ▲       ▲
```
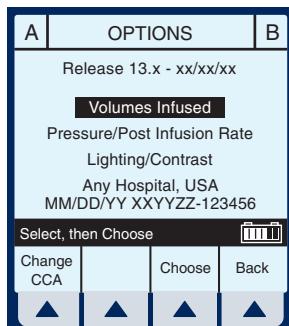
Select Option- Volumes Infused, Pressure/Post Infusion Rate, and Lighting/Contrast

1 To select Options Screen, select ▲ *[Options/Vol Inf]*.

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B
	DOPamine		
Dose Calculation			

5.5 Rate mL/hr 0

393 Vol Inf mL 0

MedSurg

A | B | Options/ Vol Inf

▲ ▲ ▲ ▲
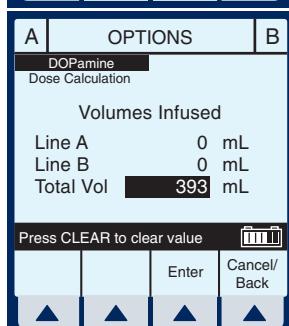
2 Use (SELECT) to highlight an option.

3 Select ▲ *[Choose]* to select the Volumes Infused screen.
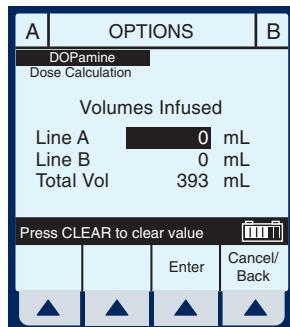
This will bring up the Volumes Infused screen which defaults to Total Volume.

A	OPTIONS	B

Release 13.x - xx/xx/xx

Volumes Infused

Pressure/Post Infusion Rate

Lighting/Contrast

Any Hospital, USA
MM/DD/YY XXYYZZ-123456

Select, then Choose

Change CCA | | Choose | Back

▲ ▲ ▲ ▲

4 Use (SELECT) to scroll to Line A or B.

A	OPTIONS	B
	DOPamine	
Dose Calculation		

Volumes Infused

Line A 0 mL
Line B 0 mL
Total Vol 393 mL

Press CLEAR to clear value

| | Enter | Cancel/ Back

▲ ▲ ▲ ▲

5 To reset Line A (or B) Volume Infused, use ⬆⬇ to highlight and press (CLEAR).
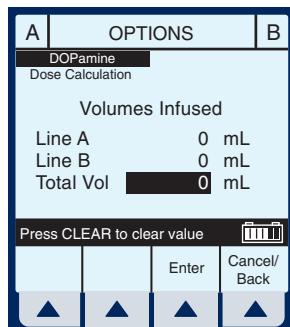
A	OPTIONS	B
DOPamine		
Dose Calculation		
Volumes Infused		
Line A	**0**	mL
Line B	0	mL
Total Vol	393	mL
Press CLEAR to clear value		
		Enter	Cancel/Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

6 To restore the cleared quantity, select ▲ *[Cancel/Back]*.

7 To reset all volumes, use ⬆⬇ to highlight Total Vol, then press (CLEAR).

A	OPTIONS	B
DOPamine		
Dose Calculation		
Volumes Infused		
Line A	0	mL
Line B	0	mL
Total Vol	**0**	mL
Press CLEAR to clear value		
		Enter	Cancel/Back
▲	▲	▲	▲
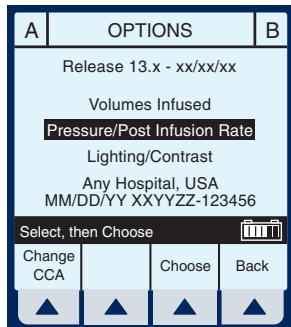
8 To restore all quantities, select ▲ *[Cancel/Back]* softkey.

9 When clearing of quantities is completed, select ▲ *[Enter]* to return to the Main Delivery screen.

10 Select ▲ *[Options/Vol Inf]* from the Main Delivery screen to return to the Options screen.

A	OPTIONS	B
	Release 13.x - xx/xx/xx	
	Volumes Infused	
	Pressure/Post Infusion Rate	
	Lighting/Contrast	
	Any Hospital, USA MM/DD/YY XXYYZZ-123456	
Select, then Choose		▥
Change CCA		Choose	Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

11 Use (SELECT) to highlight the Pressure/Post Infusion Rate option.
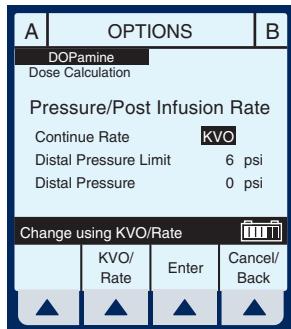
12 Select ▲ *[Choose]* to continue.

> **NOTE:** Prior to changing Pressure/Post Infusion Rate, infuser must be stopped.

13 Use (SELECT) to highlight Continue Rate or Distal Pressure Limit field.

A	OPTIONS	B
DOPamine		
Dose Calculation		
Pressure/Post Infusion Rate		
Continue Rate		KVO
Distal Pressure Limit		6 psi
Distal Pressure		0 psi
Change using KVO/Rate		▥
	KVO/ Rate	Enter	Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

14 Continue Rate allows a choice when VTBI is completed. Select ▲ *[KVO/Rate]*.

- KVO- The infuser will revert to a fixed KVO of 1 mL/hr or the last programmed Rate, whichever is less.
- Rate- The infuser will continue at the Rate programmed.

> **NOTE:** Option will be for both line A and line B selections.

15 To change Distal Pressure Limit when highlighted,

enter value between 0.1 and 15 psi.
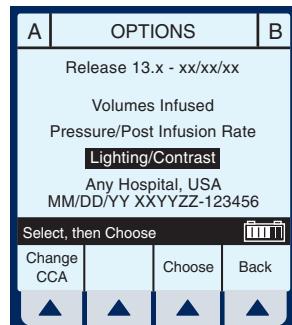
16 Select ▲ *[Enter]* to keep changes and return to the Main Delivery screen, or ▲ *[Cancel/Back]* to restore original values and return to the Options screen.

   NOTE: Continue Rate default of KVO or Rate must be configured using the Hospira MedNet software.

17 Select ▲ *[Options/Vol Inf]* from the Main Delivery screen to return to the Options screen.

A	OPTIONS	B

Release 13.x - xx/xx/xx

Volumes Infused
Pressure/Post Infusion Rate
Lighting/Contrast
Any Hospital, USA
MM/DD/YY XXYYZZ-123456

Select, then Choose

| Change CCA | | Choose | Back |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |
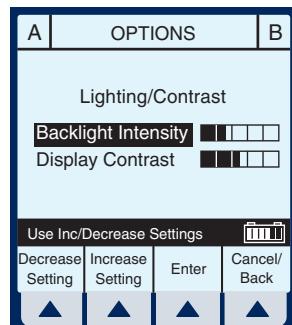
18 Use (SELECT) to highlight Lighting/ Contrast Option.

19 Select ▲ *[Choose]* to continue.

20 Press (SELECT) to highlight Backlight Intensity or Display Contrast.

A	OPTIONS	B

Lighting/Contrast

Backlight Intensity ■ ■ ▯ ▯ ▯
Display Contrast ■ ■ ▯ ▯ ▯

Use Inc/Decrease Settings

| Decrease Setting | Increase Setting | Enter | Cancel/ Back |
| ▲ | ▲ | ▲ | ▲ |

21 While viewing display for desired effect, select either ▲ *[Increase Setting]* or ▲ *[Decrease Setting]* to change level.

22 Select ▲ *[Enter]* to keep change(s) and return to the Main Delivery screen, or ▲ *[Cancel/Back]* to restore previous settings and return to the Options screen.

Variable Rate Cap

NOTE: Variable Rate Cap is used to set the maximum rate values to be accepted by the device. The clinician cannot change it once it has been programmed. It must be configured using the Hospira MedNet software.

