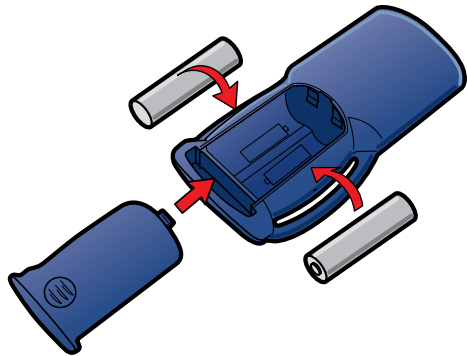
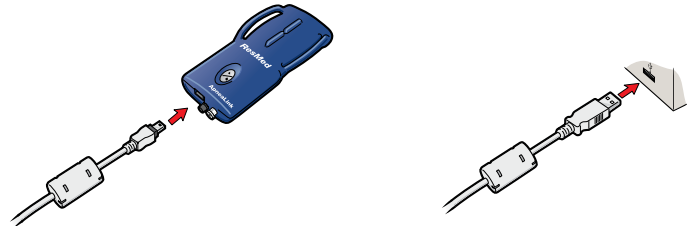


# ApneaLink Setup

## 1 Insert new or freshly charged batteries into the device before each recording



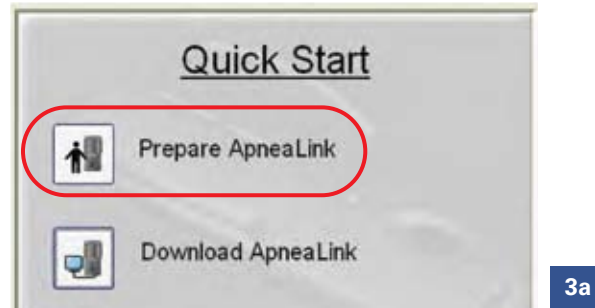
## 2 Connect the ApneaLink device to the computer



**2a:** Insert the small plug of the USB cable into the USB socket on the device

**2b:** Insert the large plug of the USB cable into the USB socket on the computer

## 3 Starting the ApneaLink program



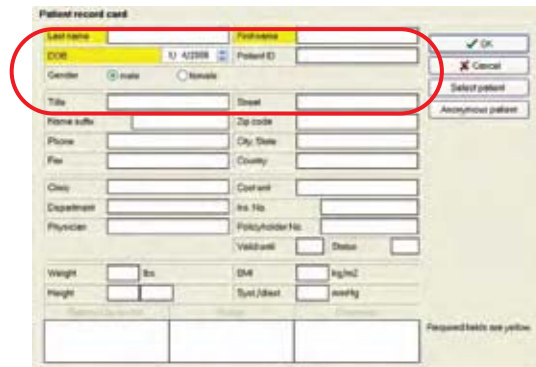
**3a:** Double-click on the ApneaLink program icon from your desktop

**3b:** Once the program is running, the main functions will appear in the Quick Start window

**Note:** A dialog box may appear to warn you if you are attempting to prepare a device that still contains an unprocessed patient study. Proceeding with preparing the device will delete any recordings that have not been downloaded.

## 4 Preparing the ApneaLink (Part 1)

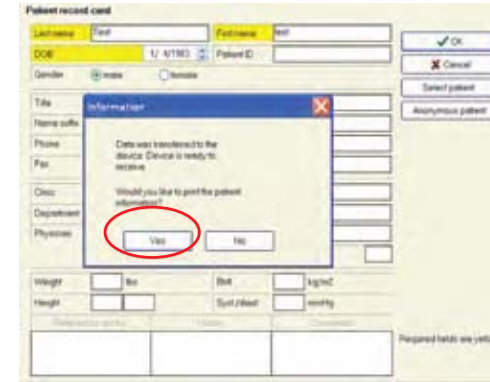
**4a:** To prepare the device select the **Prepare ApneaLink** button from the Quick Start menu (SEE SCREEN 3a)



**4b:** You may now enter the patient's data on the patient record card  
**Note:** Required fields are yellow

**4c:** Select OK

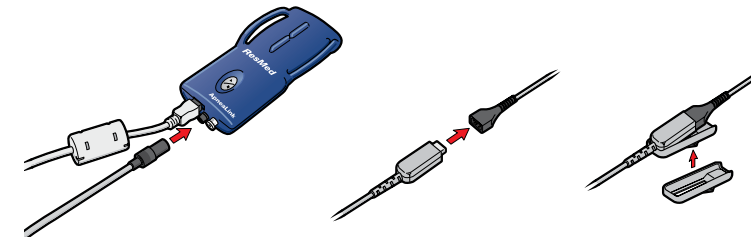
## 4 Preparing the ApneaLink (Part 2)



