

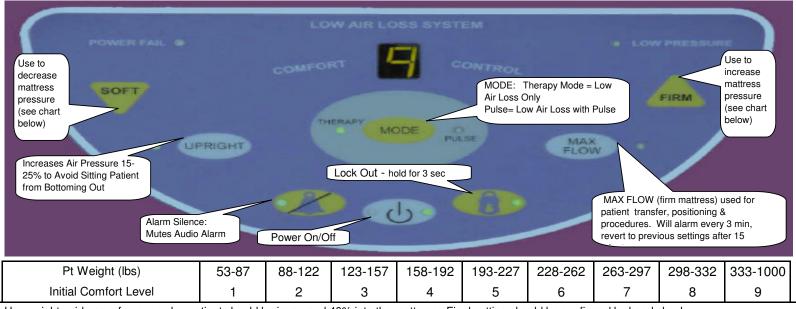
K-3 Control Unit with Pulse – Quick Reference Guide

Low Air Loss Mattress or Overlay

866 STAT-MED

Non-Bariatric width: 36 inch Maximum Patient Wt: 360lbs

Comfort Control Indicator: May be digital readout (as pictured), or a series of LED lights.



Use weight guide as reference only - patient should be immersed 40% into the mattress. Final setting should be confirmed by hand check.

Remarks

There should be a minimum of 3-4 fingers clearance between the patient and foam base directly under the sacral region of the patient's body.

Keep patient centered (midline) on the mattress. Do not allow patient to rest or sit near the edge of the mattress.

SETUP GUIDE

- 1 Remove any existing mattress from bed frame. Set up Mattress only on beds with side rails, never leave patient alone when side rails are down.
- 2 Un-roll mattress with hose at foot end, then fasten all 10 straps to <u>upper</u> bed frame be sure to attach to <u>articulating</u> head and foot patient surfaces.
- 3 Using hangers on back panel place Control Unit on foot board with unobstructed air filter inlet and attach air hoses.
- 4 Turn on Control Unit and press "Max Flow" button to quickly inflate mattress (approx 30-60 seconds).
- 5 Cycle bed through full range of motion, check power cord, hoses, and mattress straps for pinch points or binding.
- Early out scale and fill out scale card. Secure brakes before patient transfer.
- 7 Use "Max Flow" to ease patient transfer from stretcher on to mattress, center patient on mattress.
- 8 Press "Soft" or "Firm" to set desired pressure (supine position). Patient should be immersed 40% in mattress. (see above weight chart for settings).
- 9 Choose Therapy Mode: Low Air Loss [LAL] Only or LAL with Pulse (50 % pressure decrease at pre-set intervals).

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- MAX FLOW is used for transfer & patient positioning, unit will beep alarm every 3 minutes, then defaults to prior settings after 15 minutes.
- 2 LOCKOUT Hold key for 3-5 seconds to change lockout status.
- 3 CPR Disconnect air hoses to flatten mattress (approximately 20 seconds).
- 4 Use the "Upright" Feature when the patient is in a sitting position to increase pressures (15%-25%) to avoid bottoming out.
- If amber power light is not lit ensure power cord is fully plugged in at both ends, check outlet for power.
- 6 Mattress not inflating check air output & manifold for kinks, and for major leaks in air cells.
- 7 Alarm will sound when loss of power or air pressure is sensed. When power is restored system re-initiates to last known settings.
- 8 Turn power off to deflate mattress for patient ingress/egress to/from a standing position.
- 9 Systems cycles on and off Unplug, then check & clean filter, replace unit if cycling continues.
- 10 Alternating flashing of "L" & "P" indicates low pressure alarm Ensure hoses are connected to blower and air bladders are connected to tubing.

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