# WHEN TECHNOLOGY BECOMES INVISIBLE, THE PATIENT COMES INTO FOCUS



At Fukuda Denshi we create medical technology with one purpose in mind: to get you the information you need—easily, clearly, quickly, and reliably. We know that technology must be transparent and dependable or it can confuse rather than clarify the patient's situation.

The ideal instrumentation speaks clearly for the patient, communicates seamlessly with you, and delivers reliable performance supported by technical know-how based on decades of experience. Such are the instruments made proudly by Fukuda Denshi.

# **Always patient-centered**

When Mr Takashi Fukuda founded the company over 65 years ago, he did so because he believed that improved medical technology could lead to improved patient care. Today, Fukuda Denshi connects technology to patient care in hospitals large and small around the world, delivering high-level performance and comprehensive functionality at a reasonable cost. As we move forward, we continue to be inspired by the same spirit of technological innovation and devotion to patient well-being that captured our company's founder all those years ago.

From our beginning as a pioneer of the electrocardiograph to our current status as one of the largest medical instrumentation companies of its kind in the world, Fukuda Denshi has always believed we can best serve you by being a strong advocate for patient care.

Fukuda Denshi founded in Tokyo; production begins of first ECG in Japan (vacuum tube, battery operated, photographic 1-channel)

### 1949:

First differential amplifier

### 1951:

First direct-writing

### 1959:

First compact design, highperformance, 1-channel ECG; offices established in United States

## 1965:

Corporate strategy of building industry alliances begins

### 1966:

Portable, directrecording, alltransistorized ECG/PCG developed

# 1968:

Production of heat-pen-writing all-transistorize ECGs begins