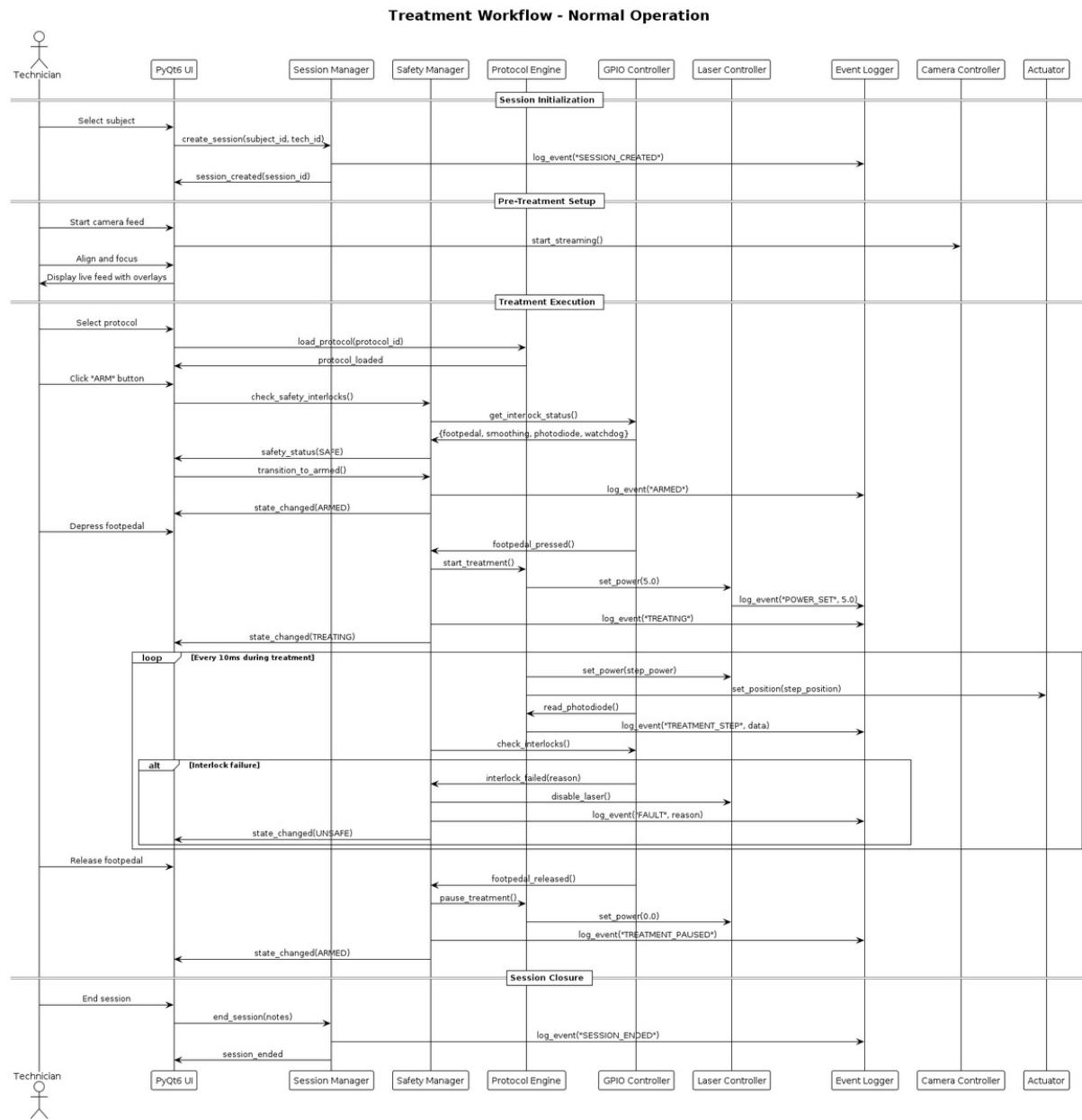


# TOSCA Laser Control System - Treatment Protocol Engine

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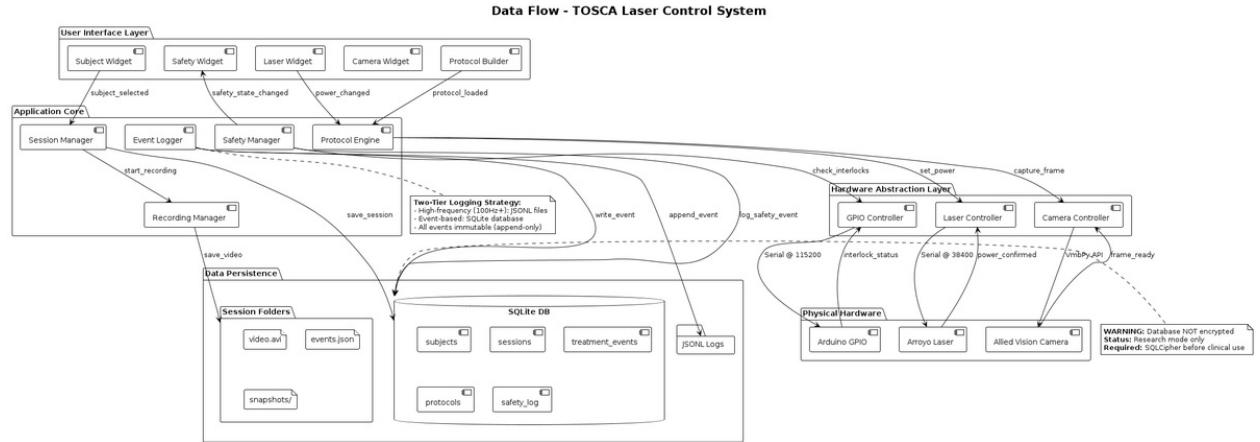
## Architecture Diagrams

**Figure 1: TOSCA Treatment Workflow Sequence**



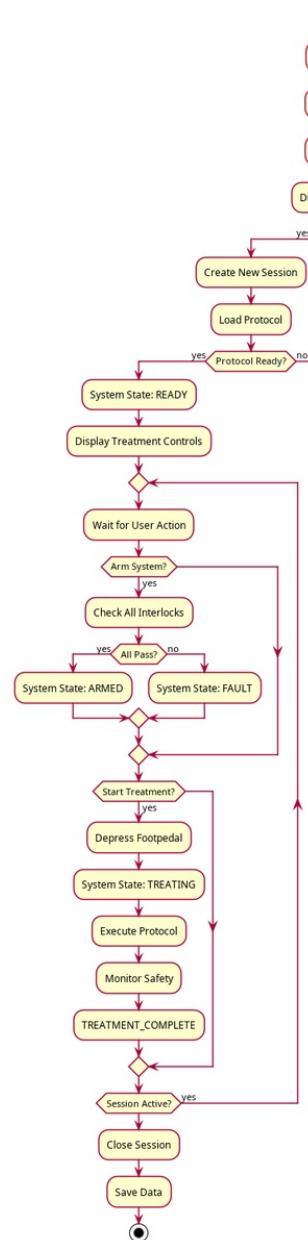
TOSCA Treatment Workflow Sequence

**Figure 2: TOSCA Data Flow Diagram**



TOSCA Data Flow Diagram

**Figure 3: session-workflow**



session-workflow

**WARNING: DEPRECATED DOCUMENT**

This document describes an older step-based protocol model that has been superseded.

**Current Design:** See [06\\_protocol\\_builder.md](#) for the action-based protocol engine (current implementation).

**Status:** Kept for historical reference only. Do not implement new features based on this document.

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## Overview

The Treatment Protocol Engine executes pre-defined or custom treatment plans, controlling laser power and ring size over time. It provides:

- Pre-configured protocol templates
- Real-time protocol execution with precise timing
- Power ramping (constant, linear, custom curves)
- Ring size control via actuator positioning
- In-treatment protocol adjustments
- Complete execution logging

