

How To - Change AED Cabinet Alarm Batteries



There are different types of alarm boxes. This is a general how to. Keep in mind, yours may be a little different or take a battery / batteries other than a 9 volt



Disarm the alarm: Insert the key into the lock on the cabinet and turn it to the "off" or "disarm" position.

Open the cabinet and remove the AED: Open the cabinet door and carefully remove the AED unit.

Access the alarm's battery compartment:

Locate the alarm siren/battery case, which is often a separate box inside the cabinet.

Remove any screws holding the case in place, or clip the case off its holder.

Gently pull the front portion away from the back holder to expose the battery, keeping the wire connected to the case so the alarm doesn't sound.

Replace the battery:

Disconnect the old battery / batteries from its terminals.

Connect a new battery / batteries to the terminals.

Place the new battery into the case cavity.

Reassemble and test the alarm:

Snap the battery case back into place.

Close the cabinet door.

Turn the alarm key back to the "on" position.

Open the cabinet door again to make sure the alarm sounds correctly. If the alarm doesn't sound, there may be an issue with the alarm box itself.

Return the AED to its cabinet.