Examples of Automatic Calculation

AT STARTUP

Initial programming allows the clinician to enter two of the three programming parameters (Rate, VTBI, or Duration) and the third is automatically calculated. (*Refer to table below*)

1st Action	2nd Action	*[AUTOCALC]*
enter RATE	**enter VTBI**	*[DURATION]*
enter VTBI	**enter DURATION**	*[RATE]*
enter RATE	**enter DURATION**	*[VTBI]*

WHILE RUNNING *(TITRATION)*

Changing two parameters after startup of the infusion will allow for the recalculation of the third parameter.

NOTE: VTBI will not be recalculated if the Rate and Duration are changed. VTBI must be cleared and then the new VTBI re-entered. The new VTBI will automatically calculate a new Rate.

1st Action	2nd Action	*[AUTOCALC]*
change RATE	**keep VTBI**	*[DURATION]*
change RATE	**change VTBI**	*[DURATION]*
change VTBI	**keep RATE**	*[DURATION]*
change DURATION	**keep VTBI**	*[RATE]*
change VTBI	**change DURATION**	*[RATE]*
change RATE	**change DURATION**	*Recalculates [RATE] based on previous VTBI and new DURATION*
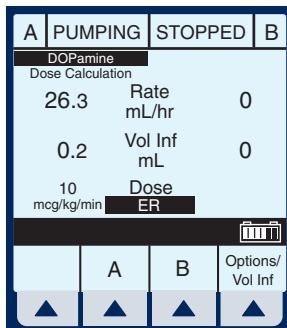
AT **KVO**

Audible KVO alarm will sound, clinician will need to reset the appropriate settings.
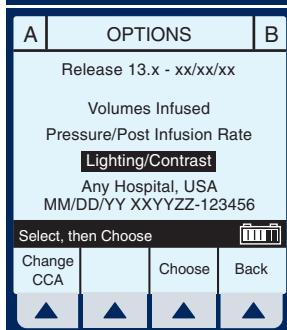
1st Action	2nd Action	*[AUTOCALC]*
enter VTBI	**keep RATE**	*[DURATION]*
enter DURATION	**keep RATE**	*[VTBI]*
change RATE	**enter VTBI**	*[DURATION]*
enter DURATION	**enter VTBI**	*[DURATION]*
enter VTBI	**enter DURATION**	*[RATE]*
change RATE	**change DURATION**	*[VTBI]*

Changing CCA While Infusing

1 Select ▲ *[Options/Vol Inf]* from the Main Delivery screen.

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B

DOPamine
Dose Calculation

26.3	Rate mL/hr	0
0.2	Vol Inf mL	0

10 mcg/kg/min   Dose   ER

	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲

2 Select ▲ *[Change CCA]*.

A	OPTIONS	B

Release 13.x - xx/xx/xx

Volumes Infused

Pressure/Post Infusion Rate

Lighting/Contrast

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Select, then Choose

Change CCA		Choose	Back
▲	▲	▲	▲
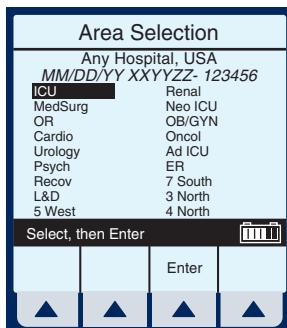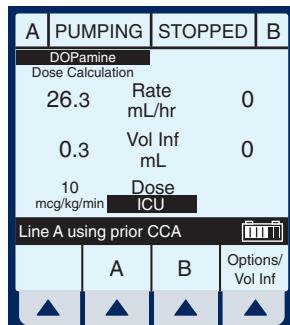
3 Press (SELECT) to highlight desired CCA, then select ▲ *[Enter]* to confirm the change.
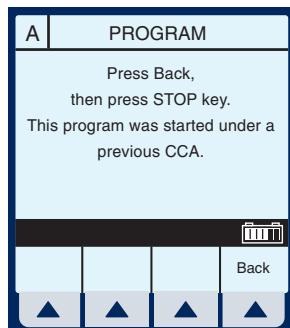
The delivery continues until VTBI equals zero, or you stop the program and clear the settings.

Area Selection

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ICU	Renal
MedSurg	Neo ICU
OR	OB/GYN
Cardio	Oncol
Urology	Ad ICU
Psych	ER
Recov	7 South
L&D	3 North
5 West	4 North

Select, then Enter

		Enter	
▲	▲	▲	▲

The message bar informs the user of the changed CCA.

A	PUMPING	STOPPED	B
DOPamine			
Dose Calculation			
26.3	Rate mL/hr	0	
0.3	Vol Inf mL	0	
10 mcg/kg/min	Dose ICU		
Line A using prior CCA			
	A	B	Options/ Vol Inf
▲	▲	▲	▲

When VTBI reaches zero (infusion is competed), VTBI may no longer be incremented. To program, the user must first select ▲ *[Back]*, then press the **(STOP)** key.

A		PROGRAM	
	Press Back,		
	then press STOP key.		
This program was started under a			
previous CCA.			
			Back
▲	▲	▲	▲

Auto-Programming

Auto-Programming is a new feature for the Hospira Plum A+ line of infusion pumps. It can only be used if the feature has been installed in conjunction with your Hospital Information System (HIS) and Barcode Point-Of-Care (BPOC) Unit. It works by scanning barcode labels for the patient, pump, and IV bag using a BPOC Unit, such as a PDA. This information is then transferred to the pump utilizing either its wireless antenna or RJ-45 Ethernet connector with a shielded Ethernet cable. The feature reduces the number of steps needed to program an infusion.

NOTE: If the physician's order for an auto-program therapy exceeds the capabilities of the pump or is above a hospital defined hard drug limit, the infusion parameters for auto-programming will be rejected and the order will need to be re-checked.
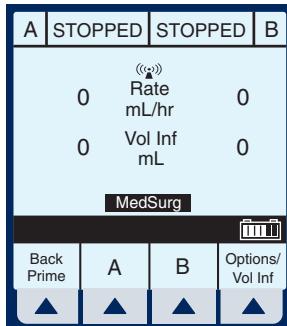
NOTE: It is important that biomed personnel ensure that the barcode identification label affixed to each infuser corresponds to the correct Connectivity Engine Identification Number. This way the correct order will be sent to the appropriate infuser.

NOTE: The wireless icon will not appear if an Ethernet cable is used to connect to the BPOC system.

1 Power On the pump as described in Section 4.

2 After the CCA has been selected, the pump is ready for auto-programming.

NOTE: The Auto-Program feature must begin on the Main Delivery Screen (with the desired line STOPPED).
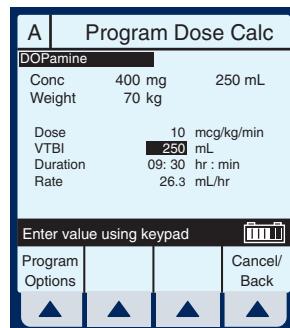
3 Following your hospital's procedure, activate your BPOC Unit.

4 Scan the patient wristband to pull up the patient's task list on the BPOC Unit.

5 Scan the IV bag. IV Task and documentation with Order Details is displayed on the BPOC.

6 Scan the barcode of the available pump channel that is not currently infusing (A or B).

NOTE: If the scanned medication does not exist in the Hospira MedNet Rx Rules medication library, no medication will be

displayed on the pump and "No Drug Selected" will be seen on the subsequent Confirmation and Main Delivery Screens.

7 Programming screen is auto-filled.

8 Verify ALL parameters. If changes are desired, the infusion parameters can be manually changed using the keypad on the pump.

A	Program Dose Calc

DOPamine
Conc	400 mg	250 mL
Weight	70 kg	

Dose	10	mcg/kg/min
VTBI	250	mL
Duration	09: 30	hr : min
Rate	26.3	mL/hr

Enter value using keypad

Program Options			Cancel/ Back
▲	▲	▲	▲
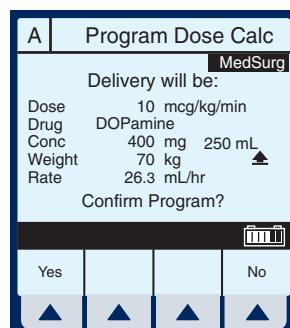
9 Press (**START**) to display the Confirmation screen.

10 Select ▲ *[Yes]* to confirm programming and begin infusion.

The BPOC will reconfirm that the pump parameters match the order.

