



Telemetry Service



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As one of the advanced technologies adopted by Hong Kong Sanatorium & Hospital, telemetry comprises a portable monitoring device that can monitor the associated signals of patients from deployed areas in the Hospital. With patient care and safety as primary concerns, our telemetry system can benefit our patients with greater mobility and comfort.

In our Intensive Care Unit, the electrical heart activity of each patient is recorded and displayed in the form of electrocardiogram (ECG) signals on computer screens, allowing our trained personnel at the central monitoring station to keep an eye on any abnormalities. Telemetry nurses can also efficiently monitor patients in wards and designated areas.

Facilities

- 24-hour monitoring service
- Deployed Areas: Hospital Canteen (4/F), Assisted Ventilation Ward, Intensive Care Unit, Renal Dialysis Centre, Physiotherapy Centre, Dental Centre, Observation Bay (22/F), 11/F, 12/F, 19/F, 20/F, 21/F, 22/F, 23/F, 25/F, 30/F, 31/F, 32/F, 33/F, 35/F, 36/F and 37/F Wards



Points to Note for Telemetry Patients

1. To ensure that electrodes adhere firmly to the skin, do not apply moisturiser on the chest area before putting on the device.
2. Electrodes, cables and the telemetry system must remain connected at all times. Should they come loose, please notify ward nurses right away. Do not attempt to reconnect them yourself, as this may interfere with data analysis.
3. If you experience any symptoms, including palpitations, chest pain, dizziness, nausea or difficulty in breathing, please alert ward nurses right away for an update on your heart's condition.
4. You may carry out daily activities as usual after putting on the device. Please seek your doctor's approval and notify ward nurses before taking a shower. Do not remove or wet the device on your own, as this may affect its operation.
5. Please notify ward nurses if you experience swelling, itching, or redness at the site of electrode placement.
6. Avoid the use of electronic equipment which may interfere with signal reception, such as mobile phones, computers, electronic massagers and electronic devices with bluetooth function, as this may aggravate interference.

Please refrain from using electronic devices with bluetooth function, including, but not limited to the following:



Wireless Pencil



Portable Router



Earphone



Laptop



Tablet



Speaker

7. Please handle the portable monitoring device with care. Avoid tugging on the cables or damaging the device.
8. Should you need to leave the ward while wearing the device, please seek your doctor's approval and notify ward nurses.

Please note that leaving the ward may hinder signal transmission.