**4d:** Print out the patient information sheet (this is the device setup instructions for patients) after the device record card is complete

**4e:** Disconnect the ApneaLink from the computer by disconnecting the USB cable from the device

## 5 Attaching the oximetry components



**5a:** Insert the end of the oximetry probe into the device

**5b:** Connect the plug of the finger sensor to the oximetry probe

**5c:** Press the oximeter into the clip-on holder

## 6 Dispensing the ApneaLink

**6a:** Record patient information and device serial number to ApneaLink tracking sheet

**6b:** Instruct patient to complete Patient Liability Form

**6c:** Provide patient with ApneaLink device and patient kit

**Please ensure the ApneaLink bag contains the following:**

1. ApneaLink device w/ fresh batteries and oximetry probe connected
2. Nasal cannula, oximetry finger sensor and ApneaLink belt (single use or reusable)
3. Patient instructions and facility contact information

### ApneaLink and Oximetry Components



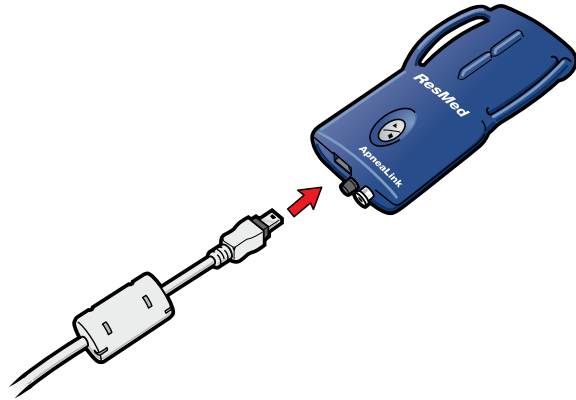
- **ApneaLink Device**
- **Oximetry Probe:** Gray cable that connects directly into the ApneaLink device
- **Oximetry Finger Sensor:** White cable that connects into the oximetry probe and attaches to the patient's finger
- **ApneaLink Belt:** Elastic belt used to secure ApneaLink device to patient during use (image shows reusable belt)

# ApneaLink Download

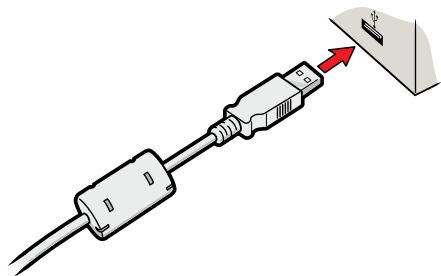
Device download

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## 1 Connect the ApneaLink device to the computer

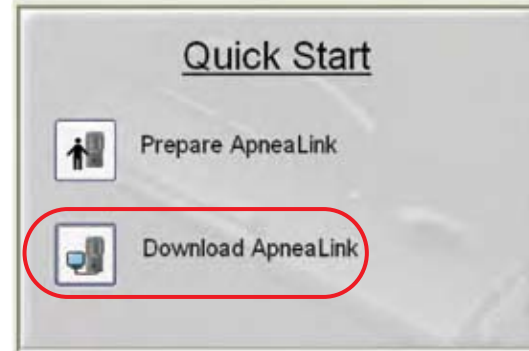


**1a:** Insert the small plug of the USB cable into the USB socket on the device



**1b:** Insert the large plug of the USB cable into the USB socket on the computer

## 2 Starting the ApneaLink program



2a

**2a:** Double-click on the ApneaLink program icon from your desktop

**2b:** Once the program is running, the main functions will appear in the Quick Start window

**Note:** If the device status displays a continuous red light and flashes the "missing" error message, insert new or freshly charged batteries into the device.

## 3 Downloading the ApneaLink

**3a:** To download the device, select the **Download ApneaLink** button from the Quick Start menu (SEE SCREEN 2a) The download process may take up to 5 minutes, depending on the amount of data stored in the device.

**3b:** The download process is indicated with a status bar



**3c:** The data transfer and analysis are complete when the report is displayed

**3d:** Disconnect the ApneaLink from the computer by disconnecting the USB cable from the device

## 4 Returning Device

**4a:** Remove the batteries from the ApneaLink device

**4b:** Discard any disposable items. The following items can be discarded once the unit is returned:

**1.** Nasal cannula **2.** Oximetry finger sensor **3.** Single use belt (Black reusable belt should not be discarded) **4.** Patient instructions



**4c:** Detach pulse oximetry probe from ApneaLink

**4d:** Clean the outside of the device, pulse oximetry housing, pulse oximetry cabling, and clip using a damp cloth with mild liquid soap

**4e:** Leave clean parts to dry before returning to ApneaLink bag for storage

**4f:** Document device return on ApneaLink tracking sheet

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