Preventative Maintenance for Audio Headsets

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Replace Speaker and Microphone at Drive-thru Order Point

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**Hazards**
These icons alert you to a possible risk of personal injury.

**Equipment alerts**
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Inspection and Replacement of Batteries

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| Replace: | Every 18 to 24 months and only with batteries supplied by HME

| Why               | To ensure proper operation   |

| Time required | 5 minutes to prepare | 10 minutes to complete |
| Time of day    | Evening after closing | For 24-hour restaurants: during slow period |

Hazard icons | None |

No special tools or supplies required

Procedure

1 Gather all headset batteries. Place batteries on a non-metal surface with the sticker faced upward.

2 Locate date code on batteries. The date code is found on the upper right corner of the sticker.

3 Read the date code. X10JANxxxx First letter is for the week (not needed). Second and third digits are for the year. Fourth, fifth and sixth letters are the month. The four remaining numbers are not needed.

4 Separate old batteries from new batteries. Batteries over 18 to 24 months old should be replaced. Batteries under 18 to 24 months old may continue to be used.

5 Order new batteries if needed. The headset system comes with batteries equal to one and a half times the amount of headsets provided, which should be enough for restaurant use. For example, an 8 headset system comes with 12 batteries. If your restaurant requires batteries, order them from the original equipment manufacturer.

Tip
Order batteries via the SpendSmart Marketplace or call HME Sales at 800-848-4468. Be sure to specify the type of headset in use.

6 Recycle old batteries. Recycle old batteries at your local electronic recycling center.
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Replace Speaker and Microphone

| Why | The speaker and microphone at the outside order point should be replaced every three years by the original equipment manufacturer’s authorized service agent to ensure proper operation. |
| Time required | 30 minutes to prepare | 180 minutes to complete |
| Time of day | For all stores, mornings between breakfast and lunch or after lunch |
| Hazard Icons | Electric |

Tools and supplies

Procedure

1. **Restaurants without an Enhanced Maintenance Agreement**
   The speaker, microphone and acoustic foam at the outside order point are replaced when you purchase a new system. These items should be replaced every three years. When appropriate, contact HME Sales at 800-848-4468 or your authorized HME distributor to order parts and schedule a service call.

2. **Restaurants with Enhanced Maintenance Agreements**
   Restaurants with enhanced maintenance agreements located in the US will be contacted at the appropriate time by an HME installation coordinator to schedule an appointment for this service. Restaurants with enhanced maintenance agreements) and located outside the US will be contacted by the local authorized service agent.
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Inspection and Cleaning

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**Tools and supplies**

- Cloth, clean, soft
- Soap, mild (example shown)
- Pencil eraser

**Procedure**

1. **Gather equipment to be inspected and cleaned.**
   Gather all headsets, belt-pacs, belt-pac headsets, pouches, and batteries. Verify that all headsets and communicators have windscreens, ear foam pads, cushions and pouches. If missing, replace as needed.

   **Tip**
   Order consumable parts by calling HME Sales at 800-848-4468 or via the SpendSmart Marketplace.

2. **Clean battery contacts on batteries and on HS6000, HS6100, HS6200, COM6000 and COM6100 (where applicable).**
   With a clean pencil eraser, gently rub eraser over battery contact. Wipe off eraser shavings with a clean soft cloth.

3. **Clean battery charger.**
   Unplug battery charger from the wall. Turn battery charger upside down and shake out any loose debris. With a clean pencil eraser, gently rub eraser over battery contacts. Wipe off eraser shavings with clean soft cloth.

   **Electricity**
   Make sure the battery charger is unplugged before cleaning and that all batteries have been removed.

4. **Clean all equipment.**
   Use a damp cloth to remove grease and crumbs from your equipment. Mild soap may be used if needed. **Note:** apply soap to cloth, not to product being cleaned

   **Equipment Alert**
   Never clean your drive-thru audio equipment with spray cleaners or solvents as they can cause corrosion.
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Inspection and Replacement of Disposable Parts

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**Tools and supplies**

None

**Procedure**

1. **Gather equipment to be inspected.**
   Gather all headsets, belt-pacs, belt-pac headsets, pouches, and batteries.

   Tip
   For 24-hour restaurants, clean equipment not in use first. Then swap out cleaned equipment with equipment worn by crew members.

2. **Locate the manager’s kit.**
   The manager’s kit has all the replacement parts required.

   Tip
   Order manager’s kits via the SpendSmart Marketplace or call HME Sales at 800-848-4468. Be sure to specify type of headset when ordering.

3. **Replace rubber ear pad on HS6000, HS6100, HS6200 and/or HS6300 (not applicable for HS12).**
   Remove and discard existing ear foam pad and rubber ear pad holder. Replace ear pad holder with one from the manager’s kit by aligning cut out on bottom of ear pad holder with tabs on the headset. Push in to place and slightly twist to secure. Ear foam pad will be replaced in Step 7.

   Tip
   Before removing any parts, make sure to have replacement parts available.

4. **Replace HS6000, HS6100, HS6200, HS6300 inner ear pad, slider pad and small cushion (not applicable for and/or HS12).**
   Peel off old inner ear pad. Peel off slider pad from the side where the battery is located. Peel off small cushion located above the ear foam pad on the side opposite the battery. Remove all adhesive residue from plastic. Replace inner ear pad, slider pad and small foam pad with one each from the manager’s kit.

   Tip
   Remove adhesive residue from plastic by rubbing with finger or finger nail.
Procedure (continued)

5 Replace HS6100, HS6200 and HS6300 headset pad (not applicable for HS6000 and/or HS12).
Remove the HME circular logo sticker on the outside of the side pad holder. A small screw will be revealed. Remove this screw using a T6 screwdriver. Once this screw is removed, pull apart the side pad holder that held the older side pad in place. Replace the older part with the side pad holder contained in the C12026 kit. It has both the plastic and the rubber side pad all in one piece. Use the T6 screwdriver to secure it in place. Reposition the HME logo sticker over the screw on the outside of the side pad holder.

Tip
Remove adhesive residue from plastic by rubbing with finger or finger nail.

6 Replace windscreen on HS6000, HS6100, HS6200, HS6300 and/or HS12.
Peel off the old windscreen(s) from the headset. Remove adhesive residue from the plastic. Install replacement windscreen from the manager’s kit.

Note: The HS6000 and HS6100 have two (2) windscreens, one on each side of the microphone.

8 Check the COM6000 pouch.
Check each pouch to ensure the belt clip is functional. If not, discard pouch and replace with new pouch.

9 Check HS12 clothing clips.
Each HS12 should have two (2) clothing clips. If clips are missing, replace by snapping new clip(s) on to cable.

Tip
Clothing clips help the headsets last longer by avoiding cable snags or burns.

10 Ensure battery charger is functioning properly.
Batteries should fit tightly in the charger. When a battery is placed into the slot, a red light will come on. A green light indicates when the battery is charged. If the charger does not perform as stated or if a yellow light appears when the battery is placed into the slot, please call 1-800-848-4468 for HME Technical Support. Outside the US & Canada please contact your authorized HME distributor.

Tip
Charging the batteries only when the “battery low” message is played in the headset will extend battery life.

7 Replace ear foam on HS6000, HS6100, HS6200, HS6300 and/or HS12.
Remove the old ear foam if not already removed from Step 3. Wrap new ear foam around speaker housing.