A	Program Dose Calc

MedSurg
Delivery will be:
Dose	10 mcg/kg/min
Drug	DOPamine
Conc	400 mg 250 mL
Weight	70 kg ▲
Rate	26.3 mL/hr

Confirm Program?

Yes			No
▲	▲	▲	▲

11 Complete the transaction on the BPOC Unit or document the process per hospital procedure.

NOTES

Alarms and Troubleshooting

Warning Messages

MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Stop delivery then turn off	Attempting to turn the infuser off while a delivery is in progress.	Stop all lines, then turn infuser off.
Warning: Replace Battery	The battery current charge is greater than 200 mA/hr. The battery voltage is less than the depleted threshold and charge level is higher than the low charge threshold.	Replace battery.
Warning: Charger Service	The charging circuitry is not behaving as expected (charge voltage is not changing) and can reduce battery life.	Silence key is pressed.
Warning: Low Battery	Pump not plugged in to AC power.	Plug into AC power, only about 30 minutes of battery life remains.

NOTE: Other error and warning messages will occur when appropriate for the current selection context. For instance, when a change to a required parameter would result in clearing some delivery settings, the warning message will appear when that field is selected. When an input error has just been made, the three quick beeps of an Invalid Key Warning will sound and an appropriate warning message will be shown to explain the

problem. All such messages will be cleared or replaced by another message upon the next valid input key press.

Response to Alarms

1 **Disable Lockout by confirming back switch is in the down position or press the decimal key followed by 9, 6, & 3 on the keypad.**

2 **Press [SILENCE] key.**

3 **Identify/Observe Alarm condition.**

4 **Correct Alarm condition (see following tables).**

5 **Press [START] to resume infusion.**

> **NOTE:** Alarm messages begin with an alphanumeric code for tracking purposes only. If troubleshooting does not correct the problem, record the code number and contact technical support.

General Alarms

CODE	MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
N100	Unrecognized cassette	Attempting to use unrecognized cassette.	Turn off or insert recognized cassette.
N101	No Action Alarm	Pump programming incomplete.	Press [START] or continue programming.
N102	Infuser Idle 2 Minutes	Pump is ON without operator input. Standby time has elapsed.	Begin programming or turn infuser OFF. Re-enter all programmed data.
N103	Memory Failure	The infuser did not accept the previous programmed data.	Re-enter all programmed data.
N230	Prox Air, Backprime	When the total proximal air detected exceeds the limit.	Check for clamps, or empty containers on line A or B. Correct as necessary. Backprime into line B tubing or syringe.
N180, N181, N186	Distal Occlusion	Distal line kinked, IV site clotted or positional, pressure limit set too low.	Check distal tubing, check IV site, reset pressure limit. *See page 1-10 for detailed instructions for avoiding a bolus following a distal occlusion.*
N187	Neg Distal Occlusion	Pump too high above patient or defective set.	Lower infuser or replace set.
N233, N234	Distal Air	When air is detected at the distal sensor and exceeds the limit.	Remove and reprime cassette using standard technique.

CODE	MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
N250	Door open while pumping	Pump door opened while operating.	Close door with cassette inserted.
N251	Cassette Test Failure	Faulty cassette, proximal or distal occlusion or air in cassette detected at start up.	Check clamps, manually reprime set, close door. Backprime into line B tubing or syringe if appropriate. If alarm recurs on retest, replace set. If alarm repeats, replace infuser.
N252	Depleted Battery	Too much time on battery power.	Plug into AC (mains) power.
N253	Hard lockout Violation	The use of the [STOP] key during delivery, or opening the door, while lockout is enabled.	Unlock lockout switch.
N254	Hard lockout Enabled	Pressing of any key except [STOP] during delivery while any alarm is active and lockout is enabled.	Unlock lockout switch.
N255	Soft lockout Violation	The use of the [STOP] key during delivery, or opening the door, while lockout is enabled.	Unlock lockout by pressing the decimal key, followed by 9, 6, & 3 on the keypad.
N256	Soft lockout Enabled	Pressing of any key except [STOP] during delivery while any alarm is active and lockout is enabled.	Unlock lockout by pressing the decimal key, followed by 9, 6, & 3 on the keypad.

Line A Alarms

CODE	MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
N105	Callback Line A	Alarm programmed by user. Change in delivery for Loading Dose to Maintenance Step or for any step in "Multistep" program provided the step is not the last step.	Press [SILENCE].
N161	Line A VTBI complete	VTBI complete on line A.	Program new VTBI.
N185	Prox Occl A At Startup	Proximal line obstructed, line A container (or syringe) disconnected or obstructed during non-delivery (startup).	Examine line A for kinks or closed clamps. If there are closed clamps, open the clamps. Then, open and close door. Continue programming. Replace set if problem persists. If clamps are not opened prior to completion of cassette test, peak proximal occlusion may recur. For syringe, select ▲ *[Backprime]*.

CODE	MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
N184, N190, N191	Prox Occl A / Air	Proximal line obstructed, line A container disconnect or obstruction.	Examine line A for kinks, closed clamps, or air in cassette.
N232	Prox Air A, Backprime	When proximal air detected exceeds the limit for the line.	Check for clamps, or empty container. Correct as necessary. Backprime into line B tubing or syringe.

Line B Alarms

CODE	MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
N104	Callback Line B	Alarm programmed by user. Change in delivery for piggyback delivery, Loading Dose to Maintenance Step, or for any step in "Multistep" program provided the step is not the last step.	Press [SILENCE].
N160	Line B VTBI complete	VTBI complete on line B.	Program new VTBI.
N183	Prox Occl B At Startup	Proximal line obstructed, line B container (or syringe) disconnected or obstructed during non-delivery (startup).	Examine line B for kinks or closed clamps. If there are closed clamps, open the clamps. Then, open and close door. Continue programming. Replace set if problem persists. If clamps are not opened prior to completion of cassette test, peak proximal occlusion may recur. For syringe, select ▲ [Backprime].

CODE	MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
N182, N188, N189	Prox Occl B / Air	Proximal line obstructed, line B container disconnected or obstructed.	Examine line B for kinks, closed clamps, or air in cassette. Occlusion caused by empty container, backprime into line B tubing or syringe.
N231	Prox Air B, Backprime	When proximal air detected exceeds the limit for the line.	Check for clamps, or empty container. Correct as necessary. Backprime into line B tubing or syringe.

Malfunctions

CODE	MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
E300 or higher	Malfunction	A failure has occurred in the infuser's internal systems.	Record Malfunction error code. Pump must be turned OFF to clear malfunction. If alarm malfunction repeats, replace infuser.

General Messages

MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Cannot Standby in Piggyback	Selection of ▲ *[Standby]* when Line B is in Piggyback Mode.	Select ▲ *[Cancel/ Back]*.
Cannot Standby with Delay	Selection of ▲ *[Standby]* when Delay time was entered for program.	▲ *[Cancel/Back]*.
Changing CCA clears program	Displays when other than last-used Care Area is highlighted.	N/A
Change Conc clears entries	A program delivery which has been stopped and drug amount value is selected. This is displayed before any screen or field message.	User can enter new Concentration using keypad, or press [CLEAR] then make new entry.
Change units clears entries	A program delivery which has been stopped and user highlights another concentration unit for the same line.	User can select ▲ *[Back]* to exit, or use [SELECT] arrows to highlight a new value.
Change Vol clears entries	A program delivery which has been stopped and diluent value is selected. This is displayed before any screen or field message.	User can enter new Concentration volume using keypad, or press [CLEAR] then make another entry.

MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Concurrency alert	Attempt to start a multistep or loading dose delivery whose later steps would exceed concurrent delivery limit if delivery proceeds.	User can enter new values using number keypad, or use [SELECT] arrows to move to another field to change the entry. User can also press [CLEAR].
Concurrency violation	Attempt to start a second line with a delivery rate that would exceed concurrent delivery upper limit immediately. Or, concurrent delivery attempt and rate for the second line is less than concurrent delivery lower limit. Takes precedence over "Rate must be > n mL/hr" message. The combined delivery rate must fall within the range of 1.0 mL/hr – 500 mL/hr or CCA-specific Maximum Volumetric Rate, with 0.5 mL/hr minimum per line.	User can enter new values using number keypad, or use [SELECT] arrows to move to another field to change the entry. User can also press [CLEAR].
