

## B.6 Quick Guide #6: Cleaning the Fan Filter and Clearing the PM Message

The Fan Filter Maintenance Required message is a scheduled Preventative Maintenance (PM) reminder message that is set to appear at a regular interval.

**IMPORTANT!** A dirty or clogged fan filter may cause the CAREpoint to run hot and may:

- Cause operational problems
- Shorten equipment life expectancy
- Void warranty

### ❑ Cleaning the Fan filter(s)

✓ Fan filters are on both the CAREpoint OPE & Expansion Modules – clean all.



- Locate the fan filter on the rear of the OPE / Expansion Module(s).
- Remove the filter cover bezel by pulling outward at the corners.
- Remove and clean the filter element with vacuum or by washing – replace if damaged.
- Reinstall the filter element and cover bezel – it should snap securely into place.

Note:

- If the OPE fan filter is clogged or heavily coated with dust, the PM interval should be shortened by half.
- If the OPE fan filter is slightly dirty, the PM interval may be increased by 30 days.

Refer to Sections 4 and 10 of the User's Manual for more information on setting PM reminders and preventative maintenance.

### ❑ Clearing the Fan Filter Maintenance message

✓ Before clearing the message, verify that the fan filter(s) has been cleaned.



- Using on-screen Keypad and pressing the sequence: **#PM (#-7-6)**.
  - The message will remain cleared until the PM period has expired again.

End.