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# Tinearity<sup>™</sup>G1

User Manual



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#### THE USER MANUAL

The Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 device is designed to relieve and treat the symptoms of tinnitus. The device can be used at home, at work, and in public environments.

This user manual provides instructions on how to use and maintain your new Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 device.

Please carefully read this manual to learn how to use the device. Pay attention to all warnings as indicated in this manual. If you have any questions, please contact your country's representative.

**Note** The patient is the intended operator of the device.

#### WARNING SYMBOLS USED IN THIS MANUAL

- ▲ **WARNING** Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in injury.
- ▲ **CAUTION** Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in damage to the Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 device and the nearby surroundings.

**The Indicating useful information about the safe use of the device.** 

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## **1** INDICATIONS FOR USE

### 1.1 Indication for use

Tinearity G1 is intended to generate noise of sufficient intensity and bandwidth to mask ringing in the ears or internal head noise to provide relief for patients with normal hearing in the home healthcare environment. The device is for prescription use only. The target population is adult population over 18 years of age.

Tinearity G1 is applied on intact skin at the mastoid bone and transfers sound through bone conduction to the cochlea. Hearing health care professional shall be consulted for diagnosis, fitting of devices, and follow-up care.

#### **1.2 Contraindications**

The device is NOT intended for users suffering from hearing loss or hyperacusis.

#### **1.3 Possible side effects**

The adapter consists of a plastic holder and medical tape. The tape has an acrylic adhesive that adheres the adapter to the user's skin. Irritation may occur behind the ear when replacing the disposable adapter.

White noise may result in worsening tinnitus symptoms. Bone conducted sound may result in headache, nausea and/or dizziness. If any of this occurs, stop using the device and consult your healthcare professional.

### 1.4 Useful life / service life

The device and charger have a useful lifespan of 24 months, starting from the manufacturing date. The expiry date of the adapter is indicated on-the label.

## **2** SYSTEM OVERVIEW

Your Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 device is designed to relief and treat tinnitus symptoms by generating white noise that is transmitted to the inner ear via the skull. This method enables treatment without obstructing your ear canal. You can use your Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 device throughout the day, including during sleep.

▲ **CAUTION** The sound generator must never be cleaned or immersed underwater or in other liquids.

#### 2.1 Packaging content

- Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 Sound Generator, one pair (2pcs)
- Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 Adapters (62pcs)
- Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 Charger
- USB cable
- IFU

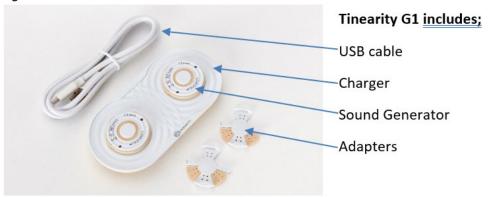


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- ▲ WARNING The Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 device contains small parts that may pose a choking hazard to small children. Always keep the charger station, the sound generator, and the adapter out of reach of children.
- WARNING The USB cable included in the packaging may pose a choking hazard and should be kept away from children.

### **3** TINEARITY<sup>™</sup> G1 DESCRIPTION

Figure 1. Device overview.



The Tinearity<sup>M</sup> G1 device comprises three components: (1) the sound generator, (2) adapters and (3) charger (including a USB cable for connection to a power supply). The sound generator is attached to the skin behind the ear using the adapter.

The sound generator works within the frequency of 700 Hz-10kHz with a maximum output level of 48 dB HL. The sound generator is supplied in pairs, with the intention of being used behind both ears.

The adapter consists of a plastic holder compatible with the sound generator and a medical grade tape which adheres to the skin. The adapter should be disposed daily or after each treatment.

The sound generator uses a rechargeable battery as a power source. Recharge the two sound generators simultaneously by using the charger plate and the separate USB cable for connection to a compatible power supply.

The Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 sound generator and adapter can be used at any time during the day & night.