## Protocol Data Model

### Protocol JSON Schema

```
{
  "$schema": "http://json-schema.org/draft-07/schema#",
  "type": "object",
  "required": ["protocol_name", "version", "steps"],
  "properties": {
    "protocol_name": {
      "type": "string",
      "description": "Unique protocol identifier"
    },
    "version": {
      "type": "string",
      "description": "Protocol version (semantic versioning)"
    },
    "description": {
      "type": "string"
    },
    "created_date": {
      "type": "string",
      "format": "date-time"
    },
    "safety_limits": {
      "type": "object",
      "properties": {
        "max_power_watts": {"type": "number"},
        "max_duration_seconds": {"type": "number"},
        "min_ring_size_mm": {"type": "number"},
        "max_ring_size_mm": {"type": "number"}
      }
    },
    "steps": {
      "type": "array",
      "minItems": 1,
      "items": {
        "type": "object",
        "required": ["step_number", "duration_seconds", "power_start_watts", "power_end_watts", "ring_size_mm"],
        "properties": {
          "step_number": {
            "type": "integer",
            "minimum": 1
          },
          "duration_seconds": {
            "type": "number",
            "minimum": 0
          },
          "power_start_watts": {
            "type": "number",
            "minimum": 0
          },
          "power_end_watts": {
            "type": "number",
            "minimum": 0
          },
          "ring_size_mm": {
            "type": "number",
            "minimum": 0
          },
          "ramp_type": {
            "type": "string",
            "enum": ["constant", "linear", "logarithmic", "exponential"]
          },
          "notes": {
            "type": "string"
          }
        }
      }
    }
  }
}
```

## Example Protocols

### 1. Constant Power Treatment

```
{
  "protocol_name": "Standard_SW_60s",
  "version": "1.0.0",
  "description": "5 watts constant power for 60 seconds at 3mm ring",
  "created_date": "2025-10-15T10:00:00Z",
  "steps": [
    {
      "step_number": 1,
      "duration_seconds": 60,
      "power_start_watts": 5,
      "power_end_watts": 5,
      "ring_size_mm": 3
    }
  ]
}
```

```

"safety_limits": {
    "max_power_watts": 6.0,
    "max_duration_seconds": 90,
    "min_ring_size_mm": 2.5,
    "max_ring_size_mm": 4.0
},
"steps": [
    {
        "step_number": 1,
        "duration_seconds": 60,
        "power_start_watts": 5.0,
        "power_end_watts": 5.0,
        "ring_size_mm": 3.0,
        "ramp_type": "constant",
        "notes": "Maintain steady 5W throughout"
    }
]
}

```

## 2. Linear Power Ramp

```

{
    "protocol_name": "Ramp_2to8W_90s",
    "version": "1.0.0",
    "description": "Linear ramp from 2W to 8W over 90 seconds",
    "created_date": "2025-10-15T10:00:00Z",
    "safety_limits": {
        "max_power_watts": 10.0,
        "max_duration_seconds": 120
    },
    "steps": [
        {
            "step_number": 1,
            "duration_seconds": 90,
            "power_start_watts": 2.0,
            "power_end_watts": 8.0,
            "ring_size_mm": 3.5,
            "ramp_type": "linear",
            "notes": "Smooth linear increase"
        }
    ]
}

```

## 3. Multi-Step Treatment

```

{
    "protocol_name": "MultiStep_Therapeutic",
    "version": "1.0.0",
    "description": "Warm-up, treatment, and cool-down phases",
    "created_date": "2025-10-15T10:00:00Z",
    "safety_limits": {
        "max_power_watts": 10.0,
        "max_duration_seconds": 300
    },
    "steps": [
        {
            "step_number": 1,
            "duration_seconds": 30,
            "power_start_watts": 1.0,
            "power_end_watts": 3.0,
            "ring_size_mm": 4.0,
            "ramp_type": "linear",
            "notes": "Warm-up phase - gradual power increase"
        },
        {
            "step_number": 2,
            "duration_seconds": 90,
            "power_start_watts": 5.0,
            "power_end_watts": 5.0,
            "ring_size_mm": 3.0,
            "ramp_type": "constant",
            "notes": "Treatment phase - steady 5W"
        },
        {
            "step_number": 3,
            "duration_seconds": 60,
            "power_start_watts": 5.0,
            "power_end_watts": 8.0,
            "ring_size_mm": 3.0,
            "ramp_type": "linear",
            "notes": "Intensification phase"
        },
        {
            "step_number": 4,
            "duration_seconds": 30,
            "power_start_watts": 8.0,
            "power_end_watts": 2.0,
            "ring_size_mm": 3.5,
            "ramp_type": "linear",
            "notes": "Cool-down phase"
        }
    ]
}

