



# Telemetry Transmitter Reference Guide

## Identifying Telemetry Type

There are three types of telemetry transmitters.



### Model LX-8100

ECG / Respiration

- Requires 1x AA alkaline battery
- Battery life of approximately 6 days
- LX-8100(G) ~1.5 days



### Model LX-7230N-R

ECG / Respiration / Nellcor™ SpO2

- Requires 2x AA alkaline battery
- Battery life of approximately 2.5 days with SpO2 use
- LX-7230(G) ~1.5 days



### Model LX-8300

ECG / Respiration / Masimo® SpO2

- Requires 2x AA alkaline battery
- Battery life of approximately 2.5 days with SpO2 use
- LX-8300 ~6.5 days - SpO2 Off

Battery life icon will appear in LCD screen.

- Central Station will also indicate “low” battery.

LCD screen displaying one waveform from 2x ECG/Resp/SpO2 (LX-7230 and LX-8300 only)

Battery Symbol	Remaining Battery Level
	Full
	Getting low but still available
	Nearly empty. Replace the battery

The battery level estimation is in case of using alkaline batteries.

## Getting Started

1. Insert battery(ies) and close the lid.

**\*Please follow the directions on the telemetry transmitter for inserting the batteries!**

2. Plug in ECG lead wires.

- **LX-7230N-R** - Plug in a Nellcor™ MAX-AL SpO2 sensor into the connector and secure with latch.
- **LX-8300** - Plug in a Masimo® SpO2 sensor into the connector and secure with latch.

3. To turn **ON/OFF** the Telemetry transmitter

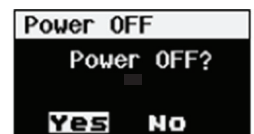
- **LX-8100 and LX-8300**
  - ◆ Press the **ON/OFF** button for 2-3 seconds to power ON.
  - ◆ To turn off, press the **ON/OFF** button until a notification message is displayed.
  - ◆ Press the **ENTER** button to turn off the telemetry transmitter.
- **LX-7230N-R**
  - ◆ Move the **ON/OFF** switch to the “ON” or “OFF” position.

**NOTE:** Telemetry channel number displays on the LCD screen immediately after turning the equipment on.

4. Place ECG electrodes on patient following the diagram on the telemetry transmitter, with one exception.

- Place the **RED** lead mid-axillary between the 5th and 8th intercostal space.

**NOTE:** Placing this lead in this position will result in a more accurate respiratory reading



## Waveform Display

The following information is available in the LCD viewing window:

- ◆ Waveform selection from ECG 1 / ECG 2 / Respiration / SpO2 (LX-7230N) / SpO2 larger numeric (LX-7230N)
- ◆ Heart Rate
- ◆ Pacemaker Mark indication
- ◆ Remaining Battery Level
- ◆ Displays "Check Electrode" message

**NOTE:** The LCD display will automatically turn itself off after 3 minutes if no operation is done. To display again, simply touch the Enter button. HR/Resp/SpO2 (LX-7230N) will be displayed every time you press the button.

## Electrodes

Please be aware of the following items when you attach electrodes:

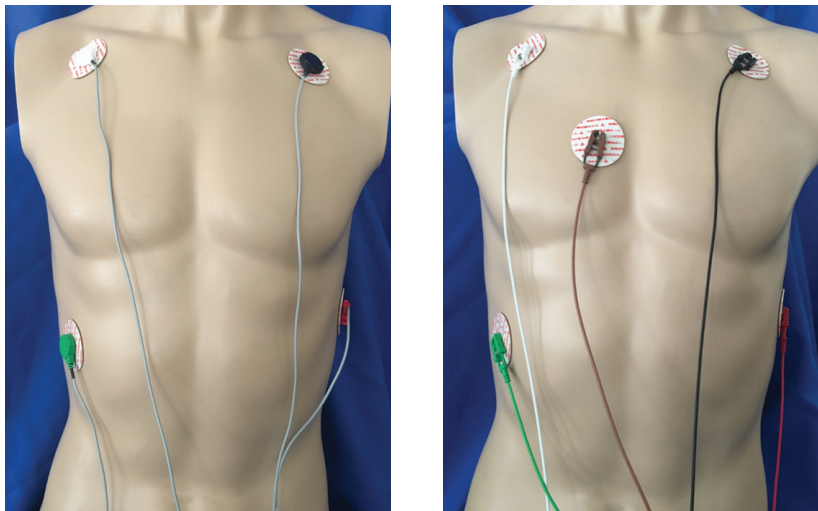
- ◆ Do not mix different types of **Electrode Patches**.  
*\*It can cause noise/artifact.*
- ◆ Change electrodes every **24 hours** for optimal reception and reduced artifact on the waveforms.
- ◆ Keep electrodes in **AIRTIGHT** bag to avoid them from drying out.
- ◆ When applying electrodes, make sure skin is clean and dry.

## Lead Placement

- ◆ **White** - place on patient's **RIGHT** side, mid-clavicular.
- ◆ **Green** - place on patient's lower **RIGHT** side.
- ◆ **Black** - place on patient's **LEFT** side mid-clavicular.
- ◆ **Red** - place on the patient's **LEFT** side, mid-axillary between the **5th** and **8th** intercostal space.

### **When using 5 Lead:**

- ◆ **Brown** - place at the **4th** intercostal space to the **RIGHT** or **LEFT** of the sternum.



## Care of the Transmitter

- ◆ Turn off the telemetry unit.
- ◆ Remove and discard battery (ies).  
*\*Do NOT reuse batteries of different strength.*
- ◆ Clean telemetry transmitter.  
*\*Refer to the operation manual for cleaning and disinfection.*
- ◆ Hang or loosely coil the patient cables.  
*\*Do NOT bend or place a rubber band around these cables. It will damage the cable components and affect reception.*

## Troubleshooting

### ◆ ARTIFACT

- Change the **Electrode Patches**. (Recommendation is every 24 hours)
- Make sure there are no kinks in the lead wires.
  - If kinks are found, change the lead wires.

### ◆ DROPPED SIGNAL

- Check location of the **Telemetry Transmitter**.
  - Best Practice: Make sure that the telemetry transmitter has an unobstructed view to the ceiling/antenna
- Replace the **Battery, Electrodes, Wires**.
- Change the telemetry transmitter.
  - **If this corrects the issue, note the channel number and inform management.**