Decimal point not allowed	Attempt to input Decimal point when either not used in field or a three-digit whole number already input.	Press [CLEAR] Hardkey.

MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Dose > [X.xx]. Override?	Attempt to start program with parameter that has caused the Dose (or Rate, if mL/hr program) to be greater than the upper soft limit [uuuuuuuu] for the selected drug and CCA. Also includes placing program in Standby, and re-starting a stopped program.	May be overridden by selecting ▲ *[Yes]*. Cleared by pressing of [NUMERIC KEYS], [.], [SELECT], [CLEAR] or [STOP] hard keys, or ▲ *[Yes/No]* softkeys. Also cleared by the [ON/OFF] key when the line is stopped.
Dose < [X.xx]. Override?	Attempt to start program with parameter that has caused the Dose (or Rate, if mL/hr program) to be less than the lower soft limit [lllllll] for the selected drug and CCA. Also includes placing program in Standby, and re-starting a stopped program.	May be overridden by selecting ▲ *[Yes]*. Cleared by pressing of [NUMERIC KEYS], [.], [SELECT], [CLEAR] or [STOP] hard keys, or ▲ *[Yes/No]* softkeys. Also cleared by the [ON/OFF] key when the line is stopped.
Hard Lockout Enabled	The Lockout Switch has been enabled, no Alarm is active, and any key besides Stop is pressed.	Disable the Lockout switch located on the back of the device. *(See Section 3)*
Illegal when Line Delivering	Attempt to select program other than Dose Calculation while a Basic program is delivering on this line.	Select ▲ *[Cancel/ Back]* or press [CLEAR]. Pressing [CLEAR] invokes another message.

MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Input digits > max allowed	Attempt to input digit that would exceed the number of decimal places allowed for defined value except Dose and Rate.	Press [CLEAR] hardkey.
Input value > max allowed	Attempt to input number that would cause field to exceed its defined limit. In the Drug amount, Diluent amount, VTBI, Duration, Patient Weight, Distal pressure, and Delayed Start time fields, the Software shall display '---', and the user must press the Clear hard key and input a valid value.	Press [CLEAR] hardkey.
Maximum value reached	The display contrast/ intensity has reached its maximum value.	User can select ▲ *[Enter]* or ▲ *[Cancel/Back]*.
Minimum value reached	The display contrast/ intensity has reached its minimum value.	User can select ▲ *[Enter]* or ▲ *[Cancel/Back]*.
No delivery programmed	Delivery attempt at Main Delivery Screen when A and B have both Rate and VTBI equal to zero (no delivery programmed).	Select a line to program, or ▲ *[Options]* or ▲ *[Backprime]*.
Rate must be > 0 mL/hr	Delivery attempt when VTBI is non-zero but rate is zero.	Use number keypad to enter a value.

MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Soft Lockout Enabled	While the Soft Lockout is enabled and no Alarm is active, either 1) any key besides Stop is pressed during delivery, or 2) any key is pressed while stopped.	Disable the Soft Lockout. *(See Section 3)*
VTBI must be > 0	Delivery attempt when rate is non-zero but VTBI is zero.	Use number keypad to enter a value.
Value is too high	Attempt to move cursor from field whose input value is too high.	Use number keypad to enter a value.
Value is too low	Attempt to move cursor from field requiring a non-default value.	Use number keypad to enter a value.
Weight change affects Line A/B	Selecting the weight field on line while a weight-based program is entered on other line.	Use number keypad to enter a value.
Minimum Dose X.xx	Attempt to start program with Dose less than lower hard Dose limit n.nn.	Use number keypad to enter a value.
Maximum Dose X.xx	Attempt to start program with Dose greater than upper hard Dose limit n.nn. Attempt to input a Dose greater than the upper Hard Limit.	The Software will display '---', and the user must press the [CLEAR] hard key and input a valid value.

MESSAGE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Minimum Rate X mL/hr	Attempt to start mL/hr program with Rate less than lower hard Dose limit nn.n.	Use number keypad to enter a value.
Maximum Rate X mL/hr	Attempt to start mL/hr program with Rate greater than the upper Hard Limit or CCA Maximum Volumetric Rate n. Attempt to input a Rate greater than the upper Hard Limit or CCA Maximum Volumetric Rate n.	The Software will display '---', and the user must press the [CLEAR] hard key and input a valid value.

SECTION 8

Cleaning, Maintenance, and Storage

The cleaning, maintenance, and storage of the Plum A+ are described in this section.

CLEANING AND SANITIZING

For proper maintenance of the Plum A+, observe the following cleaning and sanitizing guidelines.

Establish a routine weekly schedule for cleaning the infuser. To clean, proceed as follows:

• Turn the Plum A+ off using the [ON/OFF] switch

• Disconnect from AC (mains) power

The exposed surfaces of the Plum A+ may be cleaned with a lint-free cloth dampened by one of the recommended cleaning solutions in the following list or mild, nonabrasive soapy water.

Clean the cassette door with a soft, lint-free cloth, dampened with one of the cleaning agents listed in the following table, or a mild solution of soapy water. Use a small non-abrasive brush to aid in cleaning the infusion system housing and subsystem chassis components. To thoroughly clean the cassette receptacle, disengage the cassette door from the door latch by pressing the door release tab.

CAUTION: **DO NOT ALLOW CLEANING SOLUTIONS TO SATURATE THE AIR-IN-LINE DETECTORS OR ENTER THE DEVICE WHEN CLEANING THE AIR-IN-LINE DETECTORS.**

CLEANING SOLUTION	MANUFACTURER	PREPARATION
Coverage™HBV	Steris Corporation, A division of Calgon Vestal Laboratories	Per manufacturer's recommendation
Formula C ™	Diversey Corporation	Per manufacturer's recommendation
Dispatch™	Caltech Industries	Per manufacturer's recommendation
Precise™	Caltech Industries	Per manufacturer's recommendation
Household bleach	Various	Per hospital procedures; do not exceed one part bleach in ten parts water
Manu-Klenz™	Calgon Vestal Laboratories	Per manufacturer's recommendation
Sporicidin™	Sporicidin International	Per manufacturer's recommendation
Super Edisonite™	S. M. Edison Co.	Per manufacturer's recommendation

The rubber pad on the Plum A+3 pole clamp, as well as the IV poles for both instruments, may be cleaned using isopropyl alcohol.

On a routine basis, clean all of the elements behind the cassette door using cotton-tipped swabs saturated with cleaning solution. The cassette door may be unlatched from the door handle to facilitate cleaning.

To unlatch the cassette door from its handle, tilt the device back, open the cassette door, then push the door release tab to open the door fully.

CAUTION: TO AVOID MECHANICAL OR ELECTRONIC DAMAGE, DO NOT IMMERSE THE PLUM A+ IN ANY FLUIDS OR CLEANING SOLUTIONS.

CAUTION: DO NOT SPRAY CLEANING SOLUTIONS TOWARD ANY OPENING IN THE INSTRUMENT.

CAUTION: CERTAIN CLEANING AND SANITIZING SOLUTIONS MAY SLOWLY DEGRADE COMPONENTS MADE FROM SOME PLASTIC MATERIALS. USING ABRASIVE CLEANERS OR CLEANING SOLUTIONS NOT RECOMMENDED BY HOSPIRA MAY RESULT IN PRODUCT DAMAGE. DO NOT USE COMPOUNDS CONTAINING COMBINATIONS OF ISOPROPYL ALCOHOL AND DIMETHYL BENZYL AMMONIUM CHLORIDE.

CAUTION: NEVER USE SHARP OBJECTS SUCH AS FINGERNAILS, PAPER CLIPS, OR NEEDLES TO CLEAN ANY PART OF THE INFUSER.

CAUTION: DO NOT STERILIZE BY HEAT, STEAM, ETHYLENE OXIDE (ETO), OR RADIATION.

CAUTION: TO AVOID INFUSER DAMAGE, CLEANING SOLUTIONS SHOULD ONLY BE USED AS DIRECTED. THE DISINFECTING PROPERTIES OF CLEANING SOLUTIONS VARY; CONSULT THE MANUFACTURER FOR SPECIFIC INFORMATION.

