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# Dräger Patient Monitoring Deployment Guide with Cisco Catalyst Wireless Network Infrastructure

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This document provides design considerations and deployment guidelines for the Dräger Infinity monitoring solution within the Cisco® Catalyst wireless network infrastructure.

**Note:** Support for Dräger products should be obtained directly from Dräger support channels. Cisco Technical Assistance Center (TAC) staff are not trained to resolve problems related to Dräger products.

This guide addresses the configuration parameters that are particular to Dräger Infinity monitoring devices in a managed wireless architecture. Basic network design, wired multicast recommendations, and basic protocol design concepts are beyond the scope of this document. To get the most out of this deployment guide, you should have a fundamental understanding of network architecture and protocol design concepts.

We recommend that you read and become familiar with the terms and concepts presented in the following Cisco documents:

- Wireless considerations in healthcare environments:  
<https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/solutions/industries/healthcare.html>
- Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series multicast configuration:  
[https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/wireless/controller/9800/config-guide/b\\_wl\\_16\\_10\\_cg/wireless-multicast.html](https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/wireless/controller/9800/config-guide/b_wl_16_10_cg/wireless-multicast.html)
- Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series basic configuration (video):  
<https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/wireless/controller/9800/videos/Basic-Configuration-of-Cisco-Catalyst-9800-Series-Wireless-Controller.html>

These documents are available at [Cisco.com](https://www.cisco.com) with the proper login permissions.

## Executive summary

Wireless patient monitors are not a new phenomenon. Patient telemetry has been done over dedicated wireless channels since the early 1970s, first using analog transmission schemes and then transitioning to digital in the 1990s. The advent of 802.11-compatible wireless patient monitors has unlocked the many advantages of using a standard, off-the-shelf wireless technology but has presented some implementation challenges due to the life-critical nature of the application.

A dropped packet or two may slow down a file transfer or webpage access or may result in a garbled word in a wireless voice-over-IP (VoIP) call, but a lost packet in a patient monitoring application may delay alerting nursing staff to an urgent condition, with the potential of serious patient injury. With this understanding, a strong radio policy is critical for such applications running in an 802.11 environment, where packet loss and latency must be kept to a minimum.

This guide provides design and deployment guidelines to help ensure a successful and safe deployment of the Dräger Infinity monitoring solution using the Cisco Catalyst wireless network infrastructure.

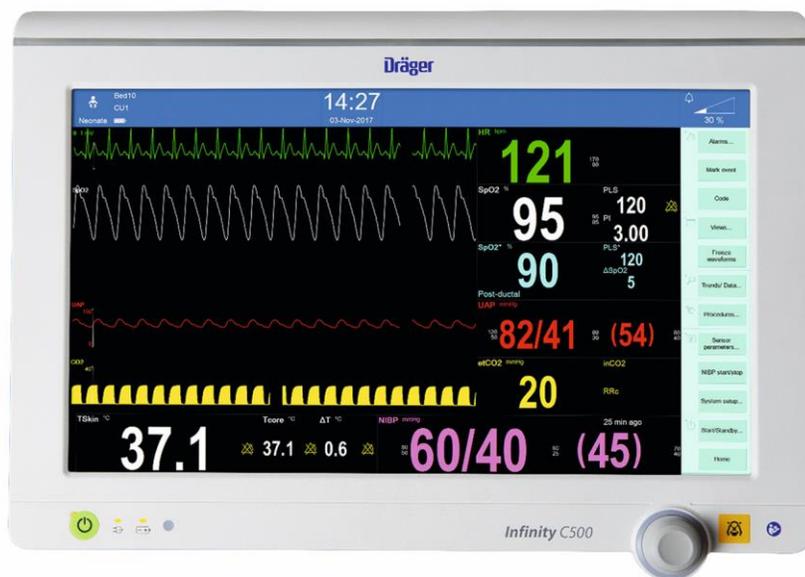
**Note:** The Dräger Infinity Monitoring solution recommends Cisco IOS-XE 17.3.2 Controller software or newer. Check with your Dräger Service Team for the most up-to-date information on the latest supported hardware/software versions.

## The Dräger solution

The following sections provide an overview of the Dräger medical devices that can be integrated into a Cisco Catalyst Wireless Network.

### Infinity bedside patient monitoring solution

Infinity bedside patient monitors provide comprehensive patient monitoring that includes multiple-lead ECG, oxygen saturation, respiration, dual temperature, cardiac output, multiple invasive pressures, noninvasive blood pressure, and arrhythmia classification. Figure 1 shows some of the information provided by one of the patient monitoring devices.



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**Figure 1.**

Infinity bedside patient monitor example

A wide range of sizes and styles—including the Infinity Delta and M540—enable customers to tailor the system to departmental needs. These monitors bring critical information from other bedside devices to the patient monitor via the Infinity Docking Station to help clinicians make faster patient assessments. The monitors provide maximum reliability, decreased downtime, reduced need for spare parts, and lower support costs.

The Infinity central monitoring solution gathers and displays information from the Infinity bedside monitors and patient-worn Infinity devices. Up to 32 patients can be simultaneously monitored and displayed on each Infinity Central Station.

The patented Pick and Go flexibility lets Infinity monitors move with the patient. When undocked, the patient monitor switches to wireless mode and continuously transmits vital data signs back to the central monitor systems. The ability to monitor patients during transport throughout the healthcare facility has become an important requirement for caregivers.



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**Figure 2.**  
Infinity monitors moving with a patient

## Technical aspects of Infinity bedside monitoring solutions

The Infinity bedside monitoring solution uses standard IP multicast packets for more than 90 percent of its I/O. Devices are both IP multicast transmitters and receivers, which helps ensure the exchange of information with all connected devices of a defined group, called a Monitoring Unit (MU). To prevent flooding of this traffic, both the wired and wireless portions of the network must be configured for Internet Group Management Protocol (IGMP) to constrain the multicast traffic. Infinity bedside monitors constantly transmit packets at approximately 100 kbps in both wired and wireless mode.

Within a monitoring unit, four common multicast streams are created and shared by all Infinity devices in the MU, as both transmitters and group members. In addition, each bedside monitor transmits its unique multicast stream of waveform pixel and vital-signs data that an Infinity Central Station uses for active display. That stream can be requested on another bedside monitor in the same MU by a clinician using the remote view feature. The waveform display occupies the lower portion of the local monitor's screen. In this case, the multicast data flows directly between the two bedside monitors and is not routed through the Infinity Central Station.

Table 1 shows an example of the multicast addresses generated in a single monitoring unit with three bedside devices. It is highly recommended that you create an overview of utilized multicast addresses when deploying a patient monitoring installation.

