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Model: 08-300 | Brand: Veridian Healthcare

## 1. INTRODUCTION

The Veridian Digital Thermometer Model 08-300 provides accurate and reliable temperature measurements for oral, rectal, or underarm use. Designed for convenience, it features a 60-second readout, a fever alert, and memory recall for the last reading. This manual provides instructions for proper use, maintenance, and troubleshooting to ensure optimal performance.

### Key Features:

- 60-second measurement with completion alert.
- Fever alert alarm for temperatures 100.0°F (37.7°C) or higher.
- Last reading memory recall.
- Switchable Fahrenheit/Celsius display.
- Water-resistant for easy cleaning.
- Automatic shut-off to conserve battery life.
- Includes storage case and probe covers.

# OUTSTANDING FEATURES

- 60-SECOND READOUT
- PROFESSIONAL ACCURACY
- PEAK TEMPERATURE TONE
- LAST READING MEMORY RECALL
- FEVER ALERT
- DUAL SCALE °F / °C



Image: The Veridian Digital Thermometer highlighting its outstanding features such as 60-second readout, professional accuracy, peak temperature tone, last reading memory recall, fever alert, and dual scale.

## 2. PACKAGE CONTENTS AND SETUP

### Package Contents:

- Veridian Digital Thermometer
- Storage Case
- LR41 Battery (pre-installed)
- 5 Probe Covers
- Instruction Manual (English/Spanish)

# IN THE BOX

- THERMOMETER
- STORAGE CASE
- BATTERY
- 5 PROBE COVERS
- ENGLISH/SPANISH INSTRUCTIONS



Image: A visual representation of the items included in the box: the thermometer, storage case, battery, 5 probe covers, and instructions.

## Initial Setup:

1. Remove the thermometer from its packaging and storage case.
2. The LR41 battery is pre-installed. If the display does not turn on, refer to the 'Battery Replacement' section.
3. Clean the thermometer tip before first use as per the 'Maintenance and Cleaning' section.

## 3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

### Taking a Temperature:

1. Press the power button to turn on the thermometer. A short beep will sound, and the last measured temperature will display for approximately 2 seconds.
2. The display will then show 'L°F' or 'L°C' with the '°F' or '°C' flashing, indicating it is ready for measurement.
3. Position the thermometer tip according to the desired measurement method:
  - **Oral Use:** Place the tip well under the tongue. Close the mouth and hold the thermometer in place.

- **Rectal Use:** Lubricate the tip with a water-soluble jelly. Gently insert the tip no more than 1/2 inch into the rectum.
  - **Underarm (Axillary) Use:** Place the tip in the armpit so the tip touches the skin. Hold the arm firmly against the body.
4. Hold the thermometer in position until the measurement is complete (approximately 60 seconds). The thermometer will beep when the reading is stable.
  5. Read the temperature displayed.
  6. Press the power button to turn off the thermometer. If not turned off, it will automatically shut off after approximately 10 minutes.

# 60-SECOND MEASUREMENTS



**PRESS  
POWER BUTTON  
ON**



**PLACE PROBE  
TIP UNDER  
TONGUE**



**BEEPS WHEN  
READING IS  
COMPLETE**

\*TEMPERATURE READINGS WILL VARY BASED ON BODY MEASURING POINT

Image: Step-by-step visual guide for taking a temperature, showing to press the power button, place the probe tip under the tongue, and wait for the beep indicating completion.

# STURDY RIGID TIP

FOR  
ORAL • RECTAL • UNDERARM  
APPLICATION



Image: A close-up of the thermometer's rigid tip, suitable for oral, rectal, or underarm temperature measurements.

## **Fever Alert:**

If the measured temperature is 100.0°F (37.7°C) or higher, the thermometer will emit a series of rapid beeps to indicate a fever.

## **Switching Between Fahrenheit and Celsius:**

With the thermometer off, press and hold the power button for approximately 5 seconds until the display changes from °F to °C or vice versa. Release the button to set the desired unit.

## **4. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING**

### **Cleaning the Thermometer:**

The Veridian Digital Thermometer is water-resistant and designed for easy cleaning. After each use, especially if used without a probe cover, clean the thermometer tip with soap and cool water. Alternatively, wipe the tip with an alcohol swab (70% isopropyl alcohol). Do not immerse the entire thermometer in water or any cleaning solution. The thermometer is designed for hand washing only.

### **Storage:**

Store the thermometer in its protective storage case at room temperature, away from direct sunlight, dust, and humidity. Keep out of reach of children.

## Battery Replacement:

When the battery symbol appears on the display, the LR41 battery needs to be replaced. To replace the battery:

1. Carefully remove the battery cap at the end of the thermometer.
2. Use a non-metallic pointed object to gently remove the old LR41 battery.
3. Insert a new LR41 battery with the positive (+) side facing up.
4. Replace the battery cap securely.

## 5. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **No Display / Faint Display:** Check the battery. Replace the LR41 battery if necessary. Ensure the battery is inserted correctly with the positive (+) side facing up.
- **Thermometer Does Not Beep:** Ensure the thermometer is turned on correctly. If the battery is low, the beeping function may be affected. Replace the battery. If the issue persists, contact customer support.
- **Inaccurate Readings:** Ensure the thermometer tip is placed correctly for the chosen measurement method. Avoid taking temperature immediately after eating, drinking, or exercising. Allow 15-30 minutes for body temperature to stabilize. Ensure the tip is clean.
- **'Err' Message:** This indicates a measurement error. Ensure the thermometer is used within its operating temperature range and that the tip is properly placed. Turn the thermometer off and on again, then re-attempt the measurement.

## 6. SPECIFICATIONS

<b>Model Number</b>	08-300
<b>Display Type</b>	Digital
<b>Measurement Range</b>	90.0°F - 109.9°F (32.0°C - 42.9°C)
<b>Accuracy</b>	±0.2°F (±0.1°C) between 96.0°F - 102.0°F (35.5°C - 39.0°C)
<b>Power Source</b>	1 x LR41 button cell battery
<b>Battery Life</b>	Approximately 200 hours of continuous operation
<b>Dimensions</b>	5 x 2 x 1 inches
<b>Weight</b>	0.32 ounces
<b>Material</b>	Plastic
<b>Included Components</b>	Thermometer, case, 5 probe covers, LR41 battery & instructions
<b>Standard Met</b>	ASTM

## 7. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

## **Warranty Information:**

The Veridian Digital Thermometer Model 08-300 comes with a one-year limited warranty from the date of purchase. This warranty covers manufacturing defects under normal use. It does not cover damage resulting from misuse, accidents, or unauthorized alterations.

## **Customer Support:**

For any questions, concerns, or assistance with your Veridian Digital Thermometer, please contact Veridian Healthcare customer care. A toll-free number for support is available in the included instructions. You may also visit the official Veridian Healthcare website for more information.