

Electrode Sterilization

CLEANING AND STERILIZATION

Carefully clean all pieces of the Kit and the cable organizer with a mild enzymatic cleaner using a soft sponge or cloth before sterilization. For difficult areas using a clean soft bristled brush is recommended. After cleaning, all items should be thoroughly rinsed in clean water to remove any detergent or chemical residue before sterilization. Use caution to keep moisture out of the cable connectors. COSMAN recommends use of a mild enzymatic detergent with a near neutral pH. Cases and trays may be placed in mechanical cleaning equipment. Hospital facilities must validate process parameters per their sterilization equipment type and intended load configuration.

COSMAN recommends steam autoclave for all electrodes cables and cable organizer. COSMAN has verified product performance in the following cycle:

Prevacuum Sterilizer. Wrapped electrode cases should be exposed to 132°C to 135°C (270°F to 275°F) for at least 4 minutes. Dry before use. Do not use heated drying cycle.

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SPECIAL HANDLING INSTRUCTIONS

The electrodes are delicate due to their small diameter shafts. Do not bend, kink, or stress the shafts or lead wires of the electrodes.