```

## 4. Variable Ring Size

```

{
    "protocol_name": "Variable_Ring_Treatment",
    "version": "1.0.0",
    "description": "Treatment with changing ring size",
    "created_date": "2025-10-15T10:00:00Z",
    "safety_limits": {
        "max_power_watts": 7.0,
        "max_duration_seconds": 180
    },
    "steps": [
        {
            "step_number": 1,

```

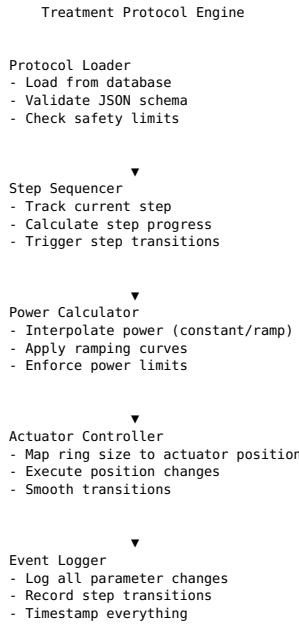
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        "duration_seconds": 60,
        "power_start_watts": 5.0,
        "power_end_watts": 5.0,
        "ring_size_mm": 2.5,
        "ramp_type": "constant",
        "notes": "Small ring - concentrated treatment"
    },
    {
        "step_number": 2,
        "duration_seconds": 60,
        "power_start_watts": 5.0,
        "power_end_watts": 5.0,
        "ring_size_mm": 3.5,
        "ramp_type": "constant",
        "notes": "Medium ring"
    },
    {
        "step_number": 3,
        "duration_seconds": 60,
        "power_start_watts": 5.0,
        "power_end_watts": 5.0,
        "ring_size_mm": 4.5,
        "ramp_type": "constant",
        "notes": "Large ring - wide coverage"
    }
]
}

```

## Protocol Execution Engine

### Engine Architecture



### Core Implementation

```

from dataclasses import dataclass
from enum import Enum
import time
import json

class RampType(Enum):
    CONSTANT = "constant"
    LINEAR = "linear"
    LOGARITHMIC = "logarithmic"
    EXPONENTIAL = "exponential"

@dataclass
class ProtocolStep:
    """Single step in treatment protocol"""
    step_number: int
    duration_seconds: float
    power_start_watts: float
    power_end_watts: float
    ring_size_mm: float
    ramp_type: RampType
    notes: str = ""

    def calculate_power_at_time(self, elapsed_seconds: float) -> float:
        """
        Calculate power at given time within this step
        """

        Args:
            elapsed_seconds: Time elapsed since step start

        Returns:
            Power in watts
        """
        if elapsed_seconds >= self.duration_seconds:
            return self.power_end_watts

```

```

# Progress through step (0.0 to 1.0)
progress = elapsed_seconds / self.duration_seconds
power_delta = self.power_end_watts - self.power_start_watts

if self.ramp_type == RampType.CONSTANT:
    # No ramping - use start power throughout
    return self.power_start_watts

elif self.ramp_type == RampType.LINEAR:
    # Linear interpolation
    return self.power_start_watts + (progress * power_delta)

elif self.ramp_type == RampType.LOGARITHMIC:
    # Logarithmic curve (fast increase, then slow)
    import math
    # Map [0,1] to [1, e] using exp, then normalize
    log_progress = (math.exp(progress) - 1) / (math.e - 1)
    return self.power_start_watts + (log_progress * power_delta)

elif self.ramp_type == RampType.EXPONENTIAL:
    # Exponential curve (slow increase, then fast)
    exp_progress = progress ** 2
    return self.power_start_watts + (exp_progress * power_delta)

else:
    return self.power_start_watts

class TreatmentProtocol:
    """Complete treatment protocol"""

    def __init__(self, protocol_data: dict):
        self.protocol_name = protocol_data['protocol_name']
        self.version = protocol_data.get('version', '1.0.0')
        self.description = protocol_data.get('description', '')
        self.safety_limits = protocol_data.get('safety_limits', {})