BATTERY MAINTENANCE

CAUTION: DO NOT OPERATE THE INFUSER ON PATIENTS WITH THE BATTERY REMOVED. USE OF A PROPERLY MAINTAINED AND CHARGED BATTERY HELPS CONFIRM PROPER OPERATION.

CAUTION: IF THE LOW-BATTERY ALARM SOUNDS, CONNECT TO AC (MAINS) POWER IMMEDIATELY.

The Plum A+ is battery powered for emergency backup and temporary portable operation. A fully charged, new battery provides 3 hours of operation at 125 mL/hr, or delivers 250 mL total volume if pumping at a rate of 126 mL/hr or greater, whichever occurs first.

NOTE: For optimum battery life, the Plum A+ should be operated on battery power for three continuous hours at least

once every six months and then charged for a minimum of six hours.

The battery charges whenever connected to AC (mains) power. If the infuser is switched OFF, recharge takes approximately six hours. Recharge takes longer if the infuser is turned ON.

As a general rule, the more often the battery is partially discharged and recharged, the sooner it will need to be replaced. Consult a qualified biomedical technician for battery replacement if necessary.

To maintain maximum battery charge and to prolong battery life, connect the infuser to AC (mains) power whenever possible.

When the infuser is used without wireless, the operation times may be proportionally longer.

STORAGE

To prolong the life of the Plum A+, observe the following storage precautions:

• Store the away from excessive heat, cold, and humidity
• Store connected to AC (mains) power
• Switch the infuser OFF using the [ON/OFF] key

SERVICE

All servicing or adjustments to the Plum A+ should be referred to qualified technical personnel. A technical service manual may be ordered from the local Hospira sales office.

SECTION 9
Specifications

NOTE: Specification information applies to both systems (Plum A+ & Plum A+3) unless otherwise noted.

Physical

Dimensions:	**Plum A+**- Approximately 8" X 8" X 6", excluding pole clamp protrusion and power cord storage. **Plum A+3**- Approximately 19" X 15" X 14", including pole clamp, barcode wand holder, and power cord.
Weight:	**Plum A+**- Approximately 9.5 lbs. with battery. **Plum A+3**- Approximately 28 lbs. with (3) batteries.
Casing:	High-impact plastic.

Electrical

Power Requirements:	**Plum A+**- 100-120V, 50-60 Hz, 50 VA. Meets UL 60601-1. **Plum A+3**- 100-120V, 50-60 Hz, 150 VA.
Fuses:	Internal and non-replaceable
Power Cord:	Hospital-grade AC cord. 10 ft long, with transparent plug and retainer plate.
Battery:	**Plum A+**- One sealed, lead-acid, rechargeable 6 V battery, internal to device. **Plum A+3**- Three sealed, lead-acid, rechargeable 6 V batteries, internal to device.

Battery Life:	With a new fully charged battery, the infuser operates for a minimum of three hours at 125 mL/hr or less, or delivers 250 mL if > 126 mL/hr. (Time is measured from initial pumping to Depleted Battery Alarm)
Recharge:	The battery charges whenever the infuser is connected to AC power. The recharge time is approximately six hours with the device operating at 125 mL/hr on one line.
Electrical Leakage:	Meets IEC 60601-1 standard: Medical Electronic Equipment, Part 1: General Requirements for Safety.
NURSE-CALL System:	NURSE-CALL alarm is factory set for Normally-Open (NO)
	Contact the Technical Services Center to make an internal adjustment to change the device from Normally-Open (NO) to Normally Closed (NC) system.
Circuitry Ratings:	Voltage-30 VDC Max
	Current- 0.25 Amps Max
	Contact Rating- 3 Watts Max

Wireless LAN Upgrade Module

Device Name:	Hospira MedNet 802.11 a/b/g Wireless (Upgrade) Module
Standards:	IEEE802.11a/b/g
Transmit Power:	802.11 b/g- 17 dBm 802.11 a- 16 dBm
Antenna:	Integrated surface mount antenna
Certifications:	FCC Part 15.247, 15.407 IC RSS-210, RSS-102
This Device Contains:	FCC ID: STJ80411396001 IC: 5627A- 80411396 Model: CUSTOM DWL-AG132

VTBI Range

VTBI Range:	0.1 to 99.9 mL (in 0.1 mL increments)
	100 to 9999 mL (in 1 mL increments)

Environment

Operating Temperature:	5° to 40° C
Storage Temperature:	-20° to 60° C
Atmospheric Pressure:	0 - 10,000 feet (0 - 3,000m) or equivalent pressure
Relative Humidity:	10 - 90% (40° C Max)

Delivery Rate Range

Lines A and B:	0.1 - 99.9 mL/hr (in 0.1 mL increments)
	100 - 999 mL/hr (in 1 mL increments)
Concurrent Delivery:	0.5 mL/hr minimum for each line
PlumSet:	500 mL/hr cumulative (A+B) maximum
KVO:	1.0 mL/hr or the last primary delivery rate, whichever is less

Air-in-Line Alarm

PlumSet (Distal):	Bolus 0.1 mL or larger.
	Cumulative 0.25 mL out of 4.9 mL.
PlumSet (Proximal):	Bolus at 0.5 mL, Total 1.0 mL

Occlusion Alarm and Limits

Distal Occlusion: The DISTAL OCCLUSION alarm sounds after the distal set tubing or set outlet fitting becomes occluded.

Proximal Occlusion: The PROXIMAL OCCLUSION alarm sounds if the tubing proximal to the cassette becomes occluded.

Distal Pressure Limit (without alarm): 1 to 15 psig. The maximum pressure is user-selectable. Factory default setting is 6 psig.

Maximum Infusion Pressure: 20 psig

Time To Detect Downstream Occlusions

RATE	OCCLUSION ALARM PRESSURE SETTING	TYPICAL TIME TO ALARM (MACRO)	MAXIMUM TIME TO ALARM (MACRO)
25 mL/hr	6 psig	38 seconds	47 seconds
	15 psig	98 seconds	106 seconds
1 mL/hr	6 psig	17 minutes	22 minutes
	15 psig	45 minutes	49 minutes

* Baseline backpressure is 0 psig *

Bolus Volume Released After Downstream Occlusions Are Corrected

RATE	OCCLUSION ALARM PRESSURE SETTING	TYPICAL BOLUS VOLUME (MACRO)	MAXIMUM BOLUS VOLUME (MACRO)
25 mL/hr	6 psig	0.23 mL	0.28 mL
	15 psig	0.55 mL	0.63 mL
1 mL/hr	6 psig	0.24 mL	0.30 mL
	15 psig	0.59 mL	0.70 mL

* Baseline backpressure is 0 psig *

Delivery Accuracy

The Plum A+ Infuser was designed and manufactured to maintain a volumetric delivery rate error of the total fluid delivered of less than or equal to ± 5% over the course of 48 hours at a programmed rate of 1 to 999 mL/hr during normal operating conditions. For use of the device at rates below 1 mL/hr, the delivery rate error is less than or equal to ± 10%.

Backpressure Effect- Positive backpressure on the distal line may affect delivery accuracy by no more than 0.5% per psig (2% per psig for rates between 0.1 and 0.9 mL/hr) for backpressures up to 15 psig. A typical deviation under these conditions is 0.3%. Negative backpressure may affect delivery accuracy no more than 2% for pressures up to -2 psig (56 inches of water). A typical deviation under these conditions is 0.3%.

Filling Head Effect- Variations in filling head (such as container height) may affect delivery accuracy by no more than 2% for variations in the range -15 to +28 inches. A typical deviation under these conditions is 0.5%.

Concurrent Delivery Effect- When both lines (A & B) are delivering, the ratio of delivery for the fluid with the lowest rate may be affected by as much as 5% for ratios up to 9 to 1.   For higher ratios, the absolute percentage of delivery for the lowest rate may be affected by no more than 0.5%. When air is present in the bubble trap, the absolute percentage of delivery for the lowest rate may be affected by up to 2.0%. When variations in container height are present, the absolute percentage of delivery for the lowest rate may be affected by up to 2.5% for up to 24 inches of container height differences.

