

2021 Circuit disruption

Permission to print:	Yes
Category	Circuit disruption
Incident type	Good Catch Near Miss
Type of incident:	Equipment
Duration of incident:	minutes
Description:	After priming an Inspire 6 circuit and recircuiting through a 0.2 prebypass filter, a steady leak was noticed from the junction of the arterial temperature port and the body of the oxygenator. After taking a video of the leak to be sent to the manufacturer, the circuit was replaced and the device retained for return. The batch number was 2007060052.
GOOD CATCH - what went well	The leak was obvious enough to be noticed prior to going onto bypass
What could we do better	nothing
Preventive actions	Team advised to be vigilant for this at circuit prime.
Hospital incident filed:	No
Ext Authority Advised	No
Discussed with team:	Yes
Manufacturer advised:	Yes
Protocol issue	No
Rule issue	No
Skill issue	No
Team Issue	No