**CAUTION** The sound generator must never be cleaned or immersed underwater or in other liquids.



## **4 DEVICE DESCRIPTION**

#### 4.1 Sound generator

The sound generator converts white noise into vibrations. It is powered by a rechargeable lithium-ion battery.

- ▲ **CAUTION** The sound generator contains electrical parts and should be disposed of as electrical waste.
- **The For explanation of the symbols, see section 15.**

#### 4.2 Adapter

The adapter transmits the vibrations generated by the sound generator to the inner ear through the skull.





*Figure 3. Illustration of Adapter.* 



#### 4.3 Charger

The charger is used to charge the sound generators. Safety information is marked on the underside of the charger.

#### Figure 4. Charger device label



- ▲ WARNING The connecting cable is included in the packaging and might pose a risk of choking, keep away from small children.
- ▲ **CAUTION** The sound generator contains electrical parts and shall be disposed of as electrical waste.



### 4.4 Packaging labels

The Tinearity G1 system is delivered in one box. The box includes packages for adapters and sound generators. Each packaging level has its own label as illustrated in figure 5-8 below.

Figure 5. Example of Primary package label

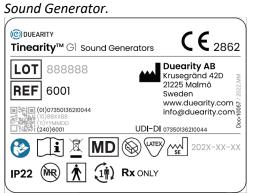


Figure 7. Example of Customer label Tinearity™ G1 System.

©duearity Tinearity™ G	<b>CE</b> <sub>2862</sub>
<b>SN</b> 888888	Duearity AB   Krusegränd 42D   21225 Malmö
<b>REF</b> 6000	Sweden
(17)YYMMDD (21)88XX88 (240)6000	www.duearity.com ) info@duearity.com g UDI-DI 07350136210006
🍪 🗍 🖉 MD	( LATEX 202X-XX-XX
-25°C (-13°F) (+158°F) % 93% 15% 700hPa	

#### Figure 6. Example of Primary package label Adapter.



# Figure 8. Example of Customer package label Adapters



**Note** for explanation of the symbols see section 15.

## **5 PREPARATION BEFORE FIRST USE**

- Unpack the parts and inspect for any signs of damage, then follow the cleaning instructions for the sound generator and charger in sections 8.
- Check the safety-related labeling on the Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 device for legibility.
- Make sure that the power supply (not provided in the package) connecting the charger to the wall outlet has the following performance:
  - o USB-A port, 5V DC, min 1000mA, Max 1500mA
  - Double insulated
- Fully charge the sound generators using the supplied charger, see section 9.



## **6 PREPARATION BEFORE EVERY USE**

### 6.1 Skin hygiene

The skin behind the ear must be clean, dry, intact, and free from hair. If needed, remove any excess hair to ensure an adequately sized contact area.

Clean the skin with mild soap and let it dry completely before you apply the adapter.

Figure 9.



### 6.2 Sound generator and adapter

Visually inspect the sound generator and adapter for any damage, prior to use.

▲ WARNING If covers are damaged or any parts are loose, do not use the device.

Clean the sound generator according to section 8.

### 6.3 Charger

Place the device on a flat surface.

▲ WARNING Check that the cable and connections are not pinched or damaged. Pets and pests may damage the insulation of the cables. Do not use damaged cables.



## **7 OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS USER**

### 7.1 Applying the adapter

1) Locate the area for application of the adapter behind the ear. To maximize the performance of your treatment, ensure that the adapter is positioned over the mastoid bone and orientated as illustrated in the figure below. Make sure that the area is free from hair.

Figure 10. Correct application: the soft Figure 11. In-correct application; rotate part is applied closest to the ear.

the adapter approx. 90 degrees relative

to your skull. X





Note Transmitting sound via bone conduction is most effective if the adapter is attached to the thinnest part of the skin.

Note The curve of the adapter is designed to match the curve behind the ear, therefore ensure the adapter is rotated as shown for a proper fit.