Enteral & High Viscosity Fluids Effects

System delivery accuracy limits for each Enteral and High Viscosity Fluid, such as those listed in the following table, can be degraded by an additional maximum of 5%. System accuracy for Enteral Fluids is defined only for rates of 1 to 200 mL/hr, with no

suspended air in the solution, and using an Hospira Plum enteral set.

ENTERAL/HIGH VISCOSITY FLUIDS
Dextrose 20% to 50% concentration
Isomil™ Powder
Similac™ Powder
Ensure Plus HN™
Twocal HN™
Jevity™

Trumpet Curves

The Trumpet Curve Graphs following the Example show representative maximum and minimum percent flow rate deviation from the programmed rate over time. This information was developed in accordance with IEC 60601-2-24: 1998, Sub-Clause 50.102. Refer to this standard for detailed information.

How to read a Trumpet Curve Graph (Refer to example on the following page): The graphs following the Example plot flow rates at 30 second intervals for the first 2 hours and for the 96th hour of delivery. The graph plots mean delivery rate error (Average of 3 infusers) for the 2nd hour and the 96th hour as a straight line. The graph also presents maximum and minimum average delivery rate error for this interval plotted by averaging delivery errors over intervals of 2, 5, 11, 19 and 31 minutes ("Trumpet Curve").

Note that at extremely low flow rates (that is, 0.1–0.3 mL/hr) and at non-standard negative back pressures (-1 psi), the accuracy error rate can be up to ±25%.
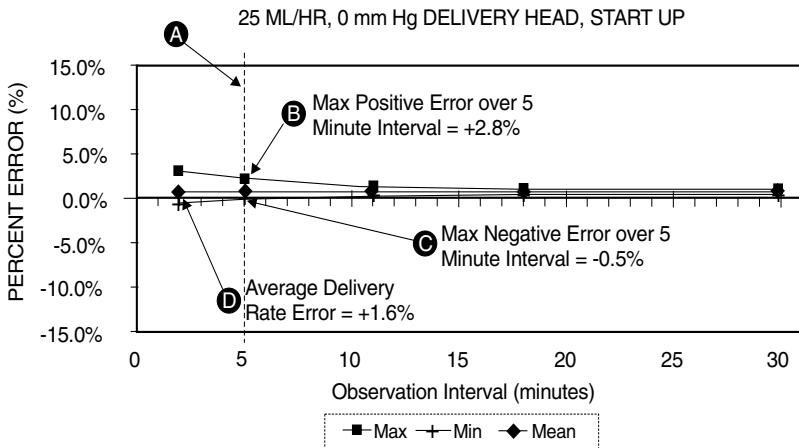
EXAMPLE

From the Trumpet Curve Graph sample that follows, find the 5 minute interval (A) at the horizontal axis and read the corresponding points (B) and (C) on the vertical axis. The values are approximately +2.8% and -0.5%.

This means that at the rate of 25 mL/hr the average maximum flow rate fluctuation for any 5 minute time interval during the 2nd hour of operation was within the limits of +2.8% and -0.5% from the nominal rate. The average delivery rate error over the entire 2nd hour was +1.6% (D).
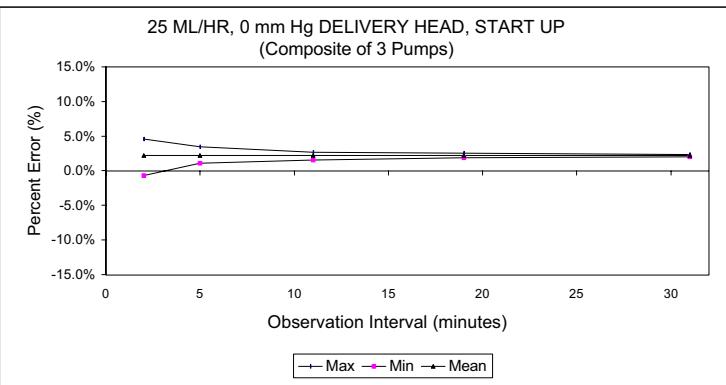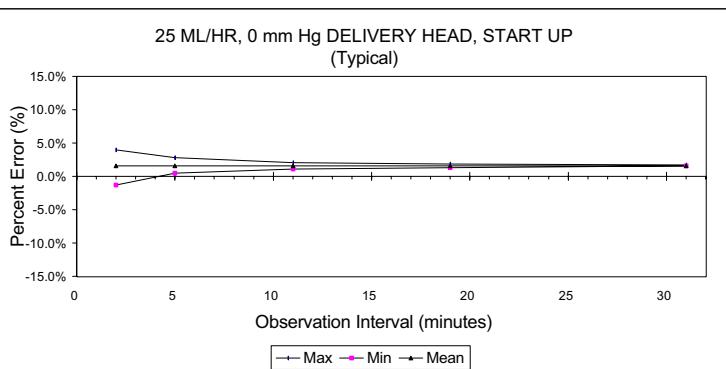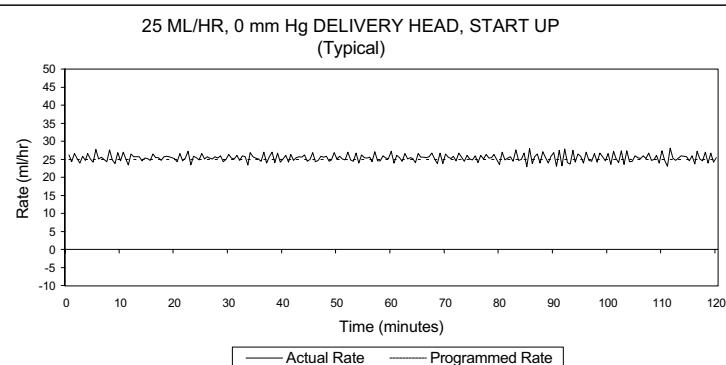
For other time intervals look at other points at the horizontal axis and determine corresponding limits as above.


25 ML/HR, 0 mm Hg DELIVERY HEAD, START UP
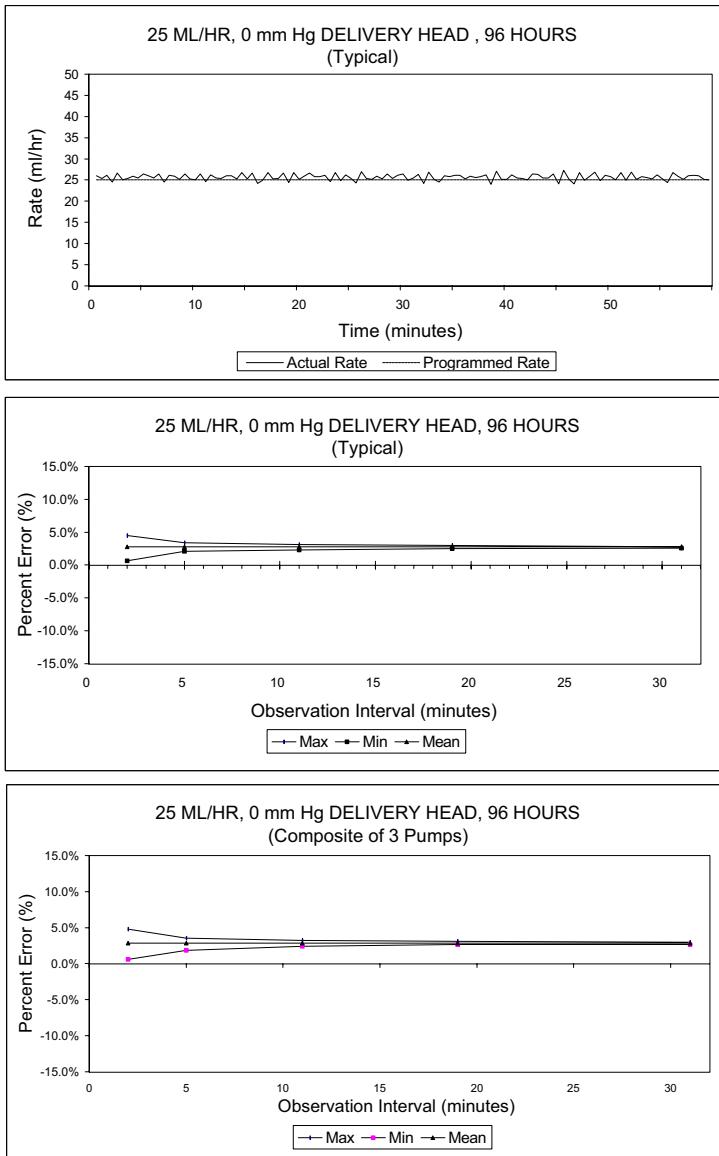
A trained professional can use the resulting graphs to select an infuser with the appropriate startup and flow characteristics to suit the clinical application.

