

Fresenius Medical Care North America Service Bulletin

Equipment: All 2008 Series Hemodialysis Machines
Bulletin: 21-FRS-001 Rev A
Subject: New Style Valve

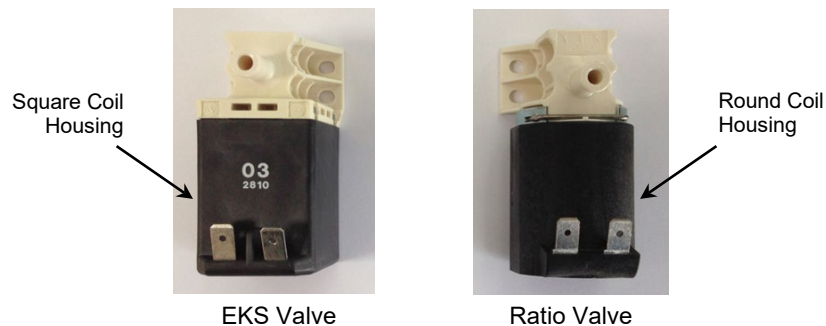
1.0 PURPOSE

To inform all Field Service and Technical Support personnel as well as Fresenius Medical Care-trained customers of the use of a new style valve on 2008 Series hemodialysis machines.

2.0 DESCRIPTION

All 2008K, 2008K² and 2008K@Home and some 2008T hemodialysis machines were originally manufactured with a square shaped valve known as an EKS valve. There is a new style valve that is round in shape and is known as a Ratio valve.

The functionality of the Ratio valve is identical to the original EKS valves and can be used interchangeably in the 2008 Series hydraulics.



Note: The image above is an example of a single ported valve however, dual ports valves are also available. Refer to the 2008 Series Spare Parts Manual (part number 490124) for part numbers for individual valves as well as valve assemblies.

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