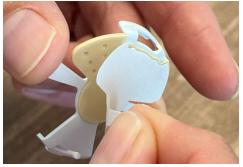
- 2) Hold the adapter by its 'wings.'
- 3) Remove the protective film, do not touch the adhesive surface.

Figure 12.

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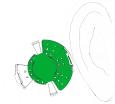


Figure 13.





4) Gently press the highlighted surface of the adapter for at least 20 seconds. *Figure 14.* 



**WARNING** Risk of skin damage. Only use the adapter provided by Duearity and according to this manual.

### 7.2 Connecting the sound generator

To connect the sound generator safely and comfortably to the adapter, tilt it slightly and gently push it into the adapter until it clicks into place.

**The side of the sound generator marked with CE**<sub>2862</sub> shall be towards the adapter.

Figure 15.



Figure 16.



#### 7.3 Turn the sound generator on and off

Turn your sound generator on and off by pressing the "power" button. A short press turns your sound generator on, and a longer press turns your sound generator off.





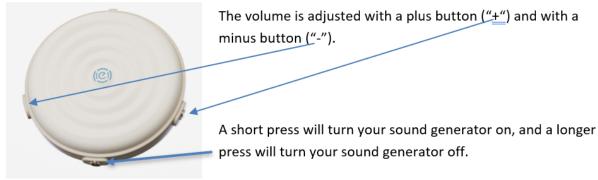
**Note** Use a short press to turn your device on, a long press to turn your device off.



### 7.4 Adjust the volume

Adjust the volume according to the prescription from your healthcare professional. Your sound generator is by default started at mid-volume and the volume can be increased by 10 steps and decreased by 10 steps. Each step represents 2 dB HL.

Figure 18.



#### 7.5 Treatment

Follow the recommendations of your healthcare professional.

▲ WARNING Risk of hearing damage. If you experience **discomfort** or if your tinnitus worsens, stop treatment immediately and contact a healthcare professional.

#### 7.6 Remove the sound generator

Remove the sound generator by holding it and firmly pressing the handle furthest away from the ear on the adapter. The sound generator will then disconnect.

Figure 19.



 $\triangle$  **CAUTION** To avoid damage to the device, charge the device after each use.

#### 7.7 Remove the adapter

Remove the adapter by slowly peeling it off the skin. The adapter is single-use only and must be disposed of after each use.

Marning Risk of skin damage, only use the adapter provided by Duearity and according to this manual.



## **8 MAINTENANCE**

Store your Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 device in a room temperature protected from dust, dirt, and sunlight. Before each use, clean your device as follows.

**The Four Sound generator is protected against the ingress of water but is not waterproof.** 

#### 8.1 Preparation for cleaning

- Separate your sound generator from the adapter.
- Make sure your sound generator is turned off.
- Remove the USB cable from the charger.

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### 8.2 Cleaning the sound generator and the charger

Clean your sound generator and charger at least once every seven days using soft cleaning wipes on the outside. The duration of the cleaning action shall be minimum 1 minute. Make sure to reach all areas. The level of cleaning shall be as minimum equivalent to general personal grooming items. Inspect the sound generator and charger to ensure no visual contamination remains.

- ▲ **CAUTION** Your sound generator is protected against ingress of water, i.e., it is designed to be used in your daily life but the sound generator is not waterproof.
- ▲ **CAUTION** The sound generator should never be cleaned or submerged underwater or in any other liquids.
- ▲ **CAUTION** The charger should never be cleaned underwater or in any other liquids.

## 9 CHARGING THE BATTERIES / SOUND GENERATOR

#### 9.1 General information

The sound generator is powered by a rechargeable lithium battery with a maximum duration of 12 hours.

### 9.2 When to re-charge batteries/sound generator

Your sound generator should be re-charged after each use.

WARNING The sound generator includes coin cell batteries that may be corrosive if swallowed. Risk for small children. Always keep the sound generator out of reach for children. If a battery is accidentally swallowed, seek medical attention at the nearest emergency department.



