



SKEETER - OTOFLEX BURS

Warnings / Precautions	Before sterilization, carefully inspect the bur tips. Burs exhibiting the following conditions should be replaced: 1) nicks on cutting surfaces, 2) noticeable wear on PTFE bearings, 3) severe bends or crimps on bur shaft Cold soak in glutaraldehyde, chlorine, or ammonium solutions, or dry heat sterilization is not recommended as damage to the bur may occur.					
Limitations	Discard any burs that show signs of damage or wear.					
INSTRUCTIONS						
Point of Use	Remove burs from the handpiece before cleaning and sterilizing. Promptly and thoroughly rinse instruments with deionized water after each use.					
Containment and Transportation	No particular requirements					
Preparation for decontamination	Promptly and thoroughly rinse instruments with deionized water after each use.					
Cleaning: Automated (Do NOT use ultrasonic washer)	Remove burs from any sterilization trays before placing into washer baskets. Orient burs following recommendations of washer/disinfector manufacturers. Use alkaline or neutral pH detergent recommended by washer/disinfector or detergent manufacturers. These products have been validated for effective cleaning using an automatic washer/disinfector 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. Following cleaning, apply a light coating of silicone spray in the following manner: grasp the PTFE bearing and rotate the bur to assure application of the silicone spray inside the bearing.					
Cleaning: Manual	Soak in lukewarm*, mild* enzymatic detergent, and deionized water for a minimum of two minutes. Then clean ultrasonically in lukewarm* solution of mild* detergent and deionized water for at least 30 seconds. Rinse thoroughly with deionized water and wipe dry. *less than 43°C; pH 7.0 - 8.5 Following cleaning, apply a light coating of silicone spray in the following manner: grasp the PTFE bearing and rotate the bur to assure application of the silicone spray inside the bearing. Note: When using an ultrasonic cleaner or a spray washing machine, follow the manufacturer's recommendations, particularly with regard to articulated instruments and positioning of instruments.					
Disinfection	No particular requirements					
Packaging	No particular requirements					
Sterilization (Temperatures are minimum required, times are minimum required)	Cycle:	Gravity:	Gravity:	Pre-Vac:	Pre-Vac: (FR/WHO)	Pre-Vac: (UK)
	Temperature:	121°C	132°C	132°C	134°C	134°C
	Time:	30 min	10 min	4 min	18 min	3 min
	Drying:	8 minutes, or until visibly dry				
	STERRAD Sterilization: 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	Discard any burs that show signs of damage or wear.					
Storage	No particular requirements					
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.