QT432/QT432A/QT432W

INFRARED (IR) / RADIO FREQUENCY (RF) MK2 PENDANT TRANSMITTERS

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ITEMS SUPPLIED (dependent on model purchased)

1 x QT432 patient neck pendant / QT432A attendance neck pendant / QT432W patient wrist pendant
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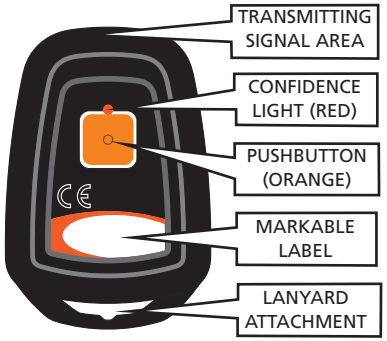
1 x sheet of coloured markable labels
1 x user instruction (this document)

TRANSMITTER FEATURES



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- can be worn either around the neck using a lanyard, or on the wrist using a wrist strap (dependent on model purchased).
- the transmitter generates both IR and RF signals when its pushbutton is pressed. These signals are sent to compatible Quantec IR call points / ceiling receivers and RF receivers.
- the Quantec Controller is sent a 'low battery warning' signal if the transmitter's battery charge is running low.
- each transmitter can be configured to generate different call levels including Call, Presence, Help Required, Reset or Attendance*. The default factory settings are Call (for QT432 & QT432W) & Attendance (for QT432A).
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** Attendance calls are only available with the QT432A.*

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2. Upon activation, the transmitter's confidence light flickers red to confirm that a signal is being transmitted.
3. The IR and RF signals generated by the transmitter are picked up by compatible Quantec IR call points, IR ceiling receivers and RF receivers within range of the transmitter.
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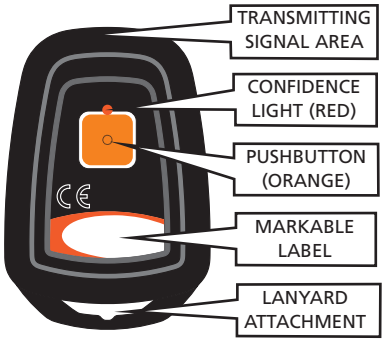

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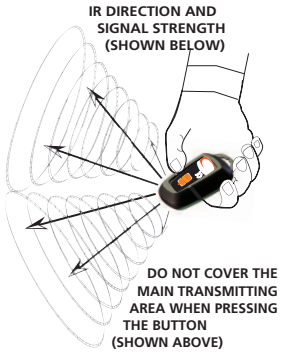

As with most IR transmitters, the pendant emits directional IR signals with varying strengths (shown right). When triggered in the proximity of an IR receiver the pendant can be held in most orientations, as the IR signal will scatter and bounce to locate the receiver. A clear line of sight from transmitter to receiver is not essential.
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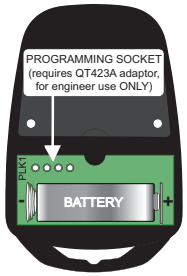
TRANSMITTER BATTERY

Each transmitter is supplied with a 12 V alkaline battery, type A23/23A (8LR23), which is non-rechargeable. Do not use any other type of battery as this could damage the transmitter and void its warranty. Dispose of the battery following the manufacturers' recommended procedures.



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RECONFIGURING THE TRANSMITTER (OPTIONAL)

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TESTING THE TRANSMITTER

The QT302RT Quantec test IR ceiling receiver verifies the correct IR operation of the transmitters. It is recommended that at least one is used per system. Please be aware when testing the transmitter's IR operation that any radio receivers within its range may trigger at the same time.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION (FACTORY DEFAULTS)

Infrared	940 nm modulated @ 38 KHz
Infrared range	10 metres line of sight**
Radio frequency	(RF868.3 MHz - this product is license exempt as per EN 300 220)
Radio range	60 metres**
Weight (including battery)	30 grams
Overall dimensions (main body) W x H x D	46 mm x 67 mm x 17 mm
Ingress Protection rating	IP 41
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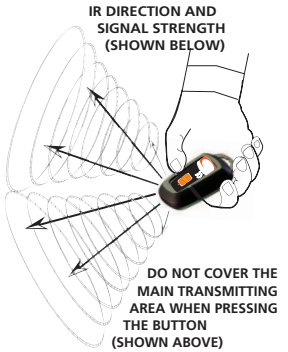

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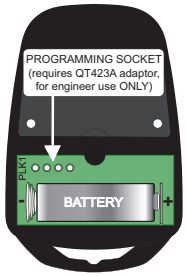

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