NOTE: As an example of how the trumpet curves can be used, consider the maximum and minimum deviations at the 5-minute average interval. The upper curve provides the maximum expected delivery rate error over a 5-minute interval, the lower curve provides the minimum expected delivery rate error over a 5-minute interval. An example would be Dopamine administered at 5 µgm/kg/min. At 5 minutes, the average drug delivery error would be within the range of +2.8% and -0.5% of the expected nominal rate.
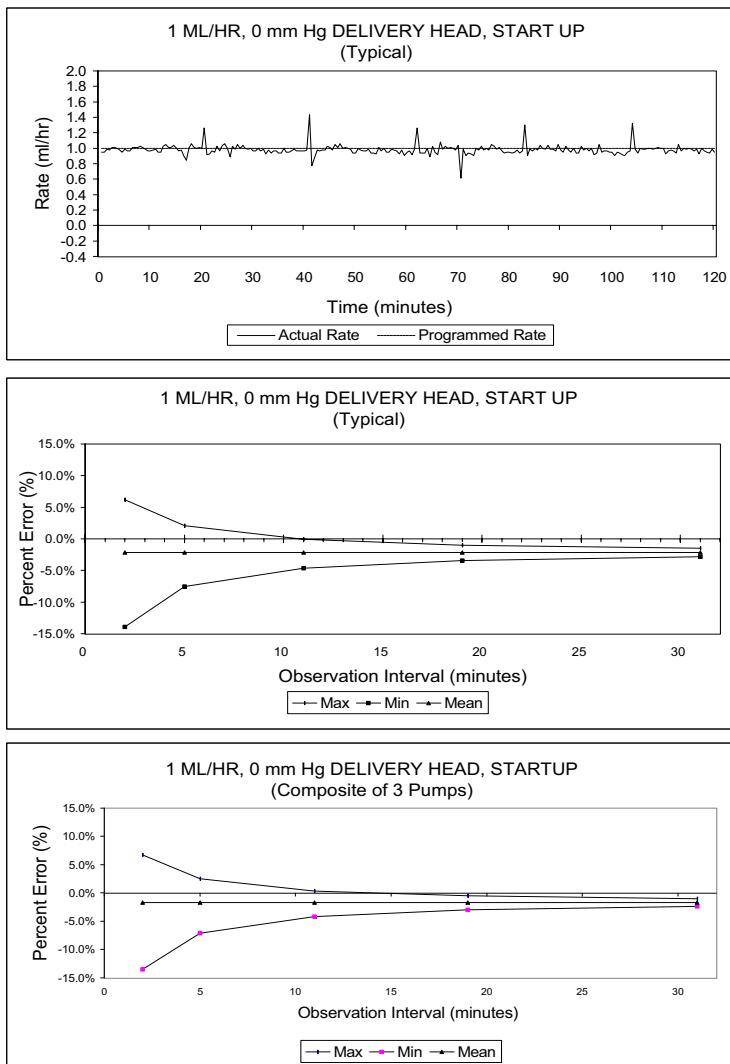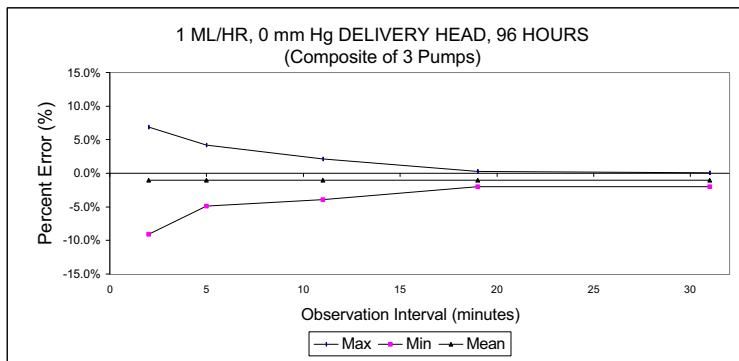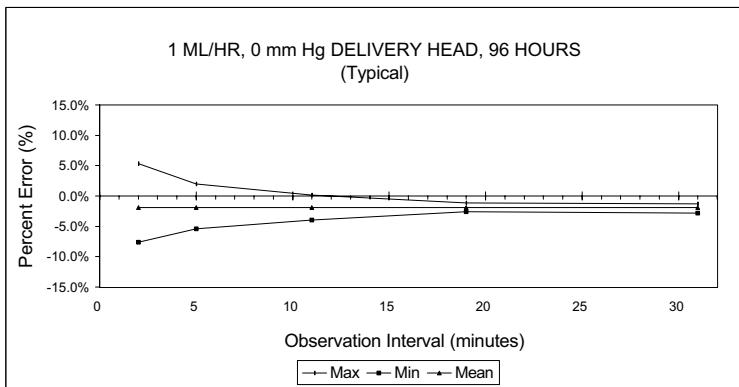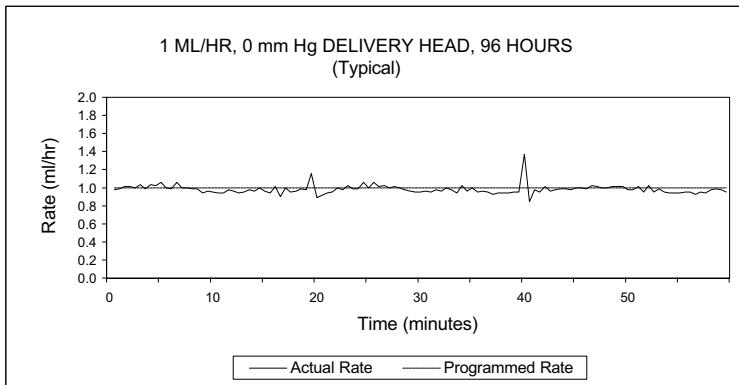
25 ML/HR, 0 mm Hg DELIVERY HEAD, START UP
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25 ML/HR, 0 mm Hg DELIVERY HEAD, START UP
(Composite of 3 Pumps)

25 ML/HR, 0 mm Hg DELIVERY HEAD , 96 HOURS
(Typical)

25 ML/HR, 0 mm Hg DELIVERY HEAD, 96 HOURS
(Typical)

25 ML/HR, 0 mm Hg DELIVERY HEAD, 96 HOURS
(Composite of 3 Pumps)

1 ML/HR, 0 mm Hg DELIVERY HEAD, START UP
(Typical)

1 ML/HR, 0 mm Hg DELIVERY HEAD, START UP
(Typical)

1 ML/HR, 0 mm Hg DELIVERY HEAD, STARTUP
(Composite of 3 Pumps)

1 ML/HR, 0 mm Hg DELIVERY HEAD, 96 HOURS
(Typical)

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1 ML/HR, 0 mm Hg DELIVERY HEAD, 96 HOURS
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SECTION 10
Supplies and Accessories

Administration Fluids

ADMINISTRATION FLUIDS

- All parenteral fluids
- Whole Blood
- Blood fractions

ENTERAL AND HIGH VISCOSITY FLUIDS

- Dextrose 20% to 50% concentration
- Isomil Powder
- Similac Powder
- Ensure plus HN
- TwoCal HN
- Packed red cells

CONTAINERS

- Dual Chamber Parenteral flexible container (Nutrimix™)
- Large Volume Parenteral flexible plastic containers, including premixed
- Large Volume Parenteral glass containers, including premixed and nutritional
- Part Fill Parenteral flexible plastic containers, including ADD-Vantage™
- Part Fill Parenteral glass containers
- Small Volume Parenterals
- Syringes (may require special adapters)
- Top Filled Enteral bags
- Ready to hang Enteral solution containers

Accessories

GENERAL

- Syringe Adapter- List# 11986-48
- Mini Pole- List# 12096-04
- Secondary Container Support- List# 12095-03
- Tandem Carrier- List# 12270-01
- Plum A+3 IV Pole (upright)- 12577-04-01
- Plum A+3 IV Pole (base)- 12576-04-01

NETWORKED APPLICATION

- Hospira MedNet Medication Management Server Suite (MMSS)
- *Hospira MedNet Plug 'n Play Module
  List# 20677-04

* = For use with Hospira Plum A+ Infusers
Lists 11971-04 & 12391-04

NOTE: Contact Advanced Knowledge Center at **1-800-241-4002** for current listing of accessories.

