

COVID-19 ACIST CVi™ Cleaning/Disinfection and Multi-Use Syringe

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Dear Valued Customer,

In anticipation of questions arising around COVID-19 and ACIST CVi, ACIST Medical Systems would like to provide the following:

- **CVi Cleaning/Disinfection Procedure:** Pages 52-54 in the CVi User Guide provide detailed instructions on how best to disinfect the CVi system. You can review the User Guide at <http://acist.com/library>.
 - Username: acist
 - Password: thepowerto
- **CVi Sterility Challenge Brief:** Summarizes the validation testing that was completed for the multi-use syringe (A2000/A2000V).

Although we have not completed specific testing for COVID-19, please note ACIST labeling recommends only using DisCide® ULTRA wipes and/or spray. (The [EPA has specified DisCide ULTRA](#) as one of the products to be used against SARS-CoV-2, which is the novel coronavirus that causes the COVID-19 disease.) Per the CVi User guide, allow the material being disinfected to remain moistened for a minimum of one minute prior to removal of the disinfectant.

The CVi User Guide also states not to use detergents or other cleaning agents (including bleach) and to not directly spray with or immerse any component in water. We have not yet determined the impact of unapproved cleaning agents to extended warranties. An assessment is in process and will be discussed with customers on an as-needed basis.

If proper sterile technique, combined with the use of the provided disinfecting (green) caps, is used while changing the CVi patient kits, the sterile fluid pathway should be maintained, and there should be no additional risk to the patient.

We at ACIST Medical Systems would like to thank you for your efforts during this time of uncertainty. Without the efforts of amazing healthcare and hospital staff such as you and your teams, access to superb patient care would not be possible during this unprecedented time.

Please know, that in this time of great uncertainty, we are committed to supporting your pursuit of patient care. Should you have additional questions or need further assistance, please contact your ACIST sales representative or Customer Support at 1-888-670-7701.

Best regards,



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