

5388 QUICK REFERENCE TIPS FOR SAFE AND RELIABLE OPERATION

The Medtronic 5388 Dual Chamber Temporary Pacemaker is intended for use in a clinical environment by trained personnel. Safe operation of the 5388 requires the operator to be trained in the use of the device and to understand the content of the 5388 Technical Manual.

1. Preventing Accidental Changes of Pacemaker Controls

Do not place the Model 5388 in any area where patients may interact with it. The temporary pacemaker should be placed in an area that minimizes tampering with the device controls by unauthorized personnel (patients, visitors, etc.).

- The 5388 has a built-in attachment ring. The ring is used to attach the device to an IV pole (Figure 1).
- The Model 5409 disposable pouch is an optional accessory available from Medtronic that can add additional protection to prevent tampering, if needed (Figure 2).
- For those facilities whose practices make optimal placement of the 5388 difficult, the optional Model 5441A disposable cover is available. The transparent disposable cover helps prevent accidental changes of temporary pacemaker controls, including the emergency key.

Caution: Use of the cover will prevent direct access to the Model 5388 emergency key. The 5388 should be used only according to labeling, and safe handling should still be observed even when the cover is used (Figure 3).

2. Emergency Pacing Mode

The intent of Emergency Pacing Mode is to quickly gain access to high-output, asynchronous pacing (DOO) in an emergency situation. To initiate Emergency Mode, press the EMERGENCY/ASYNC key at any time (i.e., while the device is on, off, in a menu, or locked). Care should be taken to avoid accidentally activating the emergency key (see section No. 1). When the emergency key is pressed, the lower screen will display a message confirming the transition into Emergency Mode. Pressing the ON key is the easiest way to exit Emergency Mode and return to DDD pacing. When pressing the ON key, the Rate, A Output, and V Output will remain at the values displayed at the time that ON is pressed. The A Sensitivity and V Sensitivity will return to the nominal values.

Note: Regardless of which mode the device was operating in before Emergency Pacing Mode, pressing the ON key during Emergency Mode sets the device to DDD mode pacing. If necessary, adjust the parameters to set the device to a different mode and to return pacing and sensing values to desired settings.



Figure 1 - 5388



Figure 2 - 5409



Figure 3 - 5441A

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