



CYMA'S NEWSLETTER

WELCOME

SPRING HAS COME TO SEATTLE AND WE'VE MADE SOME CHANGES. WE'VE UPDATED OUR WEBSITE AND WELCOME YOU TO THE FIRST EDITION OF OUR NEWSLETTER, **STEP AHEAD**. ITS PURPOSE IS TO PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT CYMA, OUR PRODUCTS, AND ACTIVITY MONITORING. WE INVITE COMMENTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS FROM OUR READERS. IF YOU ARE INVOLVED IN A PROJECT OR APPLICATION USING THE STEPWATCH AND WOULD LIKE TO SHARE NEWS OF YOUR FINDINGS, EXPERIENCES, AWARDS, ETC., PLEASE DROP US A NOTE. WE'D BE HAPPY TO INCLUDE YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS IN THESE PAGES.

NEWS

- **FDA APPROVAL** - CYMA RECEIVES FDA MARKETING CLEARANCE FOR THE STEPWATCH ACTIVITY MONITOR (SAM) AS A CLASS II DEVICE.
- **CYMA BEGINS SHIPPING STEPWATCH 3** - THE STEPWATCH 3 IS LIGHTER, MORE DURABLE, LESS EXPENSIVE, AND RECORDS TWICE AS LONG AS THE STEPWATCH 2. THE NEW DOCKS USE A USB CONNECTION AND DON'T REQUIRE BATTERIES. ASK ABOUT OUR TRADE-IN POLICY.
- **CYMA RECEIVES NIH FAST TRACK SBIR GRANT** TO DEVELOP A COMPUTERIZED PROSTHETIC ALIGNMENT SYSTEM (COMPAS), A TOOL TO ASSIST PROSTHETISTS IN DYNAMICALLY ALIGNING ARTIFICIAL LEGS.



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WWW.CYMATECH.COM/HTML/NEWS/RELEASES.HTML.



MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- THE STEPWATCH ACTIVITY MONITOR (SAM) WAS FEATURED IN A RESEARCH PAPER DELIVERED AT THE MARCH MEETING OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF ORTHOPEDIC SURGEONS (AAOS) IN SAN FRANCISCO BY CHRISTIAN HEISEL, MD, OF HEIDELBERG GERMANY. THE TOPIC WAS "WEAR RATES USING DIFFERENT HIP IMPLANTS." (WWW.AAOS.ORG/WO RDHTML/ANMT2004/SCI PROG/095.HTM)
- KIM COLEMAN, DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH AT CYMA, WILL BE MODERATING AND SPEAKING IN A NUMBER OF SYMPOSIA AT THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR PROSTHETICS AND ORTHOTICS (ISPO) WORLD CONGRESS IN HONG KONG THIS AUGUST. SYMPOSIA INCLUDE: *INSTRUMENTATION TO MEASURE CLINICAL PERFORMANCE AND OUTCOMES IN PROSTHETICS AND ORTHOTICS*. FOR A COMPLETE LISTING, SEE: (WWW.POLYU.EDU.HK/ISPO2004/ISPO2004/SYMPOSIA.HTM)

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