

## FEATURES OF UNEXEF

The specialized device for FMD (Flow-Mediated Dilation) Test -

Endothelial Dysfunction is thought to be an important factor in the pathogenesis of Cardio Vascular Diseases. FMD (Flow Mediated Dilation) Test was innovated for checking Endothelial Vascular Function. The increase of blood flow provokes the release of nitric oxide (NO) from Vascular Endothelial cells and it results in vasodilation of the artery that can be quantified as an index of the amount of NO released. The measurement of the artery diameter in vasodilation is used for FMD Test.
UNEX EF enables the beat by beat measurement of the artery diameter with the automatic tracking of the artery image to adjust the probe position properly. UNEX EF provides the solution to apply FMD test to a clinical research study and a clinical usage.
$1 \begin{aligned} & \text { H-SHAPED PROBE CAPTURESALONG-AND TWO SHORT-AXIS } \\ & \text { IMAGES SIMULTANEOUSLY. }\end{aligned}$
Three images give an image of the relative positioning between the probe and the artery, and the use of three images realizes the automatic correction of the probe position.


HYBRID-ARM IS A PROBE-HOLDING UNIT EQUIPPED WITH TRACKING SYSTEM.


Traditional ultrasound assessment for FMD requires a significant learning curve to establish high quality and accuracy in the method The Hybrid-arm can solve the technical skill issue by its software operated functions: alignment and tracking of the images.

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THEALIGNMENT OFTHE BLOOD VESSELIMAGES ISAUTOMATIC.

$\triangle$ TRUE MAXIMUM DIAMATER IS DETECTED TO CALCULATE FMD.

The true maximum arterial diameter is detected through the trend-graph that shows the diameter change measured per beat after deflation.


1. Wrap the cuff on the forearm
2. Set the probe on the upper arm
3. Set the ECG crips on both arms
4. Tap the center of two short axis images of the artery
5. Tap the [Occlusion] button
6. Wait for the announcement of the end
7. Aresult is printed right after
