

AED Checklist

In the maritime sector, a functioning AED is vital. Whether you work on board a ship, offshore or at a port location, fast and effective CPR can make all the difference. This is why regular maintenance and check-ups of your AED are crucial.

Below is a handy checklist to help you keep your AED operational and deployable.



Shelf life of the electrodes

The expiry date of electrodes can be found on the packaging. Old electrodes do not conduct as well, so the life-saving shock may not be effective. Therefore it is crucial that your electrodes are in good condition!

Packaging of electrodes

Is the packaging of the electrodes undamaged? Opened or damaged packaging can cause the conductive gel to dry out, reducing the effectiveness of the electrodes.



Status indicator

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Complete Rescue Kit present

Is there a complete Rescue Kit present with your AED? This kit contains everything you need during resuscitation, such as scissors, razor, disinfectant material, breathing mask and gloves.

[View the rescue kit here](#)

Not sure or have any questions?

If you have enquiries about AEDs or maintenance, or have questions about the status of your AED, or would simply like to ask a question or request advice, then Medisol will be happy to help you!

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