**Table 1.** Example of multicast addresses for patient monitoring

Multicast addresses for monitoring unit 5	
Name service	224.127.5.255
Alarm group service	224.127.5.254
Time service	224.127.5.253
Alarm group service for ventilators	224.127.5.252
Patient data stream (first Infinity bedside monitor)	224.0.5.1
Patient data stream (second Infinity bedside monitor)	224.0.5.2
Patient data stream (Nth Infinity bedside monitor)	224.0.5.N

### Infinity M300 patient-worn solution

Dräger’s Infinity M300 patient-worn monitor (Figure 3) provides continuous surveillance of telemetry patients based on industry-standard IEEE802.11a/b/g/n Wi-Fi technology. The compact size supports patient mobility while the integrated color screen continuously displays patient vital signs and waveforms. The Infinity M300 provides continuous standalone monitoring—even if the patient inadvertently moves out of the hospital’s wireless network coverage area.



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**Figure 3.**  
Infinity M300 patient-worn device

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## Technical aspects of the Infinity M300 solution

The Infinity M300 is a wireless-only device that communicates via the Wi-Fi infrastructure, primarily with the Infinity Central Station that it is assigned to. In contrast to the Infinity bedside monitors, Infinity M300 communication is based on unicast TCP/IP communication only, with no use of multicast. With its utilization of Wi-Fi Multimedia (WMM) with the dual-band chip and unscheduled automatic power save delivery (U-APSD), the Infinity M300 preserves battery life, thus extending its use as a patient-worn device. The M300s require a separate VLAN to help ensure optimal performance, so the devices are not roused from their power-saving mode by other broadcast or multicast traffic.

The Infinity M300 can be seen as a client to the Infinity Central Station, which from a clinical perspective, acts as the primary alarming device. In addition, the Infinity Central Station serves as a communication proxy, retransmitting the M300's TCP/IP data as multicast to other Infinity bedside patient monitors in the same monitoring unit.

## Technical aspects of the Infinity remote access solution

Mobile smart clients or laptops used as part of the remote access solution are controlled and maintained by the hospital's IT department. They may not be subject to the same strict network deployment limitations required by medical devices. Dräger does not specify network requirements for remote access clients. From a deployment perspective, the mobile devices are separated by a VLAN and Service Set Identifier (SSID) from the bedside monitors and telemetry devices. Vital signs are delivered to clients through the Infinity network by the Infinity gateway server.

## Wireless infrastructure planning

### RF design

Planning of a wireless network—including selecting access points, positioning antennas, and adjusting power levels and channels—requires expertise in the wireless system and RF. Cisco provides specific documents and training, which should be considered before deploying any wireless devices in a Wi-Fi network.

Like other medical device manufacturers, Dräger defines very strict requirements for wireless networks, because the patient's safety may rely on successfully transmitted vital data or alarm messages. Thus, the requirements listed below are mandatory and must be met before going live with Dräger patient monitors.

### RF requirements for the Infinity M540 monitor

When switching to wireless communication, Infinity bedside patient monitors, just like every other wireless device, require a solidly designed RF infrastructure to transmit data. In the case of patient monitors, a permanent connection with minimal or no drop-offs has become a requirement.

Table 2 lists the wireless specifications for Infinity M540 products working within the Cisco Catalyst wireless network.

**Note:** Specifications are version-specific and subject to change with new releases. Check with Dräger for the latest data at <https://www.draeger.com/>.

**Table 2.** Specifications for the Dräger Infinity M540 monitors

Infinity network wireless specification	Infinity M540 Series (HW 1.1)	Infinity M540 Series (HW 2.0)
<b>Device specifications</b>		
<b>Wireless Layer 1 and 2 protocol</b>	802.11b/g	802.11b/g/n
<b>Wireless channel selection</b>	1 to 13	1 to 13
<b>Wireless security protocol</b>	WPA2-Personal	WPA2-Personal
<b>IEEE 802.11n rates supported</b>	N/A	Up to 72.2 Mbps
<b>Transmit power of device</b>	15 dBm	15 dBm
<b>Receiver characteristics</b>		
<b>Up to 54 Mbps</b>	-70 dBm	-70 dBm
<b>Infrastructure settings in coverage area</b>		
<b>Maximum transmit power on access point</b>	15 dBm	15 dBm
<b>Maximum number of multicast-capable Dräger devices supported per access point</b>	6	6
<b>Quality-of-service information</b>		
<b>Average network traffic generated per device</b>	75kbps	75kbps
<b>Installation and design constraints</b>		
<b>Maximum node capacity</b>	1024	1024
<b>IP address assignment</b>	Static	Static
<b>IP communication protocols used</b>	Multicast UDP, TCP	Multicast UDP, TCP
<b>Dedicated SSID required (Delta and M540 share the same SSID)</b>	1	1
<b>Maximum SSID character length</b>	32, A to Z, upper and lower case supported, 0 to 9	32, A to Z, upper and lower case supported, 0 to 9
<b>VLAN</b>	Dräger multicast VLAN	Dräger multicast VLAN



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**Figure 4.**  
Infinity M540 bedside monitor

### RF requirements for Infinity Delta Series patient monitors

Table 3 lists the wireless specifications for Infinity Delta Series products working within the Cisco Catalyst wireless network.

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**Table 3.** Specifications for the Dräger Infinity Delta Series monitors

Infinity network wireless specification	Infinity Delta Series
<b>Device specifications</b>	
Wireless layers 1 and 2 protocol	IEEE802.11b/g
Wireless channels selection	1 to 13
Wireless security protocol	WEP 128-bit, WPA2-Personal
Transmit power of device	15 dBm
<b>Receiver characteristics</b>	
Up to 54 Mbps	-70 dBm
<b>Infrastructure settings in coverage area</b>	
Maximum transmit power on access point	15 dBm
Maximum number of Dräger devices supported per access point	6
<b>Quality-of-service information</b>	
Average network traffic generated per device	100kbps

Infinity network wireless specification	Infinity Delta Series
<b>Installation and design constraints</b>	
Maximum node capacity	768
IP address assignment	Static
IP communication protocols used	Multicast UDP, TCP, ICMP,
Dedicated SSID required	1 (Delta and M540 share the same SSID)
Maximum SSID character length	32, A to Z, upper and lower case supported, 0 to 9
Routable	Yes
VLAN	Dräger multicast VLAN



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**Figure 5.**  
Infinity Delta monitor

## RF requirements for the Infinity M300 monitor

Table 4 lists the wireless specifications for Dräger Infinity M300 monitors working within the Cisco Catalyst wireless network.

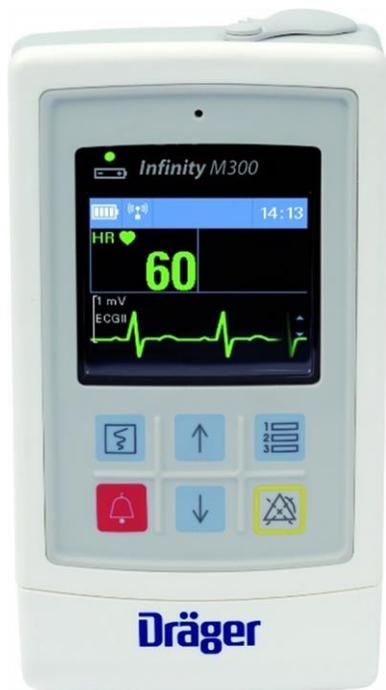
**Note:** Specifications are version-specific and subject to change with new releases. Check with Dräger for the latest data at <https://www.draeger.com/>.

