

VAD Patient Responsibilities

BLACK EMERGENCY BAG WITH YOU AT ALL TIMES!!

DAILY

- Fill out log sheet
- Controller Self-Test
- Driveline Safety Tab
- Inspect driveline for kinks, cracks or tears
- Check & charge batteries

WEEKLY

- Check cables and connectors for damage
- Wipe down cables and equipment (battery charger and wall power unit) with damp cloth
- Rotate batteries

MONTHLY

- Clean battery, battery clips, and battery charger contacts (with alcohol wipe. Be sure to allow to dry completely)