The WatchCare™ System provides caregivers with real-time incontinence detection and is designed to:

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- IMPROVE PATIENT EXPERIENCE
- OPTIMIZE CAREGIVER EFFECTIVENESS
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- Monitor resting patients without awkward incontinence checks
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The WatchCare™ Incontinence Management System may help nursing and hospital management improve the patient experience and reduce skin breakdown/pressure injuries, both of which have a measurable impact on patient satisfaction, clinical outcomes and hospital economics. A disposable smart pad detects when a pad becomes wet (urine or liquid fecal). Hardware is mounted under the bed. System connects to ¼" equipment jack. Sends alerts through nurse call system. A subtle light appears on the floor at the foot of the bed.
Technical Specifications

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