



# 400 Series Dual Head Stethoscope

## Instructions for Use

### SAFETY GUIDELINES—PLEASE READ BEFORE USE

**⚠ WARNING: Important! Read and understand these instructions before assembling or using the Dual Head Stethoscope. If you do not understand any part of these warnings, cautions or instructions, contact a healthcare professional for direction in the use of this product. If the Dual Head Stethoscope is not properly assembled and installed, personal injury and damage to the Stethoscope could result.**

**⚠ WARNING: If components are damaged or missing, contact your distributor immediately. DO NOT use substitute parts. Use only Labtron replacement parts. Non-Labtron replacement parts could cause personal injury and damage to the Stethoscope.**

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**⚠ WARNING: GF Health Products, Inc. assumes no responsibility for any damage or injury caused by improper assembly, installation or use of this product.**

### UNPACKING

Carefully remove all components (see next page) from carton and inspect. If components are damaged or missing, do not use product, and contact your Graham-Field authorized distributor immediately.

## INTENDED USE

The stethoscope is intended to facilitate the ability to hear internal sounds.

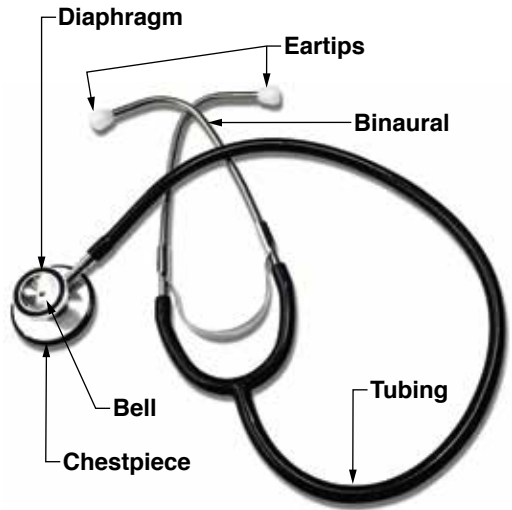
## FEATURES

- Anodized aluminum rotating chestpiece with recessed non-chill ring
- Adjustable aluminum binaural to ensure a comfortable, acoustically sealed aural fit
- 22" latex-free Y-tubing
- White firm threaded PVC eartips

## COMPONENTS

### Components included:

Stethoscope with rotating chestpiece, tubing, binaural, and one set of eartips, as shown at right.



## INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

### Adjusting the Binaural Tension

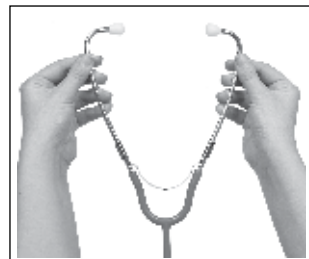
- ▲ **NOTICE:** The binaural only needs to be adjusted slightly — **DO NOT** squeeze or pull excessively.

**To tighten the binaural**, hold it at the base, at the bottom of the "Y", as shown at center right. Squeeze together gently until the eartips cross and the desired tension is achieved.

**To loosen the binaural**, grasp it with both hands above the "Y", as shown at lower right. Pull binaural apart gently until the desired tension is achieved.



**Increase binaural tension (tighten)**



**Decrease binaural tension (loosen)**

## OPERATION

This dual-headed stethoscope, equipped with both large and small diaphragms fitted on a revolvable twin drum, is operational in two positions 180° apart. The drum contains a leak-free valve stem.

1. Carefully insert binaural eartips into ears.
2. Tap the diaphragm softly; this should produce sounds clearly. If you don't hear the tapping sound, rotate the head 180° until it clicks into place in the other operational position.
3. Tap again to be sure the instrument is correctly set for use.
4. Follow the same procedure when you convert from one chestpiece to another.

## CARE, MAINTENANCE, AND CLEANING

▲ **NOTICE: DO NOT subject the stethoscope to extreme temperatures or direct sunlight.**

▲ **NOTICE: DO NOT immerse in liquid, sterilize, or apply solvent or oil to the stethoscope.**

To ensure the sound quality of your stethoscope:

Wipe stethoscope with a clean, soft, nonabrasive cloth dampened with a mild soap and water solution, then dry with a clean, soft, nonabrasive cloth. Clean stethoscope thoroughly before each use. If disinfection is required, wipe the stethoscope with a 70% isopropyl alcohol solution.

Remove and clean eartips as needed with a damp cloth to prevent excessive cerumen or other foreign matter from entering the eartips and tubing. To remove, grasp eartips firmly and unscrew them from binaurals. Reinstall eartips immediately after cleaning.

# LIMITED WARRANTY

## SCOPE OF WARRANTY

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- 3) Claims for any short shipment must be made within three (3) days of the invoice date.



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