#### 9.3 How to charge the sound generator

To charge the sound generator, follow the following steps:

- Make sure that the Charger is placed in a room that has a temperature of maximum 95°F (35°C).
- Place your sound generator(s) with the front side (indicated with the Duearity symbol) facing the inductive charger, see figure 20.
- The blinking green light indicates that the device is charging.
- Let the sound generator(s) charge until the indicator(s) stops blinking. A complete charge cycle is approximately 6 hours. If the battery is completely discharged or if the ambient temperature exceeds 86°F (30°C) during charging, the charging rate will be reduced, but not completely halted, to prevent battery damage or overheating.
- Your device(s) is/are now fully charged and ready for use.

Figure 20.



**To avoid damage to the device**, charge the sound generator after each use.



## **10 CONSUMABLES, SERVICE AND REPAIR**

If your Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 device is not functioning properly or if you need to order additional adapters, please contact your distributor.

## **11 TROUBLE SHOOTING**

Table 1.						
Symptom	Explanation	Possible Cause	Proposed action			
No white noise is	The amplitude of the white	lloaring	Increase the amplitude			
heard.	noise must exceed the hearing	Hearing impaired.	(turn up the volume), see			
nearu.	threshold of the user.	inipaireu.	section 7.4.			
No white noise is	The batteries must be charged	The batteries	Charge your sound			
heard.	after each use.	are discharged.	generator, see section 9.			
The sound		The adapter is	Change adapter, see			
generator falls off	The adapter is worn out.	· ·	section 7.1 and 7.7.			
from the adapter.		single use.				

## **12 TECHNICAL AND REGULATORY INFORMATION**

### 12.1 Technical data and regulatory information

Table 2.

Environmental conditions	Sound generator	Inductive charger					
Ambient air pressure							
Operation							
Transport/ storage	700 hPa to 1060 hPa						
Ambient temperature							
Operation	+41 to +95 F						
Transport and storage	port and storage -13 to +158 F						
Ambient humidity							
Operation							
Transport and storage	RH 15% to 93%, non-conden	sing					
Operational altitude	Max 3000 m over sea level						
Classification							
Medical device class EU MDR2017/745 (MDR) Class IIa, US Class II							
Applied standard	IEC 60601-1:2005+A1	IEC 62368-1:2014					
Class	I	III					



Environmental conditions	Sound generator	Inductive charger
Applied part category	BF	N/A
Protection of harmful ingress	IP 22	IP 21
Pollution degree	II	11
Mode of operation	Continuous use	Continuous use
Essential performance	No	No
Isolation from supply mains	N/A	Disconnect AD / DC adapter
Nominal voltage	3,7 VDC	5 VDC
Battery capacity	50 mAh	No battery
Battery type	Rechargeable Li-ion battery.	No battery

#### **12.2** Requirement for ac/ dc adapter

Table 3.

Output power voltage	5VDC		
Output power	Min. 1000mA, Max 1500mA		
IP class	Minimum IP 21 (NEMA 3)		
Class	II (NEMA 1-15P)		
Approval	Certified to IEC 62368		

### **12.3EMC INFORMATION AND REGULATORY CLASSIFICATION**

Table 4.

#### **Electromagnetic Emissions**

The Tinearity<sup>TM</sup> G1 system is intended for use in the electromagnetic environment associated with a professional healthcare facility or a home healthcare environment as specified below. The customer or the user of the Tinearity<sup>TM</sup> G1 system should ensure that they are used in such an environment.

