

PORTACOUNT® AND COVID-19

PortaCount® Respirator Fit Tester leads the way with healthcare customers across Australia and New Zealand.



Fit testing in a hospital setting using the PortaCount® 8048

“We have been purchasing PortaCounts and consumables from Kenelec Scientific since 2013, and have appreciated their ongoing support through COVID-19 despite the many unique challenges the industry has faced. I would only trust Kenelec Scientific for purchasing and calibrating our fleet of PortaCounts, and look forward to their ongoing contribution to quantitative face fit testing in Australia.”

*Sebastian Rasche, Managing Director
Pro Safety and Training | RESP-FIT Approved Training Provider*

“We have increased our fleet of 8048 PortaCount® Respirator Fit Testing machines during Covid-19, to meet the healthcare sector demand to provide accurate, reliable and safe Quantitative Fit Testing (QNFT). We have worked closely with all stakeholders (Kenelec Scientific, Health Share Victoria and AIOH RESP-FIT) to effectively provide a superior service during what has been a challenging time for so many..”

*Michael Lukis, Occupational Hygienist
Statewide Air and Noise*

“We have been very active with our National Fit Test program and have worked collaboratively with Kenelec Scientific with the roll out of the PortaCount 8048 Fit Test machines.”

*Chanelle McEnallay, Chief Risk Officer (Australia)
Ramsay Health Care*

The customer

Private and Government healthcare customers across Australia and New Zealand.

The project

The COVID-19 pandemic saw a sharp increase in demand for the PortaCount® Respirator Fit Tester in response to growing demand to fit test frontline healthcare workers.

Our solution

With a collaborative approach with various state governments and TSI, we were able to identify precise needs for fit testing, consumables and training and rolled out PortaCount® models 8038 and 8048 across the states. SA Health have historically been using the PortaCount®, which helped other interstate customers from a networking perspective.

Due to COVID-19 restrictions (including a 111 day lockdown in Victoria), and a halt on any travel, all discussion and meetings were conducted remotely. An additional challenge was the increased global demand for the PortaCount®, impacting supply lead times (sometimes up to 3 months).

The outcome

To date, Kenelec Scientific have supplied a significant number of units to the healthcare sector to ensure the frontline staff are being quantitatively fit tested with the industry-leading PortaCount® 8038 and 8048 models.

Working where respirators are required or recommended? Contact our team to find out more about why the PortaCount® is the best in the business.

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WHY CHOOSE THE PORTACOUNT®?

- The only commercially available instrument in the world that can quantitatively fit test all tight fitting respirator face masks, including all N95, P1, P2 and P3 filtering face piece respirators.
- The TSI 8048 PortaCount® Respirator Fit Tester is a quantitative respirator fit tester. It features intelligent touchscreen solutions* that support respiratory protection programs from training through compliance.

*Screen not included, must be purchased separately.



Our company:

Established in 1962, Kenelec Scientific is one of Australia's leading scientific and environmental technology companies. Based in Melbourne, with distributors located throughout Australia and New Zealand, we are industry leaders in the supply of globally sourced, latest generation technologies at competitive prices.

Our services:

Sales

Buy the latest equipment from some of the most trusted brands in the industry.

Rental

Short and long term hire available on an extensive range of instruments.

Calibration

Professional calibration of your instruments in our accredited laboratories.

Validation

Wide range of validation services to ensure compliance with regulations.

Service & Repairs

Local after-sales service and support from our experienced technicians.

Education

Product education and support available in-house, onsite or online.

Financing

Secure your equipment without relying on up-front capital funding.



8048 PORTACOUNT® RESPIRATOR FIT TESTER

Features

- Compatible with new Modified CNC Protocols
- OSHA, CSA, HSE, INRS and ANSI compliant for all tight-fitting respirators, including series 95, 99, 100, FFP1, FFP2 and FFP3 filtering facepiece respirators
- Built-in N95 Companion™ technology
- Group Fit Test Mode allows administrators to control up to four instruments from a single control screen
- FitPro Ultra™ Fit Test Software automates training, testing and recordkeeping
- The new app-like interface is easy to use and allows users to start a fit test quickly, in fewer steps
- Measures fit factors greater than 10,000

Applications

- Quantitative respirator fit testing (QNFT)
- Half-mask fit testing
- Full-face fit testing
- Disposable filtering-facepiece fit testing for Series 100/99/95/P1/P2/P3 masks
- SCBA fit testing
- Gas mask fit testing
- PAPR fit testing

See for yourself

See how the PortaCount® Fit Tester allows you to simplify your fit test program



We look forward to
working with you.



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