Warranty

Subject to the terms and conditions herein, Hospira, Inc., herein referred to as Hospira, warrants that (a) the product shall conform to Hospira's standard specifications and be free from defects in material and workmanship under normal use and service for a period of one year after purchase, and (b) the replaceable battery shall be free from defects in material and workmanship under normal use and service for a period of 90 days after purchase. Hospira makes no other warranties, express or implied, as to merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose, or any other matter.

Purchaser's exclusive remedy shall be, at Hospira's option, the repair or replacement of the product. In no event shall Hospira's liability arising out of any cause whatsoever (whether such cause be based in contract, negligence, strict liability, other tort, or otherwise) exceed the price of such product, and in no event shall Hospira be liable for incidental, consequential, or special damages or losses or for lost business, revenues, or profits. Warranty product returned to Hospira must be properly packaged and sent freight prepaid.

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SECTION 12
Default Drug Library (DDL)

NOTE: This list is only accurate if no custom drug library has been developed using the Hospira MedNet accessory. Once a custom drug library has been developed, this list will no longer be accessible. Only Hospira personnel can re-install the DDL.

Use drug manufacturer recommendations for IV administration when using the Plum A+ infusion infuser.

DRUG NAME	DEFAULT DOSE RATE	DEFAULT CONCENTRATION
No Drug Selected	mL/hr	N/A
Abciximab	mcg/kg/min	mg/mL
Acyclovir	mL/hr	N/A
Albumin	mL/hr	N/A
Aldesleukin	mL/hr	N/A
Alfentanil	mcg/kg/min	mcg/mL
Alteplase (rt-PA)	mg/kg/hr	mg/mL
Amikacin	mL/hr	N/A
Aminophylline	mg/hr	mg/mL
Amiodarone	mg/min	mg/mL
Amphotericin B	mL/hr	N/A
Ampicillin	mL/hr	N/A
Atracurium	mL/hr	N/A
Azithromycin	mL/hr	N/A
Bleomycin	mL/hr	N/A
Blood Products	mL/hr	N/A
Bretylium	mg/min	mg/mL
Carboplatin	mL/hr	N/A

DRUG NAME	DEFAULT DOSE RATE	DEFAULT CONCENTRATION
Cefazolin	mL/hr	N/A
Cefepime	mL/hr	N/A
CefoPERAZONE	mL/hr	N/A
CefoTAXIME	mL/hr	N/A
CefoTETAN	mL/hr	N/A
CefoXITIN	mL/hr	N/A
CeftAZIDime	mL/hr	N/A
CeftIZOXime	mL/hr	N/A
Ceftriaxone	mL/hr	N/A
Cefuroxime	mL/hr	N/A
Cimetidine	mL/hr	N/A
Ciprofloxacin	mL/hr	N/A
Cisplatin	mL/hr	N/A
Clindamycin	mL/hr	N/A
Cotrimoxazole	mL/hr	N/A
Cytarabine	mL/hr	N/A
Diltiazem	mg/hr	mg/mL
DOBUTamine	mcg/kg/min	mg/mL
Docetaxel	mL/hr	N/A
DOPamine	mcg/kg/min	mg/mL
DOXOrubicin	mL/hr	N/A
Epinephrine	mcg/min	mg/mL
Epoprostenol	ng/kg/min	mg/mL
Eptifibatide	mcg/kg/min	mg/mL
Erythromycin	mL/hr	N/A
Esmolol	mcg/kg/min	mg/mL
Etoposide	mL/hr	N/A
Famotidine	mL/hr	N/A

Drug Name	Default Dose Rate	Default Concentration
Fentanyl	mL/hr	N/A
Fluconazole	mL/hr	N/A
Flumazenil	mL/hr	N/A
Fluorouracil	mL/hr	N/A
Furosemide	mL/hr	N/A
Gatifloxacin	mL/hr	N/A
Gentamicin	mL/hr	N/A
Heparin	units/kg/hr	units/mL
Hydromorphone	mL/hr	N/A
Ifosfamide	mL/hr	N/A
Insulin	units/hr	units/mL
Labetalol	mg/min	mg/mL
Lepirudin	mg/kg/hr	mg/mL
Leucovorin	mL/hr	N/A
Levofloxacin	mL/hr	N/A
Lidocaine	mg/min	grams/mL
Lorazepam	mL/hr	N/A
Magnesium	grams/hr	grams/mL
Mannitol	grams/hr	grams/mL
Mesna	mL/hr	N/A
MethoHEXITAL	mL/hr	N/A
MethoTREXATE	mL/hr	N/A
Metoclopramide	mL/hr	N/A
Metronidazole	mL/hr	N/A
Midazolam	mL/hr	N/A
Milrinone	mcg/kg/min	mg/mL
Morphine	mg/hr	mg/mL
Nafcillin	mL/hr	N/A

DRUG NAME	DEFAULT DOSE RATE	DEFAULT CONCENTRATION
NitroGLYCERIN	mcg/min	mg/mL
NitroPRUSSIDE	mcg/kg/min	mg/mL
Norepinephrine	mcg/min	mg/mL
Ofloxacin	mL/hr	N/A
Ondansetron	mL/hr	N/A
Oxacillin	mL/hr	N/A
Oxytocin	mUn/min	units/mL
Paclitaxel	mL/hr	N/A
Pantoprazole	mg/min	mg/mL
Penicillin	mL/hr	N/A
Pentobarbital	mL/hr	N/A
Phenylephrine	mcg/min	mg/mL
Piperacillin	mL/hr	N/A
Potassium	mEq/hr	mEq/mL
Procainamide	mg/min	grams/mL
Propofol	mcg/kg/min	mg/mL
Ranitidine	mL/hr	N/A
STREPTOkinase	units/hr	units/mL
Theophylline	mg/kg/hr	mg/mL
Ticar-clavulanate	mL/hr	N/A
Tirofiban	mcg/kg/min	mg/mL
Tobramycin	mL/hr	N/A
UROkinase	mL/hr	N/A
Vancomycin	mL/hr	N/A
Verapamil	mL/hr	N/A
VinCRIStine	mL/hr	N/A

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1-877-9-HOSPIRA (1-877-946-7747)

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1-800-241-4002

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www.hospiraparts.com

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For Systems With Hospira MedNet Software

CAUTION: FEDERAL (USA) LAW RESTRICTS THIS INFUSER TO SALE BY OR ON THE ORDER OF A PHYSICIAN OR OTHER LICENSED PRACTITIONER.

WARNING

POSSIBLE EXPLOSION HAZARD EXISTS IF THE INFUSER IS USED IN THE PRESENCE OF FLAMMABLE ANESTHETICS.

Symbol	Description	Symbol	Description
Type CF	Per IEC 60601-1 F-Type Applied Part complying with the highest degree of protection against electric shock. Type CF Applied Parts are those parts suitable for direct cardiac application.		Fragile, Handle with Care
IPX1	Protection against vertically falling water drops.		Keep Dry
Class 1	Mains supply equipment using protective earth.	✓EN-2	Compliant to IEC/EN 60601-1-2 (2001)
CSA® C US UL 60601-1 CSA 601.1 MCN 160992	The 'C' and 'US' indicators adjacent to the CSA Mark signify that the product has been evaluated to the applicable CSA and ANSI/UL Standards, for use in Canada and the U.S., respectively. This 'US' indicator includes products eligible to bear the 'NRTL' indicator. NRTL, i.e., National Recognized Testing Laboratory, is a designation granted by the U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) to laboratories which have been recognized to perform certification to U.S. Standards.		Temperature Limitation
		⚠	Caution or Attention: Consult Accompanying Documents
			This Way Up
FC	Complies with limits for Class B digital device established by FCC Rules, Part 15	(((•)))	WIFI enabled and complies with IEEE 802.11 a/b/g