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Emission Tests	Compliance		
Radiated and conducted RF emissions	Sound Generator: Class B, Group 1		
EN 55011/CISPR 11	Charger: Class B, Group 2		
FCC 47 CFR, Part 15 Subpart B	Electromagnetic environment - guidance		
FCC 47 CFR, Part 18 Subpart C	The Tinearity <sup>™</sup> G1 system uses RF energy only for their internal		
	function. Therefore, its RF emissions are very low and are not		
	likely to cause any interference with nearby electronic		
	equipment.		
Harmonic emissions EN IEC 61000-3-2	Sound generator: Not applicable, battery-operated device		
	Charger: Not applicable, P < 75W		
Voltage fluctuations / flicker emissions	Sound generator: Not applicable, battery-operated device		
EN IEC 61000-3-3	Charger: Not applicable, P < 75W		



#### Table 5.

#### **Electromagnetic Immunity**

The Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 device is intended for use in the electromagnetic environment specified below. The user should ensure that the device is used in such an environment.

	Basic EMC	Immunity test le	vels		
Immunity Tests	standard or test			ealthcare	
	method			environment	
Electrostatic Discharge	EN IEC 61000-4-2	± 8 kV contact			
		± 2 kV, ± 4 kV, ± 8	3 kV, ± 15	kV air	
Radiated RF EM fields	EN IEC 61000-4-3	3 V/m		10 V/m	
		80 MHz - 2.7 GHz		80 MHz	- 2.7 GHz
		80 % AM at 1 kHz	2	80 % AN	Л at 1 kHz
Proximity fields from RF	EN IEC 61000-4-3	Test frequency	Sor	vice	Immunity Test
wireless communications		(MHz)	Ser	vice	Level (V/m)
equipment		385	TETR	A 400	27
		450		S460, 460	28
		710			
		745	LTE Ban	d 13, 17	9
		780			
			GSM 80	00/900,	
		810	TETR	A800,	
		870		820,	28
		930		4 850 <i>,</i>	
			LTE B	and 5	
				1800,	
		1720		1900,	1
	1			1900,	28
		1970		CT,	
				nd 1, 3,	
				UMTS	
				ooth, AN,	
		2450		b/g/n,	28
		2450		2450,	20
				and 7	
		5240			
		5500		801.11	9
		5785	a,	/n	
Electrical Fast Transient/Burst	EN IEC 61000-4-4	±2 kV for power s	upply line	25	
Surges	EN IEC 61000-4-5	Sound generator	: Not app	licable, b	attery-operated
		device			
		Charger: Tested t			/DC adapter
		Line-to-line: ±0.5	kV, ±1 kV	/	



	Basic EMC	Immunity test lev	vels		
Immunity Tests	standard or test	Professional hea	lthcare	Home h	ealthcare
	method	facility environm	ent	environ	ment
Conducted disturbances	EN IEC 61000-4-6	Sound generator	: Not appli	cable, ba	attery-operated
		device			
		Charger: Tested t	hrough ge	neric AC	/DC adapter
		3 V/m		3 V/m	
		0,15 MHz – 80 M	Hz	0,15 MH	lz – 80 MHz
		6 V/m in ISM ban	ds	6 V/m ir	n ISM and
				amateu	r radio bands
		80 % AM at 1 kHz		80 % AN	∕I at 1 kHz
Rated power frequency	EN IEC 61000-4-8	30 A/m			
magnetic fields		50 Hz			
Voltage dips	EN IEC 61000-4-	Sound generator: Not applicable, battery-operated			
	11	device			
		Charger: Tested t	00		
		0% UT, 0.5 cycle a	at 0°, 45°, 9	90°, 135°	°, 180°, 225°,
		270°, 315°			
0% UT, 1 cycle at 0°					
		70% UT, 25 cycles	s at 0°		
Voltage interruptions	EN IEC 61000-4-	Sound generator	. Not appli	cabla b	attony operated
voltage interruptions	11	device	. Not appli	cable, be	allery-operated
		Charger 0% UT, 2	50 cycles a	۰+ ۵°	
Proximity Magnetic Fields	EN IEC 61000-4-	Test Frequency	Modulati		Immunity Test
rioximity magnetic rields	39	rescriequency	Wouldt	011	Level (A/m)
		30 kHz	CW	1	8
		134,2 kHz	PM 2,1		65
		13,56 MHz	PM 50		7,5

CW = Continuous Wave (non-modulated), PM = Pulse Modulated

### **13 MANUFACTURER'S WARRANTY**

Duearity sound generators and chargers are covered by a limited warranty issued by the manufacturer. The warranty period is 24 months from the date of manufacture. This limited warranty covers manufacturing and material defects in the sound generator or charger itself.

