

ENDOSCOPE CLEANING GUIDE



EXERA III (190) GI Endoscopes

Refer to companion *ENDOSCOPE DISINFECTION GUIDE* for disinfection information

WARNING: This guide is only a summary of the steps necessary to properly clean your endoscope. Be sure to follow the detailed steps outlined in the *ENDOSCOPE REPROCESSING MANUAL* that was included with your endoscope when purchased.

PRECLEANING - IMMEDIATELY AFTER USE

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Wipe down the insertion tube with a detergent-soaked cloth.

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Aspirate detergent, then air through the suction channel.

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AW Channel-Cleaning Adapter

Install AW channel-cleaning adaptor. Flush water, then air, through air/water channels.

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For endoscopes with elevators or auxiliary-water feeding only:

Flush detergent, then air, into elevator-wire channel/auxiliary-water channel.

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Disconnect all detachable parts and cleaning equipment.

LEAKAGE TESTING

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CAUTION: If a leak is detected, the endoscope must be repaired. Follow manufacturer's instructions.

Attach leakage tester. Turn on pump. Prior to immersion, confirm bending section has expanded. Immerse entire endoscope in clean water. Perform leakage test. Angulate tip during test. Remove from water. Detach tester after tip has deflated.

MANUAL CLEANING

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Immerse in freshly prepared detergent solution. Clean all external surfaces. Brush endoscope distal tip (and forceps-elevator, if applicable).

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Brush the insertion tube portion of the suction channel. Repeat until all debris is removed.

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Brush the universal cord portion of the suction channel. Repeat until all debris is removed.

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Brush the suction cylinder and instrument channel port. Repeat until all debris is removed.

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Suction Cleaning Adaptor

Aspirate detergent solution into suction channel.

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Injection Tube
Channel Plug

Attach injection tube and channel plug. Flush detergent solution into the air, water channel. Flush forceps-elevator, if applicable.

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For endoscopes with elevators or auxiliary-water feeding only:

Auxiliary-Water Tube

Flush detergent solution into auxiliary-water/elevator-wire channel.

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Soak in detergent solution for the time recommended by the detergent manufacturer.

RINSING

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Rinse the entire instrument in clean water.

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Auxiliary-Water Tube
Injection Tube
Channel Plug

Flush clean water through all channels (including auxiliary-water/elevator-wire, if applicable). Flush air through all channels.

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Use a soft, lint-free cloth to remove excess moisture from endoscope and cleaning accessories in preparation for disinfection.

IMPORTANT

- Wear all appropriate personal protective equipment.
- Meticulous cleaning is essential for effective disinfection.
- Be sure to reprocess all removable part (e.g. valves) according to the reprocessing manual.
- Visually inspect the equipment after cleaning. If debris remains, repeat the procedure.

For complete product details see Instructions for Use, available at www.olympus.com.au.