



New warning statement on pacemakers

We will modify our statement in all the users manuals of the ultrasonic generators (bench-top units and built-in modules) as soon as possible. It is valid for the Mini LED range too.

The new recommendation will be as follows:

“Interference may occur when used on patients with cardiac pacemakers. This system emits electromagnetic fields, which means there are some potential risks. The malfunctioning of implantable devices such as cardiac pacemakers and ICDs (implantable cardioverter defibrillator) is possible:

- *Ask patients and users if they have an implanted device before using this product. Explain the circumstances to them*
- *Weigh the risks and benefits and contact your patient's cardiologist or appropriate qualified healthcare professional prior to performing the treatment*
- *Keep this product away from implanted devices*
- *Make appropriate emergency provisions and take immediate action if patients become ill*
- *Symptom including a raised heartbeat, irregular pulse, and dizziness may signal problems with a cardiac pacemaker or ICD.”*

