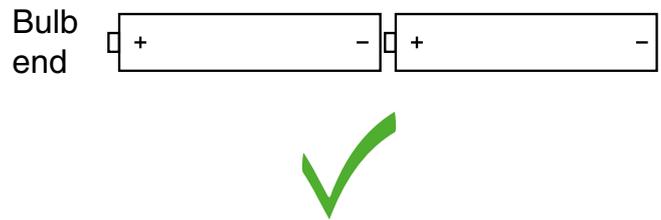


Equipment Troubleshooting

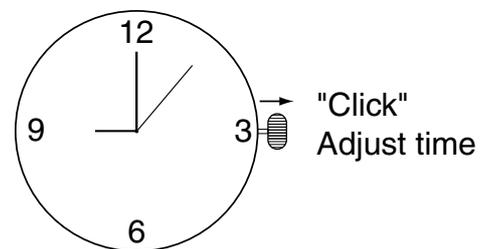
Torches

Check that batteries are inserted correctly. Try installing new batteries. If torch still does not work, bulb or switch (if applicable) may be faulty.

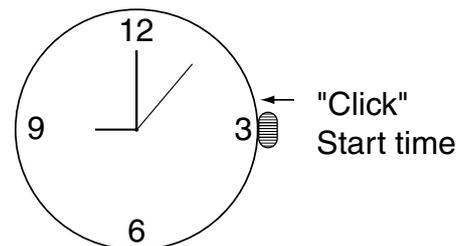


Watches

If watch does not work, try depressing the adjustment knob to ensure it is clicked into place. This activates the time mechanism. Gently pulling the knob away from the body allows time to be adjusted.



If the adjustment knob is depressed and second hand does not move replace the battery. If after installing a new battery the watch still does not work, mechanism may be faulty.



Sphygmomanometers

The section of cuff with the tube or tubes should be placed on the arm and the rest of the cuff wrapped around so that the velcro sections attach securely. Most cuffs have the word artery or similar indicator and this should be visible when applied to the arm and in the correct location as indicated.

The needle should approximate close to the "0" mark when fully deflated otherwise calibration may be required. If the needle is stuck at any point after deflation, the gauge requires calibration, repairing or replacement. (NB. Standards allow a tolerance of +/- 3mm Hg to be regarded as within calibration).

It is normal for the gauge to show a slight gradual drop in pressure after inflation as the pressure stabilises within the cuff or as a result of minute leaks especially in the basic ranges. After a few seconds, it will stop falling or move only very slightly. Do not over tighten air release valve in either the open or closed position which can result in irreparable damage to the device.