

END-OF-LIFE DISPOSAL

Introduction

The life cycle for a QA3[™] Patient Stretcher System and QA4[™] Mobile Surgery System variant is 10 years from the date of supply:

MPN	Name	UDI-DI
21110	QA3™ Patient Stretcher	05051995000006
21112	QA3™ DRIVE Patient Stretcher	05051995000150
21114	QA3™ DRIVE Powered Patient Stretcher	05051995000167
21115	QA3™ <800> Stretcher	05051995008712
21116	QA3™ Powered Patient Stretcher	05051995000174
21118	QA3™ Ophthalmic Stretcher	05051995004912
21120	QA3™ Emergency Department Patient Stretcher	05051995000013
21122	QA3™ DRIVE Emergency Department Patient Stretcher	05051995000181
21124	QA3 [™] DRIVE Powered Emergency Department Patient Stretcher	05051995000198
21126	QA3 [™] Powered Emergency Department Patient Stretcher	05051995000204
21300	QA4 [™] Mobile Surgery System with Powered Functions	05051995000020
21310	QA4 [™] Mobile Surgery System	05051995000037

End-of-Life Information

Disposal should take place according to the waste generator's management protocols.

The devices can be separated into their base components and be disposed of in its entirety according to local legislation based on the individual component material(s).

Decontamination of the device prior to disposal is always the responsibility of the waste generator.

Classification of Waste

It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste classification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations.

Disposal should always be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Special attention should be paid to the following:

Gas strut/spring - Pressurised container
Hydraulics - Contain hydraulic oil
Electronics - WEEE & Waste batteries

Hydraulic Oil

Hydraulic components contain ISO 37 hydraulic oil which can be recovered or recycled.

EU waste disposal code (EWC): 13 01 10 mineral based non-chlorinated hydraulic oil.

Do not dispose into the environment in drains or in water courses.

WEEE & Waste Batteries

As a producer of WEEE and battery waste, Anetic Aid Ltd is registered on the following compliance schemes: -

Veolia WEEE Producer Compliance Scheme Registration No: WEEE/MM5180AA Environment Agency Public Register of Battery Producers Registration No: BPRN00912

Any WEEE and waste batteries are dealt with in accordance with relevant regulatory requirements, and further information on this can be found at www.aneticaid.com/legal, in the Environmental Regulatory Information section.

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Environmental Regulatory Information – WEEE & Waste Batteries

Below, you can read about our commitment to the WEEE (waste electrical and electronic equipment) Directive and how you can help us to preserve the environment.

Anetic Aid Ltd. and WEEE compliance:-

The powered functions of Anetic Aid's QA3 Patient Trolley (where applicable) and QA4 Surgery Trolley, along with the AET Electronic Tourniquet and AT4 Electronic and Pneumatic Tourniquet are subject to the WEEE directive and those marketed after 13th August 2005 comply with the WEEE requirements.



This symbol, applied on each unit, indicates that EEE (electrical and electronic equipment) waste must not be disposed of, as unsorted municipal waste and must be sorted separately.

End-of-life Devices:

WEEE Regulations place specific obligations on producers of non-household EEE when it reaches its end-of-life and is ready to be discarded as waste by non-household end users in the UK.

Producers have an obligation to non-household EEE to finance the costs of collection, treatment, recovery and environmentally sound disposal of the WEEE.

As regards the battery:

Do not throw out the battery belonging to the power supply unit as it contains substances and metals that are harmful to the environment.

As a producer of industrial batteries under the Waste Batteries and Accumulators Regulations 2009, we Anetic Aid Ltd. produce valve-regulated lead-acid, alkaline zinc-manganese dioxide, and nickel metal hydride batteries. We are obliged to take back free of charge, waste industrial batteries supplied to an end user for treatment and recycling. We are required to do this in any calendar year we place new industrial batteries on the market.

If any of our customers or in certain cases other end users, require us to take back WEEE and / or industrial batteries, they should contact us at the address below. We will agree the necessary arrangements for their return, proper treatment and recycling.

The decontamination of devices remains your responsibility.

WEEE producer registration number: WEE/MM5180AA

Battery Producer registration number: BPRN00912

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