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Press Release

Active Corporation Announces ActiveECG™

Breakthrough in price and portability for Palm OS® based handheld cardiac monitor

CASTINE, Maine--(HealthWire)--June 25, 2001--Active Corporation, producer of portable medical devices used "when life is on the line™," today announced ActiveECG, an inexpensive, handheld, professional cardiac monitor which can be used with Palm (NASDAQ: PALM) handheld computers. Active Corporation has received 510(k) clearance from the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) to market ActiveECG to medical professionals and their patients. This is the first device for the Palm OS to receive FDA 510(k) clearance.

ActiveECG provides real-time display of ECG data and recording of ECG "strips" on a Palm OS handheld. ECG strips can be stored, reviewed and printed on any compatible PC, or transmitted to other computers. This capability allows quick and easy remote diagnosis.

ActiveECG will be used in many environments, including: cardiac monitoring, home health care, emergency medicine, telemedicine, pacemaker monitoring, cardiac rehabilitation, nursing home and nursing care, and even veterinary medicine.

Jeffrey Siegel, President of Active Corporation, stated, "We believe ActiveECG is a breakthrough in the ability to rapidly monitor and diagnose heart-related conditions, anywhere, anytime. This kind of innovation is what Active wants to bring to the medical community. At one-fourth the price and a fraction of the size of existing cardiac monitors, ActiveECG is truly revolutionary."

Gabriel Acosta-Lopez, senior director of platform alliance and partner services at Palm, stated, "We are extremely pleased that the FDA has recognized this product and has granted clearance to ActiveECG in combination with our Palm handhelds and Palm OS platform. We expect this announcement to pave the way for additional Palm-based innovation in the medical device and application software field."

Active Corporation is also announcing today the immediate availability of the ActiveECG device via its eCommerce site <http://www.activecenter.com>. The toll-free number for Active's order line is (888) 895-6280 and for international sales, the order line is (614) 434-2586.

ActiveECG has an introductory price of only \$499 and includes the ActiveECG hardware, documentation, software, ECG leadwires, battery, test cable and extra cover, and is covered by a one-year warranty.

More information on Active Corporation and ActiveECG is available at <http://www.activecenter.com>.

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