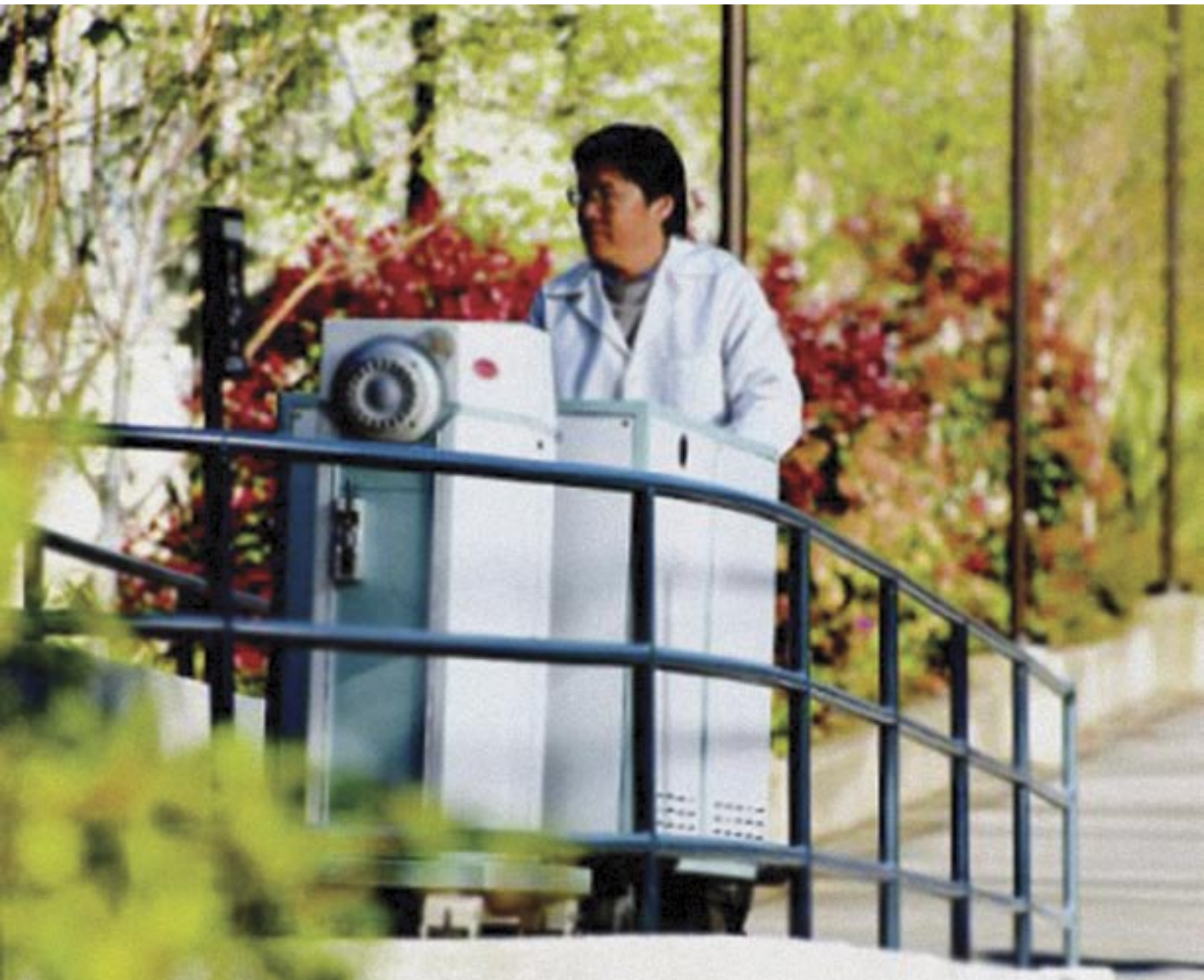




Varian BrachyTherapy Transportable HDR Afterloader Solutions



Transportable Afterloaders Maximize your investment.

With a transportable afterloader solution from Varian BrachyTherapy, you gain all the advantages of a fixed system, plus you can maximize utilization of the system by moving it from one site to another. Varian BrachyTherapy is the only vendor offering a full range of options to suit your specific transportation needs. Whether you need to transport a complete system including film scanner, treatment planning system and afterloader or you just need to transport the afterloader alone, Varian BrachyTherapy has a solution.

Configuring Your Transportable System

Step 1: Choose your afterloader. Transportable solutions are available for the GammaMed*plus*, GammaMed*plus* 3/24 and VariSource 200 Series models. The VariSource 200 Series requires the purchase of a wire lock option for transportation.

Step 2: Choose which configuration option best suits your needs.

Option 1: Completely Transportable HDR System

For those users who wish to make maximum utilization of their investment, the complete HDR system may be transported from one site to another. This option includes one afterloader, one afterloader control console, and one treatment planning system. All components are then built into a motorized cart for transport in a custom fitted van. Each transportable destination site requires a room preparation kit, which includes room wiring, an emergency safe and room monitor.

Option 2: Transportable Afterloader with Control Console

For users who wish to increase utilization of their investment but do not have a need to transport the treatment planning system, this option includes one afterloader and one afterloader control console. Each site requires its own BrachyVision™ treatment planning system and a room preparation kit. A specially modified van is required, but the motorized cart could be an option.

Option 3: Transportable Afterloader

Where convenience and minimal transportation requirements are the most important factors, our transportable afterloader solution is the answer. This solution is also particularly suited to situations where transportation within a facility is required; i.e., an afterloader shared between two treatment rooms. This option provides each destination with an afterloader control console, a room preparation kit, and a treatment planning system. All that needs to be transported is the afterloader, which is simply plugged in at the treatment location, ready for use.

Designed to your Specifications

The VariSource 200 transportable afterloader pictured at right is just a sample of what may be configured. Each unit is unique and is designed specifically to meet your needs.






Custom HDR Afterloaders Options to meet all your transportable requirements.

Transporting Your System

Efficient and easy transportation of your afterloader system is almost as important as the operation of the afterloader itself. That is why Varian BrachyTherapy has chosen to partner with an expert in this field to provide you with a custom solution dependant upon your transportation requirements.

Once you have chosen your system configuration, Varian BrachyTherapy will work with you and our selected transportation specialist, PHS West, Inc., to provide a custom solution to meet your needs from the motorized transport cart right through to the van. An expert in the transportation of medical equipment, PHS West offers the Ergo-Express® Drive System that can be customized to support your specific transportation needs. For details on PHS West products, please visit their website at: www.phswest.com.

These options are not exhaustive. You could decide to move the planning system but not the console, for example. Your needs dictate the configuration, and Varian and PHS West configure the product to meet your needs.

Option 1	Option 2	Option 3
		
Transportable Components		
Afterloader Control Console Custom van Motorized cart BrachyVision planning system	Afterloader Control console Custom van Motorized cart	Afterloader Motorized cart Custom van
Local to Each Destination Site		
Room wiring Emergency safe Room monitor	Room wiring Emergency safe Room monitor BrachyVision planning system	Room wiring Emergency safe Room monitor Control console BrachyVision planning system

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Varian BrachyTherapy provides a full line of brachytherapy products, including: The VariSource™ 200 HDR afterloader, the GammaMedplus™ and GammaMedplus™ 3/24 HDR afterloaders, together with a complete line of treatment and physics accessories; the BrachyVision™ 3D image guided planning system for HDR and LDR brachytherapy planning; the VariSeed™ planning system for permanent seed prostate implants; and the Vitesse™ ultrasound acquisition module for ultrasound-based real time HDR prostate planning.