RURAL & CRITICAL ACCESS HOSPITALS

DR

Detector Upgrades & Long Format

From CR to DR

The Right DR Detector for Your Rural Hospital

Let's find the right detector for your room.



Rural imaging teams do a lot with a little. **We compare DR detectors from multiple manufacturers** around your room, volume and budget.

RIGHT-SIZED FIT • EASIER TO BUY • EASIER TO FUND • SUPPORTED AFTER INSTALLATION

CR TO DR UPGRADES

Add a DR detector that works with your current X-ray room, when compatible, instead of replacing the whole room.

STANDARD DR

Wireless and fixed detectors for emergency, inpatient and outpatient exams.

LONG FORMAT

Keep full spine and long leg exams close to home instead of sending patients out.

NEW X-RAY ROOMS

If the room itself needs replacing, we compare complete DR X-ray rooms too.

Where a DR Upgrade May Fit

Emergency Department	Inpatient & Outpatient	Long Format & Specialty
• Trauma and fracture exams	• Routine chest and abdomen	• Full spine and long leg
• Chest imaging	• Orthopedic and MSK exams	• Weight-bearing exams
• No cassettes to process	• Outpatient walk-ins	• Scoliosis follow-up

Retrofit tip: If your X-ray room is still in good working order, a compatible DR detector upgrade may be an option. Ask us to check compatibility before you plan a full replacement.

Signs It's Time to Move to DR

- ☑ **Still processing CR cassettes** for every exam
- ☑ **CR reader or detector** getting harder to support
- ☑ **Patients sent out** for long format exams
- ☑ **One tech covering** ED, inpatient and outpatient
- ☑ **Repairs** becoming more frequent

★ **You don't need a selected detector or secured funding to start a conversation.**

How Pulse ISM Helps

Multi-Manufacturer Sourcing
We compare DR detectors from several manufacturers, so the fit comes first.

Grant-Ready Quote Package
Itemized quote, certificates, W-9, SAM/UEI and capability statement in one file.

Nationally Certified
Pulse ISM is nationally certified as a WBE, WOSB, and EDWOSB. That may help with small and women-owned business goals.

We Stay With You
We stay with you from the first call through installation, however long approvals and funding take.

Rural Healthcare. Brighter Together.



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DR Detector Upgrades, Funding Support & Implementation

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Planning Your Upgrade

Your CR to DR Upgrade Path

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Bring Us Your Room Details. We'll Help You Compare Detectors.

TURN YOUR CR TO DR UPGRADE INTO A READY-TO-APPROVE PROJECT

1 IDENTIFY

What Needs Attention?

- Current CR or DR system
- X-ray room age and condition
- Exam mix and volume
- Exams sent elsewhere

2 DEFINE

What Should Change?

- Detector sizes needed
- Wireless or fixed
- Long format needs
- Retrofit or new room

3 BUILD

What Will It Take?

- Compatibility check
- PACS/IT connection
- Installation and training
- Service coordination

4 DOCUMENT

What Goes in the File?

- Itemized quote
- Product specification sheets
- Implementation timeline
- Certificates, W-9, SAM/UEI

FUNDING CONVERSATIONS

Plan the Upgrade. Explore the Funding.

A DR upgrade may align with more than one funding source.

STATE RHTP PROGRAMS

Each state sets its own priorities. DR upgrades may align with modernization goals.

USDA COMMUNITY FACILITIES

Loans and grants for eligible rural facilities and approved projects. Loans are not grants.

HOSPITAL FOUNDATIONS

Community giving may support projects that keep care close to home.

CAPITAL & FINANCING

Our financing partners can review purchase, lease and phased-upgrade options.

Please note: Pulse ISM does not award grants or guarantee eligibility or funding. Confirm procurement rules and allowable equipment costs with your program administrator.

START WITH A 20-MINUTE RURAL IMAGING READINESS REVIEW

You don't need a selected detector or secured funding to start.

Current Equipment | CR to DR | Long Format | Funding Paths | Installation | Training

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