**Table 4.** Specifications for the Dräger Infinity M300 monitor

Infinity network wireless specification	Infinity M300 patient monitor (HW 0.3)	Infinity M300/M300+ patient monitor (HW 0.4,0.5)
<b>Device specifications</b>		
Wireless Layer 1 and 2 protocol	IEEE802.11b/g	802.11b/g/n (2.4 GHz); 802.11a/n (5 GHz)
Wireless channel selection	1 to 13	802.11b/g/n: 1 to 13 802.11a/n: 36, 40, 44, 48, 149, 153, 157, 161 and 165 (UNII-1 and UNII-3, no DFS)
Wireless security protocol	WPA2 – Personal mode	WPA2 – Personal mode WPA2 – Enterprise mode; EAP-PEAP WPA2 – Enterprise mode; EAP-TLS
IEEE 802.11n rates supported	N/A	Up to 72.2 Mbps
Transmit power of device	15 dBm	15 dBm
<b>Receiver characteristics</b>		
Up to 54 Mbps	-65 dBm	-65 dBm
<b>Infrastructure settings in coverage area</b>		
Maximum transmit power on access point	15 dBm	15 dBm
Maximum number of Dräger telemetry devices supported per access point	12	12
<b>Quality-of-service information</b>		
Average network traffic generated per device	45kbits/sec	45kbits/sec
<b>Installation and design constraints</b>		
Maximum node capacity	1024	1024
IP address assignment	Static	Static
IP communication protocols used	TCP	TCP
Dedicated SSID required	1	1

Infinity network wireless specification	Infinity M300 patient monitor (HW 0.3)	Infinity M300/M300+ patient monitor (HW 0.4,0.5)
Maximum SSID character length	32, A to Z, upper and lower case supported, 0 to 9	32, A to Z, upper and lower case supported, 0 to 9
VLAN	Dräger non-multicast VLAN	Dräger non-multicast VLAN

For optimum performance, Infinity M300 monitors require a minimum signal strength of -65 dBm throughout the patient area or the relevant area as defined by clinical staff. This might exclude elevators or cafeterias in which the Infinity M300 will continue to process and display heart rate information but not be able to transmit that data back to the Infinity Central Station.



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**Figure 6.**  
Infinity M300 and M300+ Monitor

## Infrastructure planning for Infinity Delta Series and M540 patient monitors

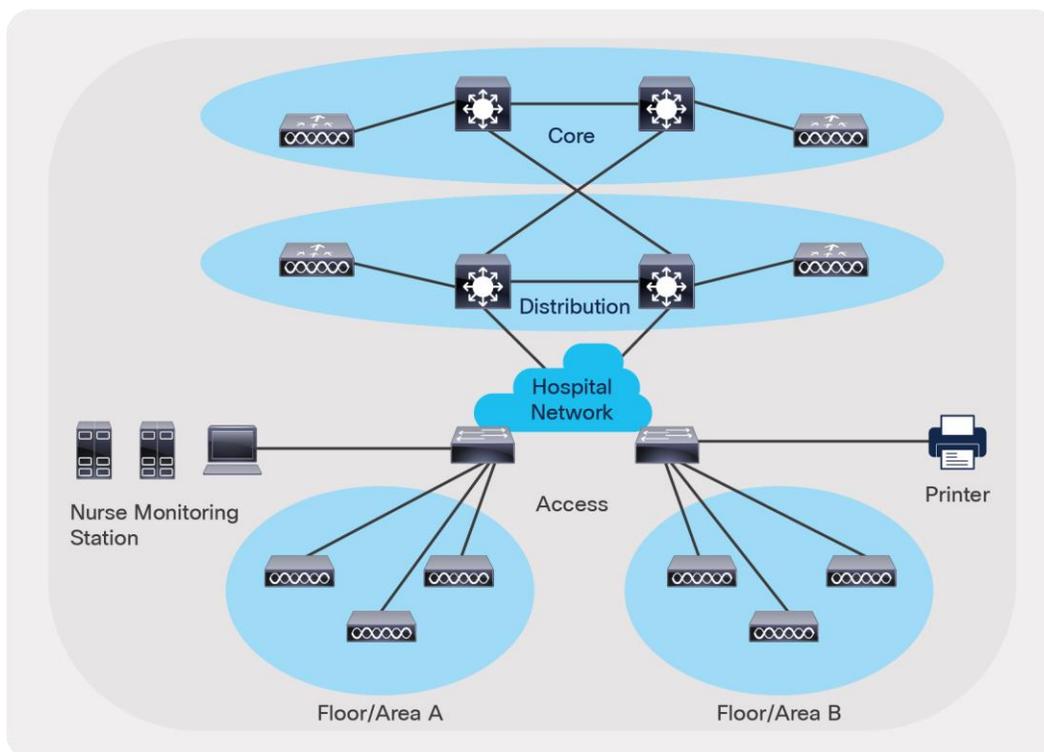
Scaling of patient-monitoring devices is important within the RF spectrum and equally important within the network. The number of monitors directly affects the number of multicast addresses required. Each patient monitor sends to a different multicast address, so this traffic can put a heavy demand on your network if your multicast capability does not match your requirements.

In a typical environment, patient monitors should be limited to six per access point, although the actual device maximums will vary with the capacity of your wireless network. Six monitors per access point generally provides more than enough capacity for patient data and other wireless applications. If your wireless design has no other applications beyond patient monitoring, you may be able to support more monitors per access point, although this configuration has not been tested. In addition, it may be prudent to provide for potential future wireless applications in the current design.

Again, patient-monitoring data is far more critical than typical voice data. Although an occasional packet drop can be tolerated, a strong radio frequency policy, security policy, and software change control, combined with a solid network design, are essential.

### Architecture overview

Figure 7 illustrates a typical patient monitoring architecture that uses a standard core-distribution-access layer topology. Your monitoring solution can be locally connected or several Layer 3 hops away. However, if your solution requires the nurses' station to be on a different broadcast domain from the wireless network, you should use a more robust Layer 3 multicast design. Whether this is a sparse-mode or dense-mode solution is up to the network architect.



