

MEDICAL GRADE SILICONE PAD IFU

(Item No. BL-31001-035P)

Sterilization and Cleaning Instructions

The silicone pad is provided NON-STERILE and must be sterilized before use.

Cleaning:

Remove the Medical Grade Silicone Pad from its package in a clean environment using gloved hands. Care must be taken to prevent possible surface contamination by materials such as talc, dust, and skin oils. Scrub the entire surface of the silicone pad thoroughly with a clean, soft sponge in a hot water and soap solution to remove any skin contaminants. Use a non-oily cleaner or mild soap. Do not use synthetic detergents or oil-based soaps. Rinse the pad thoroughly in hot water, followed by rinsing in distilled water.

Sterilization:

The sterilization instructions provided are intended only as a guide. We recommend that the efficacy of the specific autoclaving cycle employed be established by appropriate methods, such as the use of commercially available chemical or biochemical monitors.

Wrap in a clean, lint-free material intended for autoclaving cycles. Place wrapped pad in a clean, open autoclave tray and sterilize by the following autoclaving cycle shown below:

Standard Gravity Sterilizer:

30 minutes (minimum) at 250 degrees F, 15 psi
(121 degrees C, 1 kg/cm²)

Allow sterile pad to completely cool prior to use.

Ethylene Oxide: Sterilization by ethylene oxide (ETO) is not recommended, unless sufficient data is available regarding the time required for complete out gassing of residual ethylene oxide and other ETO by-products from the specific system employed.