        # Parse steps
        self.steps = []
        for step_data in protocol_data['steps']:
            step = ProtocolStep(
                step_number=step_data['step_number'],
                duration_seconds=step_data['duration_seconds'],
                power_start_watts=step_data['power_start_watts'],
                power_end_watts=step_data['power_end_watts'],
                ring_size_mm=step_data['ring_size_mm'],
                ramp_type=RampType(step_data.get('ramp_type', 'constant')),
                notes=step_data.get('notes', ''))
            self.steps.append(step)

        # Calculate total duration
        self.total_duration_seconds = sum(s.duration_seconds for s in self.steps)

    def validate(self) -> tuple[bool, str]:
        """Validate protocol constraints"""

        # Check steps are sequential
        for i, step in enumerate(self.steps, 1):
            if step.step_number != i:
                return (False, f"Step numbering error: expected {i}, got {step.step_number}")

        # Check safety limits
        max_power = max(max(s.power_start_watts, s.power_end_watts) for s in self.steps)
        if 'max_power_watts' in self.safety_limits:
            if max_power > self.safety_limits['max_power_watts']:
                return (False, f"Protocol exceeds max power: {max_power}W > {self.safety_limits['max_power_watts']}W")

        if 'max_duration_seconds' in self.safety_limits:
            if self.total_duration_seconds > self.safety_limits['max_duration_seconds']:
                return (False, f"Protocol exceeds max duration: {self.total_duration_seconds}s > {self.safety_limits['max_duration_seconds']}s")

        return (True, "Protocol valid")

class ProtocolEngine:
    """
    Executes treatment protocols with real-time control
    """

    def __init__(self, hardware_manager, safety_manager, session_manager):
        self.hardware = hardware_manager
        self.safety = safety_manager
        self.session = session_manager

        self.protocol: TreatmentProtocol = None
        self.current_step_index = 0
        self.step_start_time = None
        self.treatment_start_time = None

        self.is_running = False
        self.is_paused = False

        self.update_interval_seconds = 0.1 # 10Hz update rate

    def load_protocol(self, protocol_data: dict) -> tuple[bool, str]:
        """Load and validate protocol"""
        try:
            self.protocol = TreatmentProtocol(protocol_data)
            is_valid, message = self.protocol.validate()

            if not is_valid:
                return (False, f"Protocol validation failed: {message}")

            return (True, f"Protocol '{self.protocol.protocol_name}' loaded successfully")

        except Exception as e:
            return (False, f"Protocol load error: {str(e)}")


```

```

def start(self) -> tuple[bool, str]:
    """Start protocol execution"""

    if not self.protocol:
        return (False, "No protocol loaded")

    # Safety pre-checks
    if not self.session.has_active_session():
        return (False, "No active session")

    # Reset state
    self.current_step_index = 0
    self.is_running = True
    self.is_paused = False
    self.treatment_start_time = time.time()
    self.step_start_time = time.time()

    # Log protocol start
    self._log_event('protocol_start', {
        'protocol_name': self.protocol.protocol_name,
        'total_steps': len(self.protocol.steps),
        'total_duration': self.protocol.total_duration_seconds
    })

    return (True, "Protocol started")

def update(self):
    """
    Main control loop - call this at regular intervals (e.g., 10Hz)

    Returns:
        (commanded_power, ring_size, status)
    """

    if not self.is_running or self.is_paused:
        return (0.0, 0.0, "Not running")

    # Get current step
    if self.current_step_index >= len(self.protocol.steps):
        # Protocol complete
        self.stop("Protocol completed")
        return (0.0, 0.0, "Complete")

    current_step = self.protocol.steps[self.current_step_index]

    # Calculate time within current step
    step_elapsed = time.time() - self.step_start_time

    # Check if step is complete
    if step_elapsed >= current_step.duration_seconds:
        self._advance_to_next_step()
        return self.update() # Recurse to get next step values

