

MBW TESTING CHECKLIST

- ✓ Have you checked the "File of unprocessed data" box to save your A files? Where are they being saved?
- ✓ Are the dead space settings correct?
- ✓ Is the file correctly named according to specific study protocol?
- ✓ Are you using the correct interface and DSR?
- ✓ Is the starting N2 concentration $\geq 78.0\%$ in the first trial, and has it returned to baseline in subsequent trials?
- ✓ Are there at least 5 stable, relaxed and appropriately-sized breaths **prior** to the start of washout?
- ✓ Is the breathing pattern stable and relaxed throughout washout?
- ✓ Is CO2 stable? 4-6% and not steadily changing
- ✓ Is there any evidence of leaks?
- ✓ Are there at least 5 stable, relaxed and appropriately-sized breaths **below** target N2 concentration?
- ✓ Are there any error messages?
- ✓ Do you have at least 3 trials you feel confident in?

IF IN DOUBT, COLLECT ANOTHER TRIAL