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## **Discontinuation of Product Notice**

### **LIFEPAK CR® Plus and LIFEPAK EXPRESS® in United States**

Dear Valued Customer,

As Stryker introduces new AEDs into our portfolio, we retire older products. Accordingly, we are discontinuing sales of the LIFEPAK CR Plus and LIFEPAK EXPRESS automated external defibrillators (AEDs) in the United States **effective immediately**.

If you purchase any new LIFEPAK CR Plus or LIFEPAK EXPRESS AED from Stryker, or an authorized distributor, prior to October 31, 2020, it will carry the standard eight-year or five-year (respectively) limited warranty. We remain committed to supporting the LIFEPAK CR Plus and LIFEPAK EXPRESS by offering service, CHARGE-PAK™ battery chargers, electrodes, replacement lid, and carry case for the warranty life of the product.

With our LIFEPAK® and HeartSine® AED product brands, we continue to offer the broadest AED portfolio with groundbreaking technology that simplifies maintenance and helps to improve rescuer CPR (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation).

Our new generation LIFEPAK CR2 defibrillator, launched in February 2019, features Wi-Fi® and USB connectivity, cprINSIGHT™ analysis technology, which reduces pauses between CPR and defibrillation, a Child Mode button and optional Language button. LIFEPAK CR2, the successor to the LIFEPAK CR Plus products, features a range of options that are designed to suit a variety of AED needs.

At only 2.4 lb. in weight (including battery and electrodes) and featuring a compact form-factor, the HeartSine samaritan® PAD 450P with integrated CPR Rate Advisor™ is another alternative for LIFEPAK CR Plus. This AED, available in non-connected and connected versions, provides real-time CPR rate feedback that guides the rescuer through the critical chain of survival during a sudden cardiac arrest (SCA) resuscitation and delivers a shock, when necessary.

If you are looking to add additional AEDs, or upgrade to the latest AED technology, please contact your local sales representative, or authorized distributor, to find out how your organization can leverage the benefits offered by the LIFEPAK CR2 and HeartSine samaritan PAD family.

We thank you for your business and continued partnership.

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