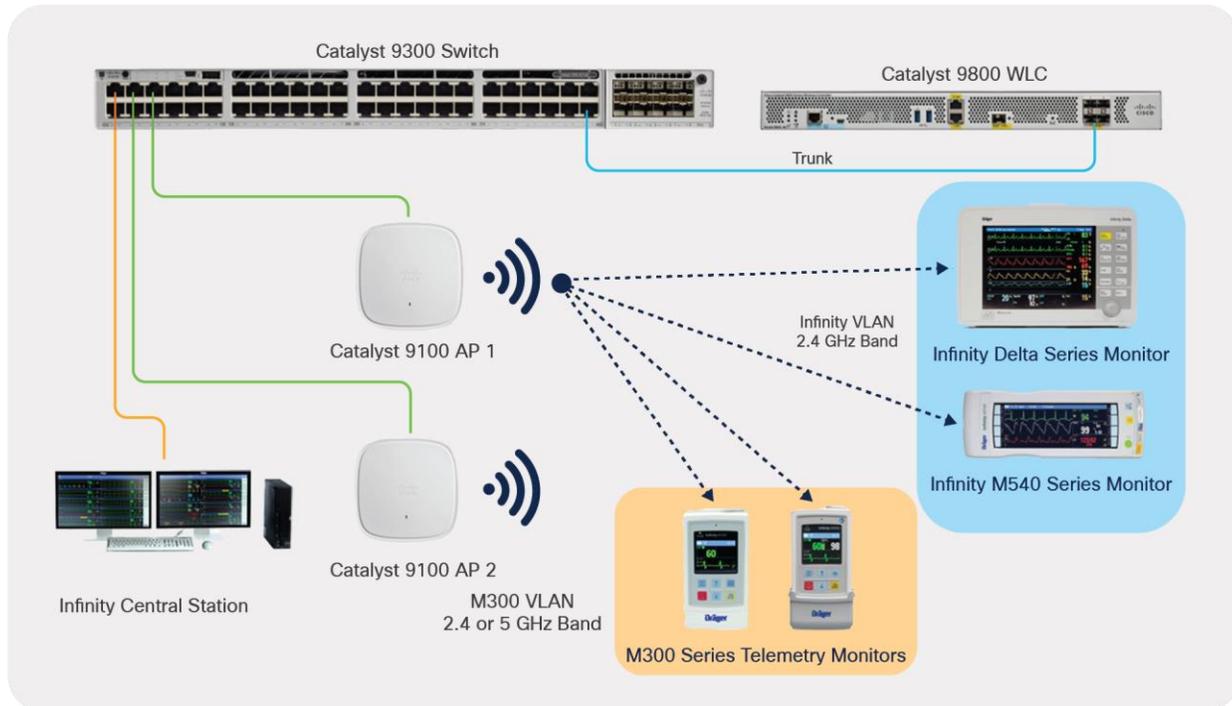
**Figure 7.**  
Typical patient monitoring architecture

## Prerequisites

Working knowledge of IEEE 802.11 transmission and security standards, Cisco wireless LAN controllers, Cisco network switch equipment, and multilayer VLAN routing and trunking (VTP).

## Topology

Figure 8 shows an example of a simple network topology with Cisco network devices and Dräger medical devices.



**Figure 8.**  
Example Cisco and Dräger network topology

## Components

- Cisco Catalyst 9100 Access Points (9115AX, 9120AX Series)\*  
\*Qualification of additional Catalyst access points is in progress. Check with the Dräger service team for the latest list of supported Catalyst access points.
- Cisco Wave 2 access points (2800, 3700, 3800, 4800 Series)\*  
\*Other access points are supported. Check with the Dräger service team for a list of all supported Wave 2 access points.
- Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series Wireless Controllers (9800-40, 9800-80, 9800-L, 9800- CL)
- Cisco network switch
- Dräger Infinity Central Station
- Dräger Infinity bedside monitors (Delta, M540)
- Dräger Infinity patient monitors (M300 Series)

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## Requirements

- Single, dedicated WLAN SSID for multicast-based patient monitors (M540 and Delta Series)
- Single, dedicated WLAN SSID for telemetry patient monitors (M300 Series)
- Wi-Fi Protected Access 2 - Advanced Encryption Standard / Pre-Shared Key (WPA2-AES/ PSK) (all) or WPA2-Enterprise for M300 telemetry devices
- The platinum-level Quality of Service (QoS) is recommended
  - Note that the Differentiated Services Code Point (DSCP) value for Layer 3 QoS can be configured on the Infinity Central Station and M300 telemetry patient monitors. Default values are set to 48.
  - If Delta Series patient monitors are in use, be sure to set the DSCP value on the Infinity Central Station to 0, as the Delta device does not support any other value.
- A Delivery Traffic Indication Message (DTIM) value of 1 is recommended
- Cisco IOS-XE 17.3.2 or later is recommended

## Network switch setup

Network switch requirements:

- Compliance with IEEE 802.3 standard
- Support for VLAN applications based on the 802.1Q standard
- All switches are managed; that is, they have a console to configure various features and VLANs
- An IGMP querier using IGMP v2 to prevent multicast traffic from being broadcast to all ports on the local VLAN. The IGMP query is considered a Layer 3 function, though some manufacturers have implemented this feature on Layer 2 switches
- Any Layer 2 switch must be capable of IGMP snooping

If M300 (wireless) devices are to be included, they should operate in a VLAN separate from the multicasting devices with routing capability to permit communication between the Infinity Central Station (ICS) and the M300s, or there should be two network cards on the ICS, one for the multicasting devices and one for the M300s.

## IP routing

When using M300 and Infinity monitors, subnets need to be routed against each other. Routing to non-Dräger networks is neither required nor requested for keeping Dräger networks free of all (unwanted) network traffic and negative side effects to medical devices.

## Maximum devices

There can be as many as 32 patient monitors in a monitoring unit, and up to 32 monitoring units in an entire Infinity network.

## Network setup

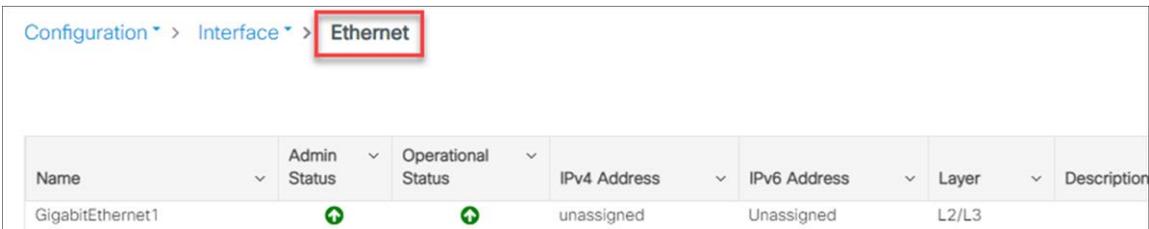
The following information explains a typical network configuration used for this documentation. Your particular configuration may vary depending on other wireless and wired dependencies. In these examples, the access point is registered to the wireless controller (WLC). The WLC is connected to the Layer 2 switch. The switch that connects the WLC and access point is also connected to the Dräger monitoring network. The following is the configuration for two WLANs, one for the Dräger Infinity bedside monitors and the other for the M300 patient devices. This setup will be done on the Catalyst 9800 Series Wireless Controller.

## WLC deployment

Creating a trunk interface for the network

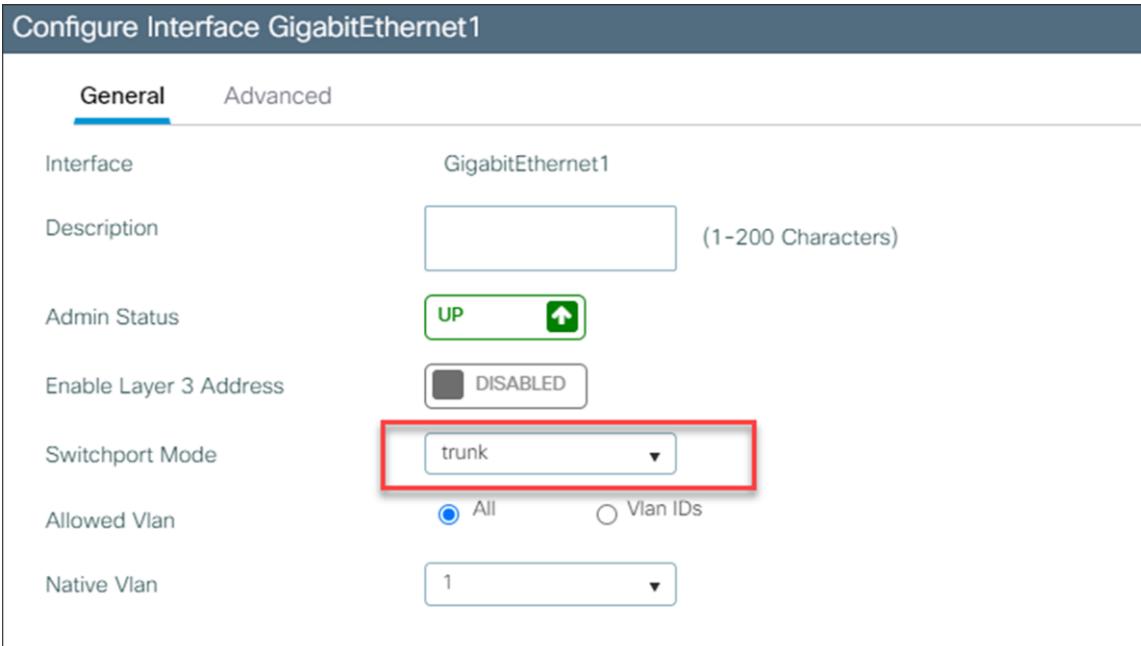
GUI:

1. Navigate to Configuration -> Interface -> Ethernet



Name	Admin Status	Operational Status	IPv4 Address	IPv6 Address	Layer	Description
GigabitEthernet1			unassigned	Unassigned	L2/L3	

2. Select the interface that will connect to your networks, and be sure to create a trunk interface that will allow you to deploy multiple networks in different VLANs.



**Configure Interface GigabitEthernet1**

**General**    Advanced

Interface: GigabitEthernet1

Description:  (1-200 Characters)

Admin Status: **UP**

Enable Layer 3 Address: **DISABLED**

Switchport Mode: **trunk** ▼

Allowed Vlan:  All     Vlan IDs

Native Vlan:  ▼

## Command-Line Interface (CLI):

```
WLC(config)# interface GigabitEthernet1
```

```
WLC(config-if)# switchport mode trunk
```

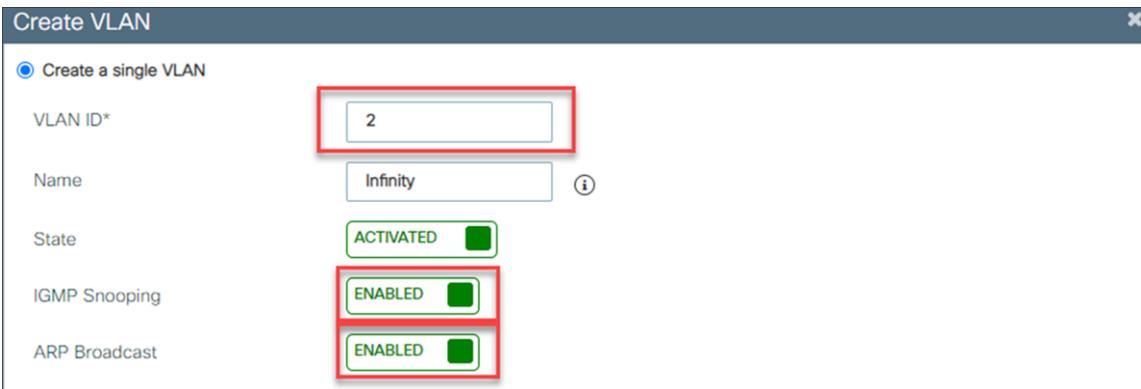
## Creating and enabling VLANs and SVIs for the Infinity devices and the M300 devices

### GUI:

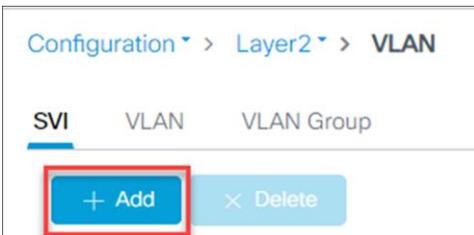
1. Navigate to Configuration -> Layer 2 -> VLAN -> VLAN
2. Add a VLAN for the Infinity devices.



3. Create the VLAN using the VLAN ID and ensure that IGMP Snooping and ARP Broadcast are enabled.



4. Repeat steps 2 and 3 for the M300 VLAN. IGMP snooping is not required for the M300 VLAN.
5. Go to Configuration -> Layer 2 -> VLAN -> SVI
6. Add a Switch Virtual Interface (SVI) for the Infinity devices.



7. Create the SVI using the same VLAN ID as the VLAN number.
8. Assign the SVI an IPV4 address using a static IP address.

The screenshot shows the 'Create SVI' configuration window. The 'VLAN Number\*' field is highlighted with a red box and contains the value '2'. The 'Description' field contains 'Infinity SVI'. The 'Admin Status' is set to 'UP'. The 'VRF' is set to 'None'. The 'MTU (bytes)' is set to '832 - 1500'. Under 'IP Options', the 'IPV4' radio button is selected and highlighted with a red box. The 'IPV4 Type' is set to 'Static'. The 'IP Address \*' and 'Subnet Mask \*' fields are both set to 'XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX' and are highlighted with a red box. The 'Apply to Device' button is visible at the bottom right.

9. Repeat steps 6 through 9 for the M300 SVI.

#### Command-Line Interface (CLI):

```
WLC(config)# Vlan x1, x2
```

```
WLC(config)# Vlan configuration x1, x2
```

```
WLC(config-if)# arp broadcast
```

```
WLC(config)# interface Vlan x1
```

```
WLC(config-if)# ip address x.x.x.x x.x.x.x
```

```
WLC(config)# interface Vlan x2
```

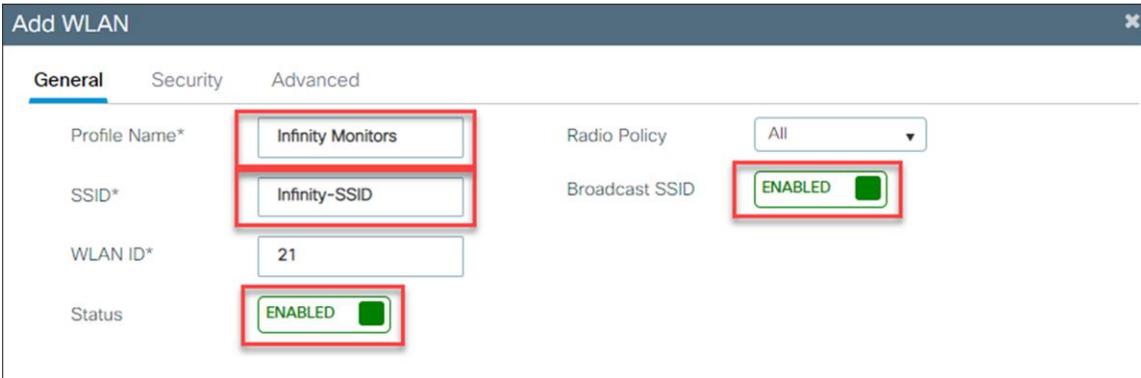
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WLC(config-if)# ip address x.x.x.x x.x.x.x
```

## Creating the WLANs

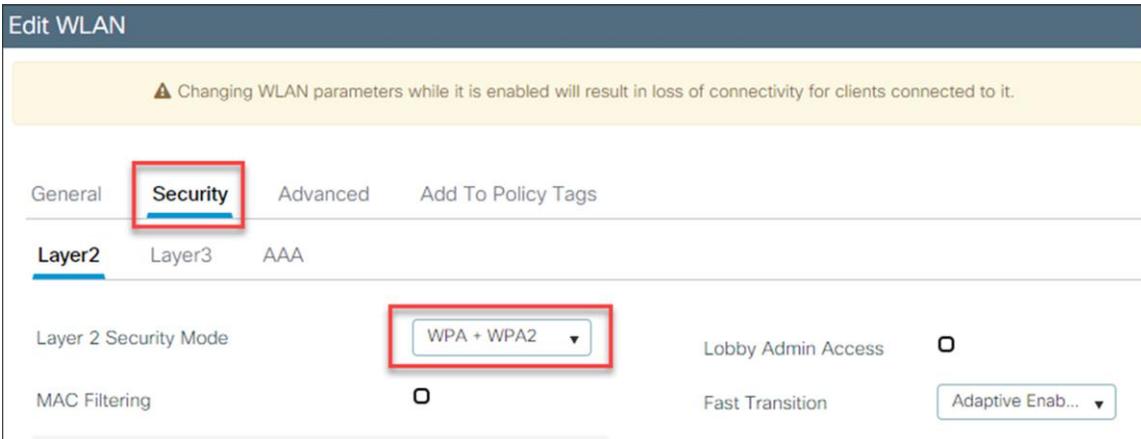
1. Navigate to Configuration -> Tags and Profiles -> WLANs
2. Add a WLAN.



3. Create and name a **WLAN** for the Infinity beside monitor devices.
4. Enable the WLAN and broadcast the SSID.



5. Secure the WLAN traffic using **WPA + WPA2**.



6. Encrypt the WLAN traffic using AES (disable Temporal Key Integrity Protocol [TKIP]), and control access to the WLAN with an ASCII PSK.

The screenshot shows the WLAN security configuration interface. The following fields are highlighted with red boxes:

- WPA2 Encryption:**  AES(CCMP128)
- Auth Key Mgmt:**  PSK
- PSK Format:** ASCII
- PSK Type:** Unencrypted
- Pre-Shared Key\*:** [Redacted]

7. On the Advanced tab, within the Off Channel Scanning Defer section, set the **Defer Priority** to 0 and the **Scan Defer Time** to 1000 ms.

The screenshot shows the Advanced tab of the WLAN configuration interface. The following settings are highlighted with red boxes:

- Off Channel Scanning Defer:**
  - Defer Priority:**  0
  - Scan Defer Time:** 1000

8. In a multiple controller environment, the VLAN and SSID must match to ensure seamless roaming.
9. Create and name a **WLAN** for the M300 telemetry devices.
10. Enable the WLAN and broadcast the SSID.

**Add WLAN**

General Security Advanced

Profile Name\* M300 Radio Policy All

SSID\* M300-SSID Broadcast SSID ENABLED

WLAN ID\* 20

Status ENABLED

Cancel Apply to Device

11. Secure the WLAN traffic using **WPA + WPA2**.

The M300 also supports WPA2 Enterprise. If you are interested, please reach out to a Dräger representative.

**Edit WLAN**

⚠ Changing WLAN parameters while it is enabled will result in loss of connectivity for clients connected to it.

General Security Advanced Add To Policy Tags

Layer2 Layer3 AAA

Layer 2 Security Mode WPA + WPA2 Lobby Admin Access

MAC Filtering Fast Transition Adaptive Enab...

12. Encrypt the WLAN traffic using AES (disable Temporal Key Integrity Protocol [TKIP]), and control access to the WLAN with an ASCII PSK.

WPA2 Encryption

- AES(CCMP128)
- CCMP256
- GCMP128
- GCMP256

Auth Key Mgmt

- 802.1x
- PSK
- CCKM
- FT + 802.1x
- FT + PSK
- 802.1x-SHA256
- PSK-SHA256

PSK Format: ASCII

PSK Type: Unencrypted

Pre-Shared Key\*: .....

Cancel Update & Apply to Device

13. In a multiple-controller environment, the VLAN and SSID must match to ensure seamless roaming.

#### Command-Line Interface (CLI):

```
WLC(config)# wlan infinitywifi 1 infinitywifi
WLC(config-if)# security wpa psk set-key ascii 0 password1
WLC(config-if)# no security wpa akm dot1x
WLC(config-if)# security wpa akm psk
WLC(config-if)# channel-scan defer-priority 0
WLC(config-if)# channel-scan defer-time 1000
WLC(config-if)# no shutdown
```

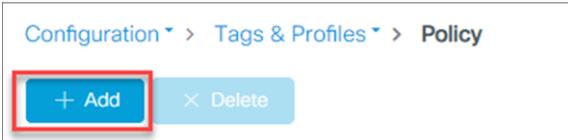
```
WLC(config)# wlan m300wifi 2 m300wifi
WLC(config-if)# security wpa psk set-key ascii 0 password2
WLC(config-if)# no security wpa akm dot1x
WLC(config-if)# security wpa akm psk
WLC(config-if)# no shutdown
```

## Policy tags

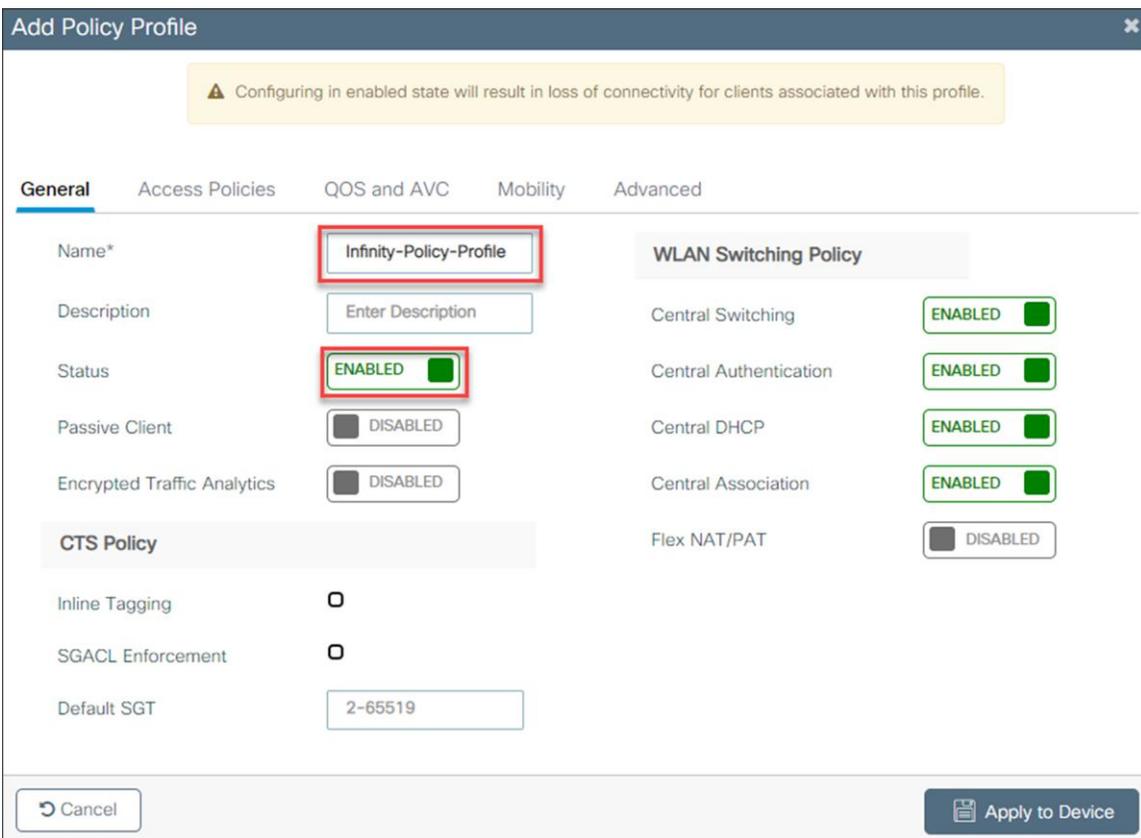
Create a policy profile, add the VLAN ID, and set the QoS policy

GUI:

1. Navigate to Configuration -> Tags and Profiles -> Policy.
2. Add a policy.



3. Give the policy a name and enable the policy profile for Infinity devices.



The screenshot shows the 'Add Policy Profile' configuration window. At the top, there is a warning message: 'Configuring in enabled state will result in loss of connectivity for clients associated with this profile.' Below the warning, there are tabs for 'General', 'Access Policies', 'QOS and AVC', 'Mobility', and 'Advanced'. The 'General' tab is selected. The 'Name\*' field is filled with 'Infinity-Policy-Profile'. The 'Status' field is set to 'ENABLED'. The 'WLAN Switching Policy' section has several options: 'Central Switching', 'Central Authentication', 'Central DHCP', 'Central Association', and 'Flex NAT/PAT'. The first four are 'ENABLED', and 'Flex NAT/PAT' is 'DISABLED'. The 'CTS Policy' section has 'Inline Tagging' and 'SGACL Enforcement' set to 'OFF' (represented by a radio button), and 'Default SGT' is set to '2-65519'. At the bottom, there are 'Cancel' and 'Apply to Device' buttons.

4. In the Access Policies section, change the VLAN/VLAN group to the VLAN for the Infinity devices.

The screenshot shows the 'Add Policy Profile' configuration window with the 'Access Policies' tab selected. A warning message at the top states: 'Configuring in enabled state will result in loss of connectivity for clients associated with this profile.' The 'VLAN' section is expanded, and the 'VLAN/VLAN Group' dropdown menu is highlighted with a red box, showing 'VLAN00XX' as the selected option. Other sections include 'WLAN Local Profiling', 'WLAN ACL', and 'URL Filters'.

5. In the QoS and AVS section, enable platinum QoS for egress traffic and platinum-up QoS for ingress traffic.

The screenshot shows the 'Add Policy Profile' configuration window with the 'QOS and AVC' tab selected. A warning message at the top states: 'Configuring in enabled state will result in loss of connectivity for clients associated with this profile.' Under the 'QoS SSID Policy' section, the 'Egress' dropdown is highlighted with a red box and shows 'platinum', and the 'Ingress' dropdown is also highlighted with a red box and shows 'platinum-up'. Other sections include 'Auto QoS', 'Flow Monitor IPv4', and 'Flow Monitor IPv6'.

6. Repeat steps 2 through 5 for the M300 WLAN policy profile.

## Command-Line Interface (CLI):

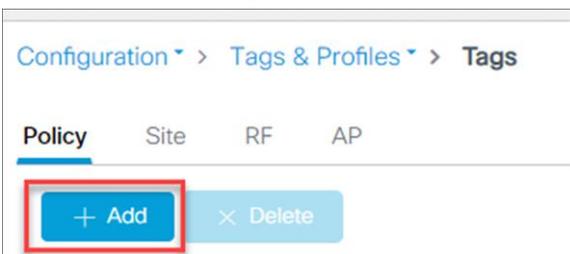
```
WLC(config)# wireless profile policy Infinity-Policy-Profile
WLC(config-if)# description Infinity-Policy-Profile
WLC(config-if)# session-timeout 86400
WLC(config-if)# vlan X1
WLC(config-if)# service-policy input platinum-up
WLC(config-if)# service-policy output platinum
WLC(config-if)# no shutdown
```

```
WLC(config)# wireless profile policy M300-Policy Profile
WLC(config-if)# description M300-Policy Profile
WLC(config-if)# session-timeout 86400
WLC(config-if)# vlan X2
WLC(config-if)# service-policy input platinum-up
WLC(config-if)# service-policy output platinum
WLC(config-if)# no shutdown
```

## Map the WLAN to the policy profile

### GUI:

1. Navigate to Configuration -> Tags and Profiles -> Tags.
2. Add a new policy tag.



3. Name the policy tag and add a new WLAN policy map.
4. Map the Infinity WLAN and the Infinity policy profile together.

**Add Policy Tag**

Name\*

Description

▼ WLAN-POLICY Maps: 0

WLAN Profile Policy Profile

◀ 0 ▶ 10 items per page No items to display

Map WLAN and Policy

WLAN Profile\*  Policy Profile\*

5. Repeat steps 2 through 4 to map the M300 WLAN to the M300 policy profile.

Command-Line Interface (CLI):

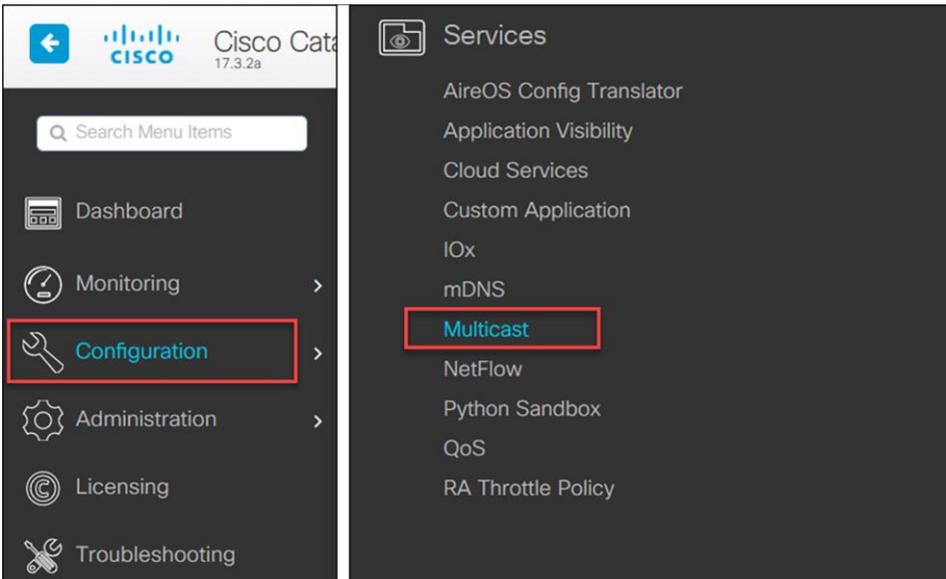
```
WLC(config)# wireless tag policy Drager-Policy-Tag
WLC(config-policy-tag)# Infinity policy Infinity-Policy-Profile
```

## Multicast settings

Configure multicast settings for the Infinity WLAN

GUI:

1. Go to **Configuration -> Services -> Multicast**.



2. Enable **Global Wireless Multicast Mode**.

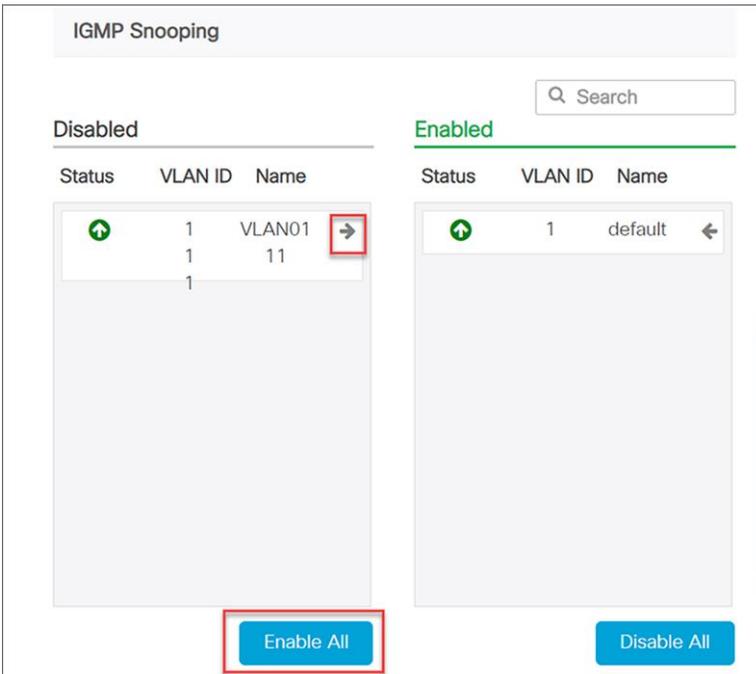
3. Set AP Capwap Multicast to Multicast and give the AP Capwap IPv4 Multicast Group Address the value of your multicast address. This multicast address is used by the wireless infrastructure, so it should be different from the multicast groups used within the Infinity monitoring solution as described in, for example, Table 1.

Global Wireless Multicast Mode	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ENABLED
Wireless mDNS Bridging	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ENABLED
Wireless Non-IP Multicast	<input type="checkbox"/> DISABLED
Wireless Broadcast	<input type="checkbox"/> DISABLED
AP Capwap Multicast	<input type="text" value="Multicast"/>
AP Capwap IPv4 Multicast group Address	<input type="text" value="239.255.129.13"/>

4. Ensure that **IGMP Snooping Querier** and **IGMP Snooping** are enabled.

IGMP Snooping Querier	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ENABLED
IGMP Snooping	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ENABLED

5. Enable IGMP Snooping for the VLANs used in the WLAN by pressing the arrow icon on each VLAN or enabling all disabled VLANs.



#### Command-Line Interface (CLI):

```
WLC(config)# wireless multicast
WLC(config)# wireless multicast x.x.x.x
WLC(config)# ip igmp snooping
WLC(config)# ip igmp snooping Vlan x
WLC(config)# ip igmp snooping querier
```

#### Verification:

```
WLC# show ip igmp snooping wireless mgid
WLC# show wireless multicast group summary
```

### Multicast traffic

Multicast is required to connect to certain Dräger devices. Multicast, like broadcast, permits a single transmission to reach multiple receivers in a network. A broadcast reaches all devices in the local VLAN and is inefficient for devices that do not need the data, since they have to evaluate and discard the information. The broadcast is “flooded” to all ports in the VLAN. In contrast, a multicast is delivered only to ports from which a request for the data has been issued.

When IGMP is enabled, at fixed intervals the designated switch issues, as an IGMP query, the question “Who needs what multicast addresses?” This function is typically reserved for a Layer 3 switch, or router, and that “IGMP queried” is responsible for maintaining a table of all multicast addresses needed in the VLAN. It transmits the query to its ports in the VLAN, and so to all connected devices, including switches, workstations, etc.

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When a connected device such as a patient monitor receives the IGMP query, it responds with one or more messages per needed address. As the Layer 2 switch receives the responses, termed “IGMP group membership reports,” it builds or updates a table that matches multicast addresses with port numbers. It also passes the membership reports up to the IGMP queries. The term for this behavior is “IGMP snooping.” The IGMP queries add the information to their own larger table of the same type. Group membership refers to the group of parties that need to receive data sent to a certain multicast address. A device can transmit multicast traffic without being a member of that multicast group. The data flow is governed by the receivers, the group members.

Multicast is often used for training or seminars, in which a single transmitter sends data to a number of receivers. However, the Infinity devices use multicast in a different way. Each patient monitor transmits and receives packets sent to certain multicast addresses. This allows local Infinity patient monitors to display the list of other Infinity patient monitors in the group and report alarm conditions from other bedsides on the local screen. In addition, the mechanism permits an Infinity patient monitor to display waveform data from a remote Infinity patient monitor in a lower subwindow of its display.

## Coverage limits

The following limits must not be violated:

- Minimum signal strength, measured at client (received signal strength indication [RSSI]): -65 dB
- Minimum signal-to-noise ratio (SNR), measured at client: 25 dB
- Maximum transmit power at access point (including antenna gain): 15 dBm
- Maximum 10 access points on the same channel visible at the same time for the client (80 dB threshold)
- No other (non-Wi-Fi or rogue AP) radio sources within the IEEE 802.11a/b/g/n frequency band

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