    # Calculate current power
    commanded_power = current_step.calculate_power_at_time(step_elapsed)

    # Get ring size (constant per step)
    ring_size = current_step.ring_size_mm

    # Calculate overall progress
    treatment_elapsed = time.time() - self.treatment_start_time
    progress_percent = (treatment_elapsed / self.protocol.total_duration_seconds) * 100

    status = f"Step {current_step.step_number}/{len(self.protocol.steps)} - " \
            f"{progress_percent:.1f}% complete"

    return (commanded_power, ring_size, status)

def _advance_to_next_step(self):
    """Transition to next protocol step"""
    old_step = self.protocol.steps[self.current_step_index]

    self.current_step_index += 1

    if self.current_step_index < len(self.protocol.steps):
        new_step = self.protocol.steps[self.current_step_index]
        self.step_start_time = time.time()

        # Log step transition
        self._log_event('protocol_step_change', {
            'from_step': old_step.step_number,
            'to_step': new_step.step_number,
            'new_power_start': new_step.power_start_watts,
            'new_ring_size': new_step.ring_size_mm
        })

        # Handle ring size change if needed
        if new_step.ring_size_mm != old_step.ring_size_mm:
            self._change_ring_size(new_step.ring_size_mm)

    def _change_ring_size(self, target_ring_size_mm: float):
        """Change actuator position to achieve target ring size"""

        # Map ring size to actuator position using calibration
        target_position = self._ring_size_to_actuator_position(target_ring_size_mm)

        self.hardware.actuator.move_to_position(target_position)

        self._log_event('ring_size_change', {
            'target_ring_size_mm': target_ring_size_mm,
            'actuator_position_um': target_position
        })

    def _ring_size_to_actuator_position(self, ring_size_mm: float) -> float:
        """
        Convert ring size to actuator position using calibration data

        Returns:
            Position in micrometers
        """

        # Load calibration from database
        calibration = get_active_calibration('actuator_position_to_ring_size')

```

```

# Example: Linear interpolation
# calibration format: [(position_um, ring_size_mm), ...]
points = calibration['calibration_points']

# Simple linear interpolation (can be more sophisticated)
for i in range(len(points) - 1):
    p1, p2 = points[i], points[i + 1]

    if p1['ring_size_mm'] <= ring_size_mm <= p2['ring_size_mm']:
        # Interpolate
        ratio = (ring_size_mm - p1['ring_size_mm']) / (p2['ring_size_mm'] - p1['ring_size_mm'])
        position = p1['actuator_position_um'] + ratio * (p2['actuator_position_um'] - p1['actuator_position_um'])
        return position

# Out of calibration range - use nearest
if ring_size_mm < points[0]['ring_size_mm']:
    return points[0]['actuator_position_um']
else:
    return points[-1]['actuator_position_um']

def pause(self):
    """Pause protocol execution"""
    if not self.is_running:
        return

    self.is_paused = True

    # Set laser to zero
    self.hardware.laser.set_power(0)

    self._log_event('protocol_paused', {
        'step': self.current_step_index + 1,
        'elapsed_seconds': time.time() - self.treatment_start_time
    })

def resume(self):
    """Resume paused protocol"""
    if not self.is_paused:
        return

    self.is_paused = False

    self._log_event('protocol_resumed', {
        'step': self.current_step_index + 1
    })

def stop(self, reason: str = "User stopped"):
    """Stop protocol execution"""
    if not self.is_running:
        return

    self.is_running = False
    self.is_paused = False

    # Set laser to zero
    self.hardware.laser.set_power(0)

    treatment_duration = time.time() - self.treatment_start_time

    self._log_event('protocol_stopped', {
        'reason': reason,
        'completed_steps': self.current_step_index,
        'total_steps': len(self.protocol.steps),
        'duration_seconds': treatment_duration
    })

def adjust_power(self, new_power_watts: float, reason: str = ""):
    """
    Override current power (deviation from protocol)

    Used for manual adjustments during treatment
    """
    if not self.is_running or self.is_paused:
        return

    current_step = self.protocol.steps[self.current_step_index]

    self._log_event('protocol_power_override', {
        'step': current_step.step_number,
        'protocol_power': current_step.power_start_watts,
        'override_power': new_power_watts,
        'reason': reason,
        'deviation_watts': new_power_watts - current_step.power_start_watts
    })

