# Vital Sign Earplug (VSE) – User guide

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## Introduction to the Vital Signs Earplug

- + The Cosinuss 2 represents a significant leap forward in patient monitoring technology.
- + As a vital sign monitoring earplug, it offers a non-intrusive, highly accurate method for capturing essential health metrics such as heart rate, body temperature, and blood oxygen levels.
- + This document serves as both a comprehensive training manual and a user guide, designed to ensure users can effectively employ the Cosinuss 2 in various settings.





## **Comprehensive Device Operation - Insertion and Activation**



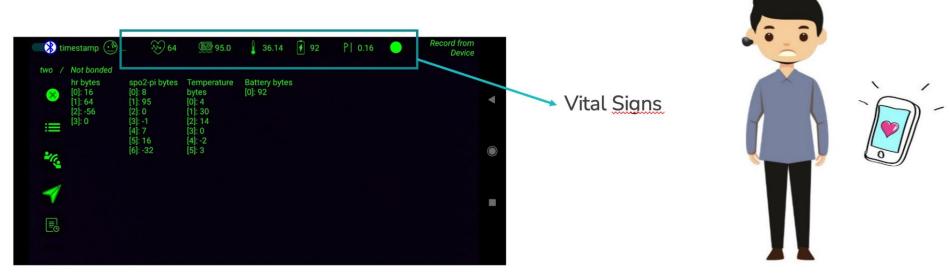


- 1. Clean the Device: Before inserting the earplug, ensure that both the device and your ear are clean.
- 2. Insert the Earplug: Pull the top of your ear upward and back to straighten the ear canal. Insert the earplug gently until it feels secure. It should not cause discomfort.
- 3. Turn on the Device: Press the power button. You will see a light indicator which confirms the device is active.
- 4. Connect to the App: Open the Cosinuss app on your smartphone or another device. Follow the instructions to pair the earplug via Bluetooth. The device should be close to your phone during pairing.



## **Monitoring Process**

- 1. Start Monitoring: Once connected, the device automatically begins to monitor and transmit data to your app.
- 2. Reading Data: Access real-time data on the app dashboard. Here, you can check heart rate, temperature, and SpO2 levels.
- 3. Set Alerts: Customize alerts for specific thresholds in vital signs, which helps in managing patient care proactively.





## **Charging and Maintenance**

- + Charging the Device: Charge the device regularly. A full charge typically lasts for about 24 hours of continuous monitoring.
- + Device Care: Clean the earplug regularly with alcohol wipes to maintain hygiene and functionality.





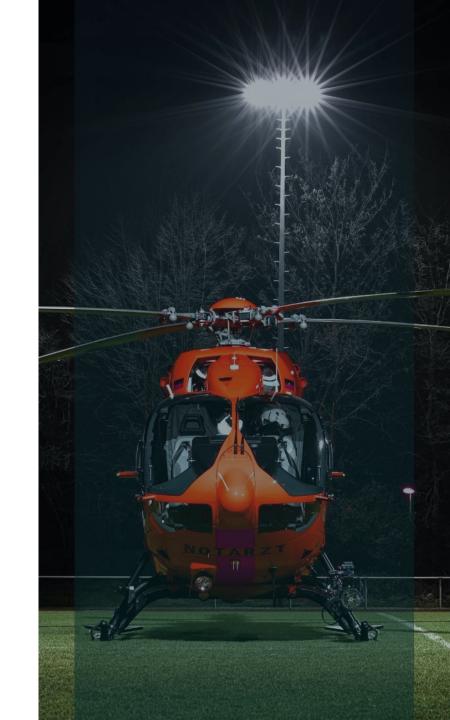
## **Technical Specifications and User Guidance**

#### + Device Inputs and Outputs:

- + Inputs: Physiological data including heart rate, temperature, and SpO2.
- Outputs: Data is displayed through the Cosinuss app, providing actionable insights and alerts when parameters deviate from normal ranges.

#### + User-Friendliness:

- + The device is designed to be operated by users with no prior technical knowledge.
- + Detailed user manuals and quick-start guides are provided for both patients and healthcare providers.





## Advantages and Developmental Insights

- + The earplug's minimal intrusiveness and the ability to monitor multiple vital signs simultaneously set it apart from traditional monitoring methods.
- + Its development is guided by feedback from ongoing clinical trials aimed at maximizing functionality and user experience.
- + Although currently suitable for up to 24 hours of use between charges, future enhancements will focus on extending battery life and broadening monitoring capabilities.



### **Potential Broader Applications**

- + While primarily designed for patient monitoring in healthcare settings, the Cosinuss 2 also has potential applications in sports medicine and remote area health monitoring.
- + Its ability to provide continuous, accurate vital signs monitoring can be particularly beneficial in environments where traditional monitoring tools are impractical.



## **Appendix: Visual Aids and Support**

- + Further support that can be provided includes visual aids detailing the:
  - + insertion technique,
  - + app interface, and
  - + proper care procedures for the device.
- + These aids are designed to support the textual content, ensuring that users of all levels can effectively understand and operate the Cosinuss 2.





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