

SAFETY GUIDELINES - PLEASE READ BEFORE USE

- ⚠ WARNING: Important!: Read and understand these instructions before using the Stainless Steel Holloware.**
- ⚠ WARNING: If components are damaged or missing, contact your GF authorized distributor immediately. DO NOT use substitute parts.**
- ⚠ WARNING: GF Health Products, Inc. assumes no responsibility for any damage or injury caused by improper use of this product.**

INTENDED USE

The Stainless Steel Holloware are intended as a resting place for sterile instruments and supplies during surgery and other medical procedures or are sterile instruments and supplies used during surgery and other medical procedures. Suitable for hospitals, surgery centers, clinics, home health care providers, physicians, and general utility applications.

CLEANING AND CARE

After Use

After using equipment, place it under cold running water to remove visual dirt and contaminants. Then, pre-soak in cleaning solution (strictly follow the manufacturer's instructions for the cleaning solutions for the appropriate time frame, water temperature, and/or concentration).

- ⚠ WARNING: DO NOT soak the instruments in caustic or physiological saline solutions as this could cause pitting or rust.**

Maintenance

- ⚠ WARNING: DO NOT use detergents or disinfectants containing the following substances:**
 - a. Strong Alkaline (>pH9)**
 - b. Strong Acid (<pH4)**
 - c. Phenols or iodophors**
 - d. Hydrogen peroxide (H₂O₂)**
 - e. Interhalogenic agents/ halogenic hydrocarbons/ iodophor**
 - f. Strong oxidizing agents / peroxide**

Rinse the Holloware to remove harmful residue from soaking solutions with a soft brush. **DO NOT** use non-woven, metal scrub, or abrasive cleaning pads as this could scratch or deposit metal particles on the Holloware which could lead to rusting. Holloware can be disinfected by heat and steam sterilizer, autoclave, EtO Sterilizer, and Bedpan Washing Machine (for Bedpan and urinal).

Sterilization

- ▲ NOTICE: Holloware must be processed in the completely open position to allow sterilant contact of all surfaces.**

Recommended sterilization method:

Steam sterilization with saturated steam with a fractionizing vacuum (ENISO 17665)

Recommended temