

Modification - Design History

2004.

The original Laboratory Analogue Clock, being no longer available, was replaced with a Digital version for the “Stop / Start / Reset” functions (2002).

This version was ultimately found to be not acceptable to CE requirements (early 2004).

A search of all, watch and clock manufacturers, has found that the nearest available for the required function has too many functions and could therefore cause confusion and potential delay in the operation of the Tom Thumb unit.

This was deemed to be unacceptable; therefore a timer with the desired functions of Start, Freeze and Reset, was required.

Design and development began in early 2004 with a view to designing a Viamed Apgar Timer for use in the Resuscitation cabinets.

The unit was to be designed with a view to attachments for the standard Medirail.