    # This gets logged as a deviation - important for audit trail

def _log_event(self, event_type: str, details: dict):
    """Log protocol event to database"""
    log_treatment_event(
        session_id=self.session.get_active_session_id(),
        event_type=event_type,
        event_details=details
    )

```

## Ring Size Control

### Actuator Calibration

The linear actuator position controls the ring size. Calibration maps actuator position (micrometers) to ring diameter (millimeters).

#### Calibration Procedure:

1. **Setup:** Position camera to capture ring
2. **Calibration points:** Move actuator to various positions, measure ring size

### 3. Data collection:

```
calibration_points = [
    {"actuator_position_um": 0, "ring_size_mm": 2.0},
    {"actuator_position_um": 500, "ring_size_mm": 2.5},
    {"actuator_position_um": 1000, "ring_size_mm": 3.0},
    {"actuator_position_um": 1500, "ring_size_mm": 3.5},
    {"actuator_position_um": 2000, "ring_size_mm": 4.0},
    {"actuator_position_um": 2500, "ring_size_mm": 4.5},
]
```

4. Fit curve: Linear or polynomial fit

5. Store in database: calibrations table

**Ring Size Measurement:** Use image processing (circle detection) to measure actual ring diameter during calibration.

## Protocol Builder UI

### UI Components

#### 1. Protocol List Panel

- Browse saved protocols
- Search/filter
- Load protocol for editing

#### 2. Protocol Editor Panel

- Protocol name, description
- Add/remove/reorder steps
- Edit step parameters:
  - Duration slider (0-300s)
  - Power start/end (5W)
  - Ring size (2-5mm)
  - Ramp type dropdown

#### 3. Step Timeline Visualization

- Graphical view of power vs. time
- Ring size indicator per step
- Hover for details

#### 4. Validation Panel

- Real-time validation as you edit
- Show safety limit warnings
- Total treatment time/energy

#### 5. Protocol Actions

- Save protocol
- Test protocol (dry run without laser)
- Export to JSON
- Import from JSON

### Example UI Mockup (Conceptual)

```
1. **Protocol Builder** [X]**  
2. **Protocol Name** - [Custom Treatment A_____]  
3. **Description** - [Multi-step therapeutic treatment_____  
4. **Steps** -  
5. **Step 1** - Warm-up [Edit] [Delete] [^][v]  
6. **Duration** - 30s | Power: 1W 3W | Ring: 4.0mm  
7. **Ramp** - Linear  
8. **Step 2** - Treatment [Edit] [Delete] [^][v]  
9. **Duration** - 90s | Power: 5W 5W | Ring: 3.0mm  
10. **Ramp** - Constant  
11. **Step 3** - Cool-down [Edit] [Delete] [^][v]  
12. **Duration** - 30s | Power: 5W 2W | Ring: 3.5mm  
13. **Ramp** - Linear  
14. **[Add Step]**  
15. **Power Profile** -  
16. **8W / \**  
17. **6W / \**  
18. **4W / \**  
19. **2W / \** > Time**  
20. **0W / \**  
21. **0s 30s 60s 90s 120s 150s**  
22. **Safety Check** -  
23. **[DONE] All steps within power limits (max 5W)**  
24. **[DONE] Total duration 150s (within 300s limit)**  
25. **[DONE] Ring sizes within range (2-5mm)**  
26. **Total Energy** - 675 Joules  
27. **[Cancel] [Save Protocol] [Test Run] [Apply to Session]**
```

## Treatment Execution Monitoring

### Real-Time Display

During treatment execution, display:

#### 1. Current Step Info

- Step number / total steps
- Step elapsed time / duration
- Current power / target power
- Current ring size

#### 2. Protocol Progress

- Overall progress bar
- Time remaining
- Total energy delivered

**3. Live Graphs** (pyqtgraph)

- Commanded power (blue line)
- Actual power from photodiode (red line)
- Power deviation (shaded area)

**4. Safety Status**

- All interlock states (green/red indicators)
- Photodiode voltage
- Footpedal state

**5. Controls**

- Pause button
- Stop button
- Manual power adjustment slider (logs as deviation)

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