Duearity intends that this device should be used only according to these instructions for use and as directed by a physician with knowledge of the device. Problems arising from improper handling or care, excessive use, accidents, repairs, or exposure to corrosive conditions, are NOT covered by the limited warranty and may void the warranty.

Duearity shall not be liable for any incidental or consequential loss, damage, or expense, directly or indirectly arising from off-label use of this device. Duearity neither assumes nor authorizes any person to assume for it any other or additional liability or responsibility in connection with these devices. Federal law in the USA restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a physician.



## **14 IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

#### 14.1 Warnings

- ▲ **WARNING** Risk of hearing damage. If you experience **discomfort** or your tinnitus worsens, stop treatment immediately and contact a healthcare professional.
- ▲ **WARNING** Risk of electric shock. The sound generator has IP22 classification and is water resistant but not waterproof. Always remove your Sound generator before showering or bathing.
- ▲ **WARNING** Risk of electric shock. Use cables, chargers, adapters, and sound generators provided by the manufacturer, ONLY.
- ▲ WARNING Risk of bodily injury. Never expose your Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 device to extreme heat, do not dry the device in microwave ovens or other ovens.
- MARNING Risk of electric shock or burns. Do not open the device.

Do not use the device if the casing or cable is damaged.

Do not service or repair the device.

No modification of this equipment is permitted.

Use only power supplies as specified in this instruction.

- ▲ **WARNING** Risk of infection. This device must be used by one user and should not be shared between multiple individuals.
- ▲ **WARNING** Risk of fire and hazardous smoke. Do not use the device in an oxygen rich environment or in areas with flammable gases.
- ▲ **WARNING** Risk of affecting measurement results and treatment results. This device emits electromagnetic radiation, do not use closer than 30 cm from other medical devices.
- ▲ **WARNING** Risk of hearing damage. Patients suffering from hyperacusis (increased sensitivity to sound) or other underlying illnesses should consult a doctor before starting treatment.
- ▲ **WARNING** Risk of burn injury. Do not use the device during MRI (Magnetic Resonance Imaging) examinations.
- ▲ **WARNING** Risk of damage to your skin (irritation or redness from the use of the adapter). It is important to follow the skin hygiene guidelines. Please contact your doctor if you have any concerns. Only use the adapter provided by Duearity and according to this manual.
- ▲ WARNING Risk of hearing damage. The Device is not to be used by persons under the age of 18 years old.
- ▲ WARNING The Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 device contains small parts that may pose a choking hazard to small children. Always keep the charger, the sound generator, and the adapter out of reach of children.
- ▲ **WARNING** Check that the cable and connections are not pinched or damaged. Pets and pests may damage the cables' insulation. Do not use damaged cables.
- ▲ **WARNING** The sound generator includes button cell batteries that may be corrosive if swallowed and pose a choking risk to small children. Always keep the sound generator out of reach of children. If a battery is accidentally swallowed, seek medical attention at the nearest emergency department.
- ▲ **WARNING** The device should not be stacked on top of itself or placed near other equipment. If such use is necessary, the device and the other equipment should be observed to verify that they are operating normally.



- ▲ **WARNING** Use of accessories and cables other than those specified or provided by the manufacturer of this equipment could result in increased electromagnetic emissions or degraded performance and result in improper operation.
- WARNING Portable RF communications equipment (including peripherals such as antenna cables and external antennas) should be used no closer than 30 cm (12 inches) to any part of the [ME EQUIPMENT or ME SYSTEM], including cables specified by the manufacturer. Otherwise, degradation of the performance of this equipment could result.
- ▲ WARNING Risk of hearing damage. If the Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 device is combined with a hearing aid, the combination needs to be evaluated by a health care professional.
- **WARNING** This device is MR unsafe. It must not be brought into an MR environment.

#### 14.2Caution

- ▲ **CAUTION** The power source in your sound generator has insufficient energy to cause fire under normal conditions. The sound generator has not been tested for compliance within explosive atmospheres. It is recommended to avoid using your sound generator in areas with danger of explosion.
- ▲ **CAUTION** No part of the device should be cleaned under water or in other liquids.
- ▲ **CAUTION** The sound generator and the charging station contain electrical parts and should be disposed of as electrical waste.

#### 14.3 Contacts

For assistance setting up, using, or maintaining the Tinearity<sup>™</sup> G1 system; or to report unexpected functionality, please find contact information on the back cover of this manual.

All product complaints relating to safety, efficacy, or performance of the device shall be reported immediately to Duearity Americas Inc. by telephone, e-mail, or letter, per contact information below. All complaints shall be accompanied by the product name, model/part number (as applicable), and lot number (as applicable). The person formulating the complaint shall provide their name, address, and as many details as possible. You may contact Duearity directly according to contact details available on the back cover of this manual.



## **15 DESCRIPTION OF SYMBOLS USED IN THIS USER MANUAL.**

Symbol	Title	Description
	CE mark	The device complies with all required EU
<b>CE</b> <sub>2862</sub>		regulations and directives. The four-digit
<b>C C</b> 2862		number indicates the identification of the
		notified body
	Manufacturer	The device is produced by the manufacturer
· · · ·		whose name and address are shown next to
		the symbol.
	Use-by-date	Indicates the date after which the device is
52		not to be used.
	Batch code	Indicates the manufacturer's batch code so
LOT		that the batch or lot can be identified.
	Catalogue number	Indicates the manufacturer's catalogue
REF		number so that the medical device can be
		identified.
	Serial number	Indicates the manufacturer's serial number
SN		so that a specific medical device can be
		identified.
	Country of manufacturer	Identifies the country of manufacture of
	, ,	products.
	Do not use if package is damaged and	Indicates that the device should not be used
$\bigcirc$	consult instructions for use	if the package has been damaged or opened
X		and that the user should consult the
		instructions for use (user manual) for
		additional information.
-	Fragile, handle with care	Indicates a device that can be broken or
Ψ		damaged if not handled carefully.
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11.	Keep dry	Indicates a medical device that needs to be
		protected from moisture.
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0	Temperature limitation	Indicates the temperature limits to which
		the medical device can be safely exposed.
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	Humidity limitation	Indicates the humidity limits to which the
(%)	, ,	medical device can be safely exposed.
	Atmospheric pressure limitation	Indicates the atmospheric pressure limits to
(x)•(x)		which the medical device can be safely
<b>\$</b>		which the medical device can be safely exposed.
		exposed.
	Do not re-use / Single use	



	Single patient use	Indicates a device that is intended for one patient only.
	Consult instructions for use or consult electronic instructions for use	Consult instructions for use for warnings and cautions.
	IFU (Instructions for use)	Consult instructions for use for warnings and cautions.
MD	Medical Device	The device is a medical device.
X	Electronic waste (WEEE)	Waste from electronic equipment must be handled according to local regulations.
Ŕ	Type BF Applied Part	Classification of protection against electrical shock.
IP 21	IP 21	Protected from touch by fingers and objects greater than 12 millimeters, as well as from condensation.
IP 22	IP 22	Protected from touch by fingers and objects greater than 12 millimeters, as well as from water spray less than 15 degrees from vertical.
MR	MR Unsafe	The device is not safe in MR environment, i.e., magnetic resonance imaging (magnet camera, MR-camera), and shall be removed.
Rx ONLY	Prescription device	The device is sold by prescription. Applicable for the US market.



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