



2 August 2024

### Request

1. How many defibrillators is each parish responsible for? (St Ouen, St Brelade, Trinity, St Peter, St Martin, St Lawrence, St Helier, St Saviour, St John, Grouville, St Mary and St Clement).
2. Of the defibrillators listed, according to the defibrillator's instructions, how often should each machine have its battery checked? (For example: Weekly, Monthly etc) (To ensure it can be used when needed).
3. Of the defibrillators listed, according to the defibrillator's instructions, how often should each machine have the expiry date of its defib pads checked? (For example: Weekly, Monthly).
4. Please can you provide confirmation of the date each defibrillator was last/most recently checked?
5. Please can each parish identify which defibrillators are currently out of use and cannot be used.
6. For each defibrillator which is out of use, please provide a reason why.

### Response

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<b>St Brelade</b>	1	No instructions supplied	No instructions supplied	The machine, pads and battery are checked monthly and recorded on a check sheet inside the defibrillator – last checked 18 July 2024	n/a	n/a
<b>St Clement</b>	1	It performs a self-test every day. In addition, a battery insertion self-test is run whenever a battery is installed in the device. As long as the green ready light on, it is NOT necessary to test the defibrillator by initiating a battery insertion self-test. This uses battery power and risks draining the battery prematurely. The	Periodically and after each use.	Green Light – Daily. Pads - Wednesday 5 June 2024	n/a	n/a

		defibrillator's extensive automatic self-test features eliminate the need for any manual calibration.				
<b>Grouville</b>	3 (1 waiting to be installed so not in use)	The instructions do not say how often they should be checked. However, for IPAD AEDs (the Parish has two but one is not yet installed) the website states to check the defibrillators once a week in the winter.	The instructions do not say how often they should be checked. It only advises to replace the pads when they expire.	2024	1 not currently installed	Awaiting planning permission
<b>St Helier</b>	7	<u>For the CU-SP1</u> the manual says "When the device is in storage, Check the status LCD periodically to ensure that the device is in good condition" and in the maintenance section "Inspect the i-PAD CU-SP! Daily to ensure that it is always ready for an emergency. Check the status of the device, battery, and pads as displayed on the status LCD" <u>For the FRx</u> , the manual says "store in an area with easy access for checking the ready light periodically and easily heard chirp if the unit requires attention" and in the maintenance section "Maintenance is limited to	<u>For the CU-SP1</u> Throughout the manual it says "When the device is in storage, Check the status LCD periodically to ensure that the device is in good condition" and "Inspect the i-PAD CU-SP! Daily to ensure that it is always ready for an emergency. Check the status of the device, battery, and pads as displayed on the status LCD" <u>For the FRx</u> , the manual says "store in an area with easy access for checking the ready light periodically and easily heard chirp if the unit requires attention" in the maintenance section of the manual it states "Maintenance is limited to	4 external defibrillators – 5/7/2024 (checked monthly)  Internal defibrillators – checked monthly and annual inspection of the devices and replacement of pads and batteries as required.  York Street - pads replaced on the FRx on 28/5/2024, the unit was visually inspected as per the Manual. CU-SP1 in the pad site in Seale Street -visually checked including the Status indicators on 28/5/2024 Nelson Street FRx - new Battery December 2023 and a new set of Pads January 2024, the unit is in	n/a	n/a

		periodically checking the following, the Green ready light, replace any used, expired or damaged supplies and visual external check “	periodically checking the following, the Green ready light, replace any used, expired or damaged supplies and visual external check“	a high flow thoroughfare, and it is reported if the unit chirps as per as per manual. St Ewold’s unit is in a high flow thoroughfare, and is reported if the unit chirps as per as per manual.		
<b>St John</b>	5	Not held	Not held	Not held All 5 Defibrillators are regularly checked but results are not formally recorded unless a problem is found.	n/a	n/a
<b>St Lawrence</b>	1	According to the defibrillator’s instructions, we are told that the machine ‘performs a self test everyday recommending periodic testing’.	There is no recommendation from the defibrillator’s instructions. The Parish makes 6 monthly checks.	18 March 2024 The Parish makes 6 monthly checks.	n/a	n/a
<b>St Martin</b>	1	Monthly	Monthly	August 2023	Out of use	Awaiting new battery
<b>St Mary</b>	3	Devices monitored by Independent Training and Medical Supplies or Jersey Heart Support Group as to pads and batteries, in accordance with manufacturers’ instructions	Devices monitored by Independent Training and Medical Supplies or Jersey Heart Support Group as to pads and batteries, in accordance with manufacturers’ instructions	4 April 2024, 26 April 2024 and 16 July 2024	n/a	n/a
<b>St Ouen</b>	1	Maintenance statement: Please ensure this cabinet is regularly checked. No further instructions on actual	No instruction, however, a diary note is made one month before the expiry date (24.10.2025) to ensure new pads are obtained.	Not held, regularly checked by staff but no record kept.	n/a	n/a

		defibrillator.				
<b>St Peter</b>	1	Instructions - If the machine flashes or beeps, this is an indication it needs checking, however it is checked monthly.	Instructions - The machines beeps if the pads have expired however it is checked monthly.	Checked monthly; New smart pads fitted April 2024 and a new battery fitted June 2024.	n/a	n/a
<b>St Saviour</b>	1 Public access (outside Parish Hall) and 1 inside the Parish Hall.	Maintenance instructions are not provided with the defibrillators.	Maintenance instructions are not provided with the defibrillators.	Both defibrillators were last checked on 18 <sup>th</sup> June 2024 – monthly checks are undertaken. Next battery and pad check is due on 18 <sup>th</sup> July 2024.	n/a	n/a
<b>Trinity</b>	1	The maintenance statement states 'Please ensure this cabinet is regularly checked'.	The maintenance statement states 'Please ensure this cabinet is regularly checked'.	5 July 2024 Battery is checked monthly by Parish staff. Additional maintenance of the defibrillator is outsourced and the third party ensures that all pads are replaced before expiry	n/a	n/a