



Increasing patient volumes, amidst staff shortages, are straining nurse workloads. They are under intense stress and feeling burned out. With nurses at the heart of healthcare, make their job easier by automating your nurse call system with real-time locating system (RTLS) technology.

CareFlow™ RTLS interfaces with the Ascom Healthcare Platform (AHP) via the Unite Bridge, saving time and enhancing patient care by providing precise location data. Calls are automatically canceled based on nurse presence in the room, and responses are accurately documented for reliable reporting.

## WHY AUTOMATE YOUR NURSE CALL SYSTEM?

Nurse Call Automation adds RTLS data to Ascom Telligence, empowering clinical staff to:

- **Go straight to patient care.** Staff presence is registered automatically when entering the room, eliminating the need to press the call cancel button. Clinical staff can immediately focus on the patient.
- **Keep a safer, more hygienic environment.** No cancel button means fewer touch points for germs to spread.
- **Accurately record response times.** Responses to patient calls are recorded immediately and automatically. Response records provide unbiased, accurate data that can be used for patient satisfaction and safety initiatives.
- **Automatically document time spent in patient care.** Know how long your staff are at the bedside to inform staffing strategies and resource allocation.
- **Know the status of your unit at a glance.** When a caregiver enters or exits a patient room, the interface activates the appropriate presence and patient call lights, indicating where your staff are and which patients need assistance.
- **Enhance staff safety.** When an RTLS badge button is pressed, Ascom can send notifications showing who needs assistance and where, so help can be sent quickly (only available through the Unite interface).

## HOW CAREFLOW™ NURSE CALL AUTOMATION WORKS:



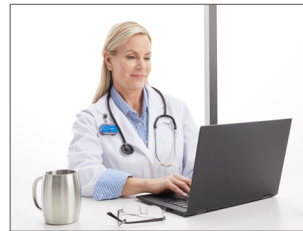
Patient places call and the dome light illuminates.



Nurse enters room and call clears automatically. The dome light updates.



Nurse focuses immediately on patient.



Accurate response times are recorded for reporting.

## CAREFLOW BRIDGE TO ASCOM UNITE

The **CareFlow Bridge to Ascom Unite (VER-8800)** sends location data from CareFlow RTLS to the Ascom Telligence Patient Response System using Ascom Unite Connect for RTLS.

### Interface Requirements—Sold Separately:

- VER-8000 Midmark RTLS Core Software
- AHP - Telligence Nurse Call
- AHP - Unite Middleware

"Rather than documenting when a button was pressed, which might be longer than the actual response time, this allows us to document the exact moment the nurse attended to the patient."

Marilyn Ver Meer, Nursing & Quality Officer  
Sioux Center Health, Sioux Center, Iowa



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