### HAMILTON C3: QUICK START GUIDE

# TYPE A - ICU VENTILATOR

# **CONNECT AND SET UP**

# How do I connect the ventilator? (Image **A**)

On the back of the machine:

- Connect mains power cord
- Connect pipeline or cylinder oxygen to high pressure oxygen connector 2
- (If using low pressure oxygen, connect to low pressure oxygen connector <sup>(3)</sup>).



How do I set up the breathing system and the HME filter? (Image B)

On front of the machine:

- Connect inspiratory limb to inspiratory port **1**
- Connect expiratory valve to expiratory port ② (shown attached in image B) twist clockwise until it locks into place
- Connect expiratory limb to expiratory valve 2
- Connect HME filter **3** to patient end of circuit **4**.



## SET THE CONTROLS

# 3 Navigation system for setting controls (Image C)

- Touch screen
- Alarm lamp
- Battery charge indicator
- Alarm silence key
- SLock/Unlock screen
- O2 enrichment deliver 100% oxygen for 2 minutes
  - Manual breath key triggers a mandatory
    - breath when pressed and released
- 8 Nebulizer on/off
- Print screen
- Power/standby
- **1** Press and turn knob Rotate to scroll through menu or change setting, press to confirm.



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# **OPERATE**

#### How do I set the mode(s)? (Image D)

- After start-up and pre test, device displays standby window (image **D**) - select Adult patient **1**
- Choose from modes available on screen **2**
- Enter patient gender and height 6
- Other modes can be accessed by pressing 'modes'
- Press 'start ventilation'
- Current mode is displayed at the top right of the screen.

### How do I change settings? (Image E)

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- In standby window (image D) and during ventilation (image **E**), press individual settings on menu panel of the right side of screen. Use knob C1 to adjust and confirm (Vt, PEEP and FiO2 are displayed in image **D**)
- Press 'controls' **1** to access all adjustable settings.





#### How do I check the device? (Image D)

- Once mains power, oxygen source and breathing circuit are connected, switch on machine ( $\mathbb{C}\mathbb{O}$ )
- Automatic power on self test is run during starting up
- Once this is complete, press 'preop check' button (**DG**) in the standby window and follow on screen instructions for tightness test and to calibrate the flow and oxygen sensors
- Disconnect the power cord **AO** ensure the 'loss of external power' alarm appears and the machine works on backup battery. Reconnect AC power.

### What do the alarms mean? (Image F)

- Audible and visual alarms- LED at top of machine (C2) flashes
- Message indicating reason for alarm condition appears at the top of the screen **1**
- · To adjust alarm limits, press 'alarms' 2
- To silence alarm press C4





Latest training information can be found on: https://portal.e-lfh.org.uk/Component/Details/606835

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