

NOTES

Follow OSHA Blood borne Pathogens Universal Precautions when handling and cleaning soiled devices.

- Wear gloves and safety glasses when reprocessing devices.
- Tristel ULT Wipes are dry and have no disinfectant properties without Tristel ULT Foam.
- Use Tristel ULT Foam with Tristel ULT Wipes in a well-ventilated area.
- Clean devices thoroughly prior to disinfection. Residual contamination with soil or lubricants will decrease the effectiveness of the disinfectant. Follow device manufacturer's instructions.
- Remove chemical residues following high level disinfection to avoid exposure to chemical residues.

- Do not use Tristel ULT Foam with the following materials: anodized aluminum, polyurethane elastomer 35A and polyurethane elastomer 90A. Testing has shown that Tristel ULT Foam is not compatible with these materials.
- The user **MUST** adhere to the Directions for Use, as modification to the Directions for Use may affect the performance and safety of the disinfectant.
- Do not perform more than 20 disinfection procedures per day (8 hours). The limitation to 20 procedures per day for an operator is based on the 8-hour OSHA permissible occupational exposure limit for chlorine dioxide.
- Do not use Tristel ULT Foam beyond 6 months after opening.
- Do not use Tristel ULT Wipes beyond 6 months after opening.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

STEP 1.

- Check the 'Use by' date on the Tristel ULT Foam bottle and the Tristel ULT Wipes tub. Do not use if out of date.
- Remember, if Tristel ULT Foam bottle is being used for the first time, the pump must be primed. Refer to the instructions for opening and setting up the Tristel ULT Foam bottle (page 3).
- ALWAYS USE ON A CLEANED DEVICE.
- Wear new gloves when handling Tristel ULT and medical devices.



STEP 2.

Pull **one Tristel ULT Wipe** out of the tub and close the cap tightly.

Use one wipe for each probe/transducer.

NOTE: Do not use a wipe if the cap on the lid was open and the wipe was exposed to environment. Discard this wipe and take a new one. It is important to close the cap on the lid after each use.



STEP 3.

Lay the Tristel ULT Wipe in the palm of your hand and apply **4 doses** of Tristel ULT Foam.



STEP 4.

Gently close hand around the wipe and wait for **10 seconds**. Do not squeeze.



STEP 5.

Wipe the probe to spread the foam using a massaging motion from one end of the probe to the other **4 times**. Cover the entire surface of the probe including shaft and handle.

Ensure all surfaces are covered and the probe is visibly wet. Pay particular attention to any crevices, ridges or indentations.



STEP 6.

After wiping, leave the probe undisturbed. Place the probe on a clean surface to avoid recontamination. Contact time for high level disinfection is **2 minutes**. It is recommended that a timer is used to ensure the contact time of 2 minutes is observed.

Discard the used wipe to clinical waste, do not macerate. **Do not reuse.**



STEP 7.

Use a clean Tristel ULT Wipe to **thoroughly remove residue** of Tristel ULT Foam.

Put on clean gloves. Pull one Tristel ULT Wipe out of the tub and close the cap tightly.

Wipe the probe once over. Pay particular attention to any crevices, ridges, or indentations.

Discard the used wipe to clinical waste. **Do not reuse.**



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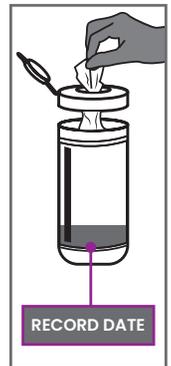
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OPENING AND SETTING UP THE TRISTEL ULT WIPES TUB AND TRISTEL ULT FOAM BOTTLE

Opening and setting up the Tristel ULT Wipes tub

- Wear new gloves.
- Remove the lid of the tub and peel off the protective seal.
- Open the cap on the lid. Pull a wipe from the center of the roll and feed it through the dispenser hole within the lid.
- Secure the lid on the tub. Pull a couple of wipes to confirm that the wipes are dispensing. Discard dispensed wipes.
- Close the cap on the lid tightly. Ensure that the wipes are covered by the cap and the lid.
- Use Tristel ULT Wipes within 6 months after opening.
- Record the date the tub is opened and the 'Use by' date in the designated area on the tub label (front panel).
- Check that 'Use by' date does not extend past the expiration date. Expiration date is printed on the tub in the format YYYY-MM-DD. If the 6 months from opening extend beyond the expiration date, record the expiration date in the 'Use by' field.



Opening and setting up the Tristel ULT Foam bottle

- Wear gloves and safety glasses.
- Remove cap from the Tristel ULT Foam bottle.
- Depress the pump 4 times to prime and prepare for use. Dispensed foam can be flushed with water to drain or contained on a Tristel ULT Wipe and disposed to waste in accordance with local regulations. The pump is now ready for use.
- Use Tristel ULT Foam within 6 months after opening.
- Record the date the bottle is first used, i.e. opened, and the 'Use by' date in the designated area on the front label of the bottle.
- Check that 'Use by' date does not extend past the expiration date. Expiration date is printed on Tristel ULT Foam label in the format YYYY-MM-DD. If the 6 months from opening extend beyond the expiration date, record the expiration date in the 'Use by' field on the label.
- Tristel Test Strips may be used to check that the Tristel ULT Foam bottle is dosing accurately and the concentration of Tristel ULT is at or above the MRC. Refer to Tristel Test Strips User Guide (Tristel Test Strips are supplied separately).

