AliMed® Pull-Cord Basic Alarm #78125

Instructions for Use, Setup, and Application

Use

AliMed® Pull-Cord Basic Alarm is a staff alert device used to signal when a patient is at risk of falling or wandering. Alarm is secured to a chair or bed, with activation cord clipped to patient's clothing. Alarm alerts when pin is pulled from the unit, activating alarm signal. Alarm requires 9V battery (sold separately).

Setup

1. Insert one 9V battery into battery compartment of alarm. To open battery compartment, depress both clips (as shown in *Figure 1*) and separate top and bottom pieces.
2. If mounting using included adhesive-backed hook and loop instead of clip, attach hook component to the back-side of the clip and the loop to where the alarm is to attach.

Application

1. Turn unit on using switch located on side of alarm unit. (*Figure 2*)*.*
2. Test unit by pulling pin to activate alarm. Set switch to Low or High position, depending on necessary alarm volume. **Do not place in bed with patient.**
3. Secure alarm to bed or chair using plastic clip on back of alarm, or included hook and loop fastener. When using clip on wheelchair back, position to left or right to avoid contact with patient.
4. Clip end of cloth cord to a piece of clothing the patient is not likely to remove. Clip should be out of patient's reach if possible.
5. If patient leaves chair or bed, activation pin is removed and alarm sounds continuously.
6. To deactivate alarm, turn switch to OFF or reinsert activation pin located at end of pull cord.
7. Once patient has returned to chair or bed, turn alarm on and retest.

Figure 1

Apply adhesive-backed hook to clip

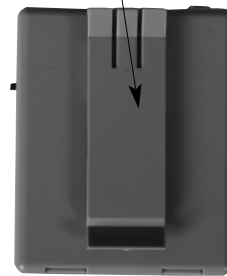Depress clips to remove cover

Figure 2

Switch

To Test

Turn unit on and select alarm level: Low 85 dB, High 100 dB.
Pull pin from unit to sound alarm tone. When pin is replaced, alarm tone will stop sounding.

- If battery door clips fail to securely hold the front and back of alarm case together, or if back cover is missing, discontinue use immediately.
- Check alarm unit before each use to ensure alarm function. If pin is pulled and alarm fails to sound, replace battery. If alarm fails to work with new battery, check and clean battery terminals. If alarm still fails to work, discontinue use and replace.
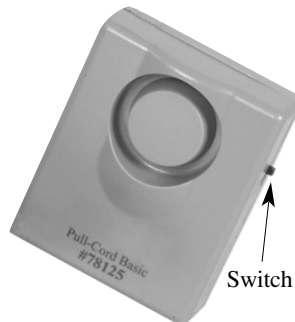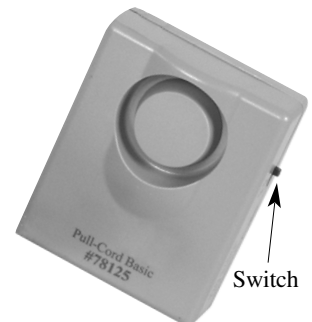
Limited 45-Day Warranty

The manufacturer guarantees AliMed® Pull-Cord Basic for a period of 45 days from the date of purchase. This warranty is in force provided there is no evidence of misuse or improper installation.

Caution

- This device is not a substitute for routine visual monitoring of patients. It will not prevent falls. Staff must make frequent routine inspections to ensure alarm unit is functioning properly.

- Use of alarm unit may not be suitable for all "High Risk" patients. Other safety measures may still be necessary to ensure patient safety.

- Before using this AliMed® Pull-Cord Basic Alarm read entire instruction sheet and save for future reference. Failure to do so may result in injury or death to a person in your care.

- Do not place in bed with patient.

To Reorder

#78125	AliMed® Pull-Cord Basic
#71088	Battery, 9V, 8/Pk
#74875	Universal Alarm Mounting Bracket
#2034	Replacement Cords, 6/Pk

Other Alarms and Accessories

#2032	AliMed® Pull-Cord Tamper Resistant
#2035	Nurse Call Cord. 8' L w/ $\frac{1}{4}$" plugs
#74836	AliMed® Magnetic Alarm
#77066	6-Month Bed Pad
#79367	6-Month Bed Pad, 10/cs
#77067	6-Month Bed Pad and Sensor Basic Alarm
#70070	6-Month Bed Pad and Tamper Resistant Alarm
#77061	6-Month Chair Pad
#77063	6-Month Chair Pad, 10/cs
#77062	6-Month Chair Pad and Sensor Basic Alarm
#70069	6-Month Chair Pad and Tamper Resistant Alarm
#77549	AliMed® Door Banner Alarm
#75187	Wireless Wander Alarm
#75188	BreakAway Lap Cushion w/Alarm

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