

React Health/VOCSN Ventilator Medical Device Recall

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This is a REACT HEALTH Medical Device Recall as well as an Early Alert Notice issued by the FDA. You do not need to return your device.

Quick Facts

Is this a recall?	This is a product recall according to the REACT HEALTH; however, the FDA has only issued an Early Alert notice.
What's affected	All VOCSN ventilator configurations with serial numbers 112786 and higher
Who issued this	Recall Health VOCSN Ventilator-2026-MDR-01 September 17, 2026
Do I need to do anything right now?	No. Keep using your ventilator as prescribed.
Will I be contacted?	Yes, if your specific device needs inspection or service.
How common is the issue?	React Health has identified 213 complaints regarding system reboots (with alarm). As of August 12, 2026, React Health has not reported any serious injuries or deaths associated with this issue and no adverse events have been reported or identified for this issue during patient therapy.

What's happening

React Health has identified that the internal flow transducer (IFT) cable connector on VOCSN ventilator devices may become partially or fully unseated and result in loss of communication with the internal flow transducer board. This condition can lead to device reboots and recurring System Fault 10 alarms. Substantial impacts to the device, such as dropping the device, may cause the IFT cable to become partially or fully unseated. Respire is working directly with React Health to prioritize inspections and repairs and coordinate replacement components as needed.

What this means for you

Keep using your ventilator as prescribed. Don't stop therapy or return your equipment on your own — only your physician or Respire should direct a change like that.

While we complete our review, please make sure:

- Your backup ventilator or manual resuscitator is on hand and ready to use
- Caregivers know how to respond to a ventilator alarm
- You know how to reach Respire if something seems wrong

What Respire is doing

- Checking every React Health VOCSN ventilator in our patient population against the manufacturer's criteria
- We are recommending that patients begin performing a circuit calibration before each use of their ventilator. Recalibration will ensure the unit is in proper working order. Contact your local clinical team if you need to review performing this procedure.
- If the device is dropped or experiences an impact, patients should contact Respire Homecare Services so our clinicians can perform the Checkout Procedure in the VOCSN Series Ventilator Portfolio Clinical & Technical Manual, LBL-00001, prior to patient use to confirm device performance.
- Prioritizing patients based on clinical need, in coordination with treating physicians

- Reaching out directly to any patient whose device needs follow-up

If you don't hear from us, no action is needed on your end right now — we're continuing to monitor the situation and will follow up if that changes.

Frequently Asked Questions

Is this a product recall?

Yes, this is a product recall according to the manufacturer; however, the FDA has only issued an Early Alert notice. Per instructions directly from React Health, *“Patients should not discontinue therapy unless instructed to do so by their treating clinician and an appropriate alternative means of ventilation is available. No devices are required to be returned to React Health as part of this notification.”*

Should I stop using my ventilator?

No. Continue your prescribed therapy unless your physician or Respire tells you otherwise.

Is my ventilator safe to use?

As of August 12, 2026, React Health has not reported any serious injuries or deaths associated with this issue and none of these devices have failed while a patient was actively receiving ventilation therapy.

How will I know if my ventilator is affected?

Respire is checking device serial numbers against the manufacturer's list. You don't need to check this yourself — we'll contact you if your device needs attention.

What if my ventilator alarms or stops working?

Follow your emergency respiratory plan, switch to backup equipment if needed, and call Respire right away. If you're having trouble breathing, call 911 immediately.

I'm a physician or referral partner — where can I get more details?

Contact our clinical team below for the full manufacturer notice, the patient prioritization framework, and guidance on managing affected patients.

Contact Us

Phone: (888) 800-9445

Email: compliance@respirehomecare.com

Medical Emergency? Call 911.