



SKEETER® HANDPIECE

Warnings / Precautions	<p>Disconnect the power before cleaning. Do not fully immerse, or ultrasonically clean, this instrument Do not use any cleaning instruments in the cannulated shaft of the handpiece. Do not cold soak sterilize this instrument in glutaraldehyde. This will void the warranty. Do not use organic solvents to clean the bur chuck.</p>				
Limitations	After cleaning and sterilization, verify functionality prior to re-use.				
INSTRUCTIONS					
Point of Use	<p>This product is provided non-sterile and must be cleaned and sterilized before the first use and any reuse. To remove occasional residual buildup on handpiece cable connector, use a soft brush and isopropyl alcohol</p>				
Containment and Transportation	<p>No particular requirements It is recommended that instruments are reprocessed as soon as is practical following use.</p>				
Preparation for decontamination	No particular requirements. Disassembly not required, other than removal of the bur.				
Cleaning: Automated (Do NOT use ultrasonic washer)	<p>Remove instruments and equipment from any sterilization trays before placing into washer baskets. Orient devices following recommendations of washer/disinfectant manufacturers. Use alkaline or neutral pH detergent recommended by washer/disinfectant or detergent manufacturers. These products have been validated for effective cleaning using an automatic washer/disinfectant cycle consisting of a minimum 44 minutes total time, including a pre-wash, main wash & rinse, and thermal rinse. The thermal rinse shall be at least 10 minutes long at a minimum temperature of 60°C.</p>				
Cleaning: Manual	<p>Carefully clean with an enzymatic detergent. Do not fully immerse. The cannulated needle nose should be cleaned by immersing in the detergent solution up to the level of the Bur Release button. Do not use any cleaning instruments in the cannulated shaft of the handpiece. Rinse by immersing the distal end of the handpiece (up to the Bur Release button) in distilled water, using a gentle swirling motion to flush away residual cleaning solution. Avoid water accumulation in the motor housing by shaking excess water out with a downward motion. Silicone spray should be sprayed into the cannulated shaft of the handpiece prior to sterilization. Apply silicone spray until surplus silicone lubricant is noted on the outside of the Bur Release Button. Wipe away excess lubricant from the handpiece. Following this procedure will insure that the bur release mechanism is well lubricated for proper functioning. Sterilize the handpieces immediately after cleaning.</p>				
Disinfection	No particular requirements				
Packaging	No particular requirements				
Sterilization (Temperatures are minimum required, times are minimum required)	Cycle:	Gravity	Gravity	Pre-vac	Pre-vac
	Temperature:	121°C	132°C	132°C	134°C
	Time:	30 min	10 min	4 min	3 min
	Drying: 8 minutes, or until visibly dry				
STERRAD Sterilization: STERRAD compatible					
100% EtO Sterilization Parameters:					
Temperature		54 +/- 2°C		Relative Humidity:	60 +/- 5%
Ethylene oxide concentration		600 +/- 25 mg/L		Gas exposure time (full-cycle):	120 minutes
Aeration at 48-52°C for 8 hrs.					
Maintenance, Inspection and Testing	Inspect components for any damage before and after each use. If damage is observed do not use the instrument until it is repaired. After cleaning and sterilization, verify functionality prior to re-use.				
Storage	It is extremely important that the handpiece be rapidly and completely dried before storage to prevent corrosion and residue deposits in the bearing and motor.				
Additional Information	None.				

Note: The instructions provided above have been validated by the manufacturer as being CAPABLE of preparing the product for re-use. It remains the responsibility of the processor to ensure that the reprocessing as actually performed using equipment, materials and personnel in the reprocessing facility achieve the desired result. This normally requires validation and routine monitoring of the process.