

# ActiveECG for Palm OS Handhelds Update Information

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## Introduction

This document describes new features and changes in ActiveECG for Palm OS handhelds since the manual was printed.

## ActiveECG Palm OS application

The version of the ActiveECG Palm OS application can be displayed by selecting the “About ActiveECG...” menu item. The current software version is 1.10.

ActiveECG now includes the ability to print and fax recorded strips directly from the Palm. This feature is valuable for quickly outputting a strip before you are able to print it with the ActiveECG Windows application. Printing requires the InStep Print application and faxing requires the InStep Fax application. Both of these products are available from The InStep Group, Inc. at [www.instepgroup.com](http://www.instepgroup.com). Free 30 day trial versions are available on the InStep web site.

In addition to installing the InStep products, the ActiveECG Printer Driver must also be installed on your Palm device. This driver was written by The InStep Group but is available on the Active Corporation web site (ActiveECG Downloads section - InStepAECG.PRC). Install this PRC file like any normal Palm application.

Note that this new printing and faxing capability is only available for Palm OS versions 3.0 and later. Additionally, some printers using the IR capabilities and some fax modems will only work under Palm OS versions 3.5 and later. Contact The InStep Group for more information on printer and fax support.

To print, first set up the InStep Print parameters to describe the printer or fax machine you intend to use. There are extensive capabilities in this software including the support for many printers, fax cover pages, margins, etc. Please read the InStep documentation for more information on their software.

After the InStep parameters have been set, you can print or fax any selected strip in the Strips tab of a patient by selecting the “Print...” or “Fax...” menu item.

Changes were also made to the Configuration form. Display the Configuration form by selecting the “Configure...” menu item.



Note that the Quick Entries “Edit...” button has been changed to the “Quick Entries” button at the bottom of the form. In addition, there is a new popup menu under “Strips Send Btn”. This menu contains Beam, Print, and Fax. The item selected from this popup menu selects the name of the third button in the Strips tab. Originally this button was “Beam.” Now this button will optionally be “Print” or “Fax” depending on the selection of the Strips Send Btn popup menu in the Configuration form.

#### **ActiveECG Windows application**

There have been no changes to this application. The manual correctly describes the current version.

#### **ActiveECG Conduit**

There have been no changes to the ActiveECG conduit. The manual correctly describes the current version.