

MCGINLEY ORTHOPEDICS ENGINEERING MEDICAL PROGRESS

EQUALIZER OFFSET REFERENCE GUIDE

Decontamination Guide

Manual Cleaning Procedure

- Clean the EQUALIZER® Offset Reference Guide prior to use.
- Use proper PPE during the cleaning process.
- Immerse the item into a cold-water bath. The EQUALIZER® can be cleaned along with other IntelliSense components.
- 4. Use a soft bristle brush to remove all gross soil from the item. Brush over and through all surfaces and cannulations.
- Rinse under cold running tap water.
- 6. Using warm tap water, prepare a triple enzyme detergent solution, such as Endoxime® AW Triple Plus with APA or equivalent, per the manufacturer's recommendations at ½
- 7. Submerge the item in the enzyme detergent solution.
- Use a soft bristle brush to remove all gross soil from the item. Brush over and through all surfaces and cannulations.
- 9. Pay special attention to crevices and hard to reach areas of the item.
- 10. Place the item under warm running tap water.
- 11. Use an appropriately sized pipe cleaner brush wetted with the detergent solution to brush the cannulated areas of the item paying special attention to all crevices and hard to reach areas.
- 12. Rinse the item with warm running tap water.
- 13. Dry the item thoroughly with a clean, lint-free cloth.
- 14. Dry cannulated areas with pressurized air (≤ 20 psi).
- 15. Visually inspect the item for soil. Shine a light into the cannulated areas if needed. Repeat the cleaning procedure until no visible soil remains.
- 16. Place the EQUALIZER® into its provided sterilization tray.

Automatic Cleaning Procedure

- Clean the EQUALIZER® Offset Reference Guide prior to use.
- Use proper PPE during the cleaning process.
- 3. Load item into a washer-disinfector in a way that allows the article to drain. The EQUALIZER® can be cleaned along with other IntelliSense components.
- Select appropriate settings to ensure the set of decontamination cycle parameters, shown in the table below, are met.
- 5. Run the wash cycle.
- Following the wash cycle, remove the item from the washer-disinfector and allow the cannulated area to drain.
- 7. Dry the item thoroughly with a clean, lint-free cloth.
- Dry cannulated areas with pressurized air (\leq 20 psi).
- Visually inspect the item for visible soil. Shine a light into the cannulated areas if needed. Repeat the cleaning procedure until no visible soil remains.
- 10. Place the EQUALIZER® into its provided sterilization tray.

ON-SITE DECONTAMINATION OF THE EQUALIZER® OFFSET REFERENCE GUIDE IS REQUIRED, PRIOR TO USE.

Automatic Cleaning Procedure Parameters			
PHASE	MINIMUM RECIRCULATION TIME (MINUTES)	TEMPERATURE	DETERGENT TYPE & CONCENTRATION
Pre-Wash	2	Cold Tap Water	Prolystica 2x Alkaline 1/8 oz./gal. (or equivalent)
Enzyme Wash	2	Hot Tap Water (approx. >43° C)	Endozime AW Triple Plus with APA 1/2 oz./gal (or equivalent)
Wash 1	2	Heated Tap Water: 60° C	Prolystica 2x Alkaline 1/8 oz./gal (or equivalent)
Rinse 1	2	Heated Tap Water: 60° C	N/A
Drying	15	115.5° C (Set-point)	N/A



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ON-SITE STERILIZATION OF THE **EQUALIZER® OFFSET REFERENCE GUIDE IS REQUIRED, PRIOR TO USE.**

Sterilization Requirements

- 1. Using sequential envelope folding techniques, wrap the sterilization tray containing the EQUALIZER® Offset Reference Guide in two (2) layers of 1-ply polypropylene wrap (Kimguard KC600 – 510(k) K082554 or equivalent).
- 2. Select appropriate settings to ensure the set of sterilization cycle parameters, shown in the table below, are met.

Sterilization Parameters			
Sterilizer Type	Pre-Vacuum		
Precondition Pulses	4		
Temperature	132° C		
Full Cycle Exposure Time	4 minutes		
Dry Time	30 minutes		