

FITLIFE

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CLEANING AND DISINFECTION

Caution

- For Clinical Use Only.
- The following processes are validated for the FITLIFE multi-patient use mask when used in accordance with the instructions provided by the manufacturer of the cleaning and disinfection products and/or processes. Any deviation from said instructions or the cleaning agents listed below may impact the performance or durability of the product. Review those instructions for additional warnings and cautions
- Open or remove the port cap located on the elbow prior to cleaning and disinfection.

Warning


- Inspect the mask components after disinfection and replace any components that are worn or damaged. See the **Instructions for Use** included with the product for additional warnings and cautions.
- Exhalation/Air Entrainment (EE) Valve Elbow only: Verify that the air entrainment valve flapper moves freely after cleaning and disinfection. Replace the elbow if the flapper does not function correctly.

Notes

- The headgear cannot be processed using the cleaning and disinfection methods listed. The headgear must be replaced or hand/machine washed and allowed to air dry before reuse, as indicated in the **Instructions for Use** included with the product.
- After disinfection, discoloration of the cushion and a slight odor is normal.

Cleaning

- Disassemble the mask per the **Instructions for Use** included with the product.
- Clean the mask using a soft bristle brush to adequately remove adhering substances from each component while soaking in a commercially available, anionic detergent such as MediZyme (used with thermal treatments and autoclave) or Manu Klenz (used with chemical and gas plasma treatments). Extra attention should be given to the crevices and cavities during cleaning.
- Rinse the mask and components with potable water (minimum 5 liters per mask) and air dry out of direct sunlight.

 NOTE: If compatible with the manufacturer's instructions, the detergent may be applied within the washer/disinfector cycle.

HIGH-LEVEL DISINFECTION

The following high-level disinfection processes are intended for the FITLIFE multi-patient use mask in a clinical or hospital/institution environment only. For home cleaning or single patient use, refer to the **Instructions for Use** included with the product.

Autoclave

TEMPERATURE	TIME	MAXIMUM CYCLES	NOTES
121°C	15 minutes	5	Gravity displacement cycle No sterilization bag

Thermal Disinfection: Apply only one treatment option using a certified hot water disinfection system

TEMPERATURE	TIME	MAXIMUM CYCLES
70° C	100 minutes	10
	or	
75° C	30 minutes	10
	or	
80° C	10 minutes	10
	or	
90° C	1 minute	10
	or	
93° C	10 minutes	10

Chemical Disinfection: Apply only one treatment option following the manufacturer's instructions.

TREATMENT	EXPOSURE TIME	ACTIVE INGREDIENTS	SOLUTION	RINSE	MAXIMUM CYCLES
Cidex Activated Dialdehyde Solution	45 minutes	2.4% Glutaraldehyde	Full Strength	Potable Water, 5 Liters per Mask (minimum)	10
or					
Cidex OPA	12 minutes	0.55% Ortho-Phthalaldehyde	Full Strength	Potable Water, 5 Liters per Mask (minimum)	10
or					
Wavicide	45 minutes	2.65% Glutaraldehyde	Full Strength	Potable Water, 5 Liters per Mask (minimum)	10
or					
Control III	10 minutes	10% Alkyl Dimethyl Benzyl Ammonium Chloride 10% Alkyl Dimethyl Ethyl Benzyl Ammonium Chloride	8 ml per liter	Potable Water, 5 Liters per Mask (minimum)	10

Hydrogen Peroxide Gas Plasma

TREATMENT	EXPOSURE TIME	MAXIMUM CYCLES
Sterrad 100	Machine Controlled	10

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