UNDERSTANDING ANESTHESIA MODE IN ALARIS PUMP

WHAT IS ANESTHESIA MODE?

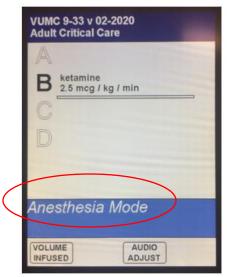
- A feature within the Adult Critical Care & Pediatric ICU profiles used by anesthesia staff.
- Anesthesia mode contains broader Guardrail limits, has modified safety features and is intended for <u>anesthesia use only</u>.

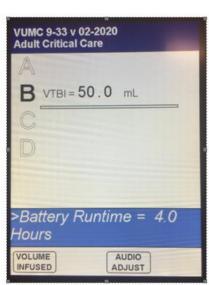
WHY DO WE CHECK FOR ANESTHESIA MODE? Broader Guardrail limits and features of anosthesis

 Broader Guardrail limits and features of anesthesia mode alter infusion safety when used outside of the OR.

WHEN DO I CHECK MY PUMP?

 During handoff when receiving a patient from the OR or procedural area with an Alaris pump infusing





HOW DO I KNOW MY ALARIS PUMP IS IN ANESTHESIA MODE?

- If a pump in 'Adult Critical Care' or 'Pediatric ICU' is in ANESTHESIA MODE, it will appear on a blue banner at the bottom of the PCU screen.
- This banner will alternate display with the Battery Runtime, so watch the banner for a few seconds. (SEE BELOW)

HOW DO I TAKE A PUMP OUT OF ANESTHESIA MODE?

- Plug in pump or unplug pump.
 You will see message 'AC Power
 Cord was connected. Continue
 ANESTHESIA MODE?' Answer
 'No'. Infusions will continue as
 programmed during this process.
- If you need to change profiles, turning your pump off and on to select your new profile will also turn off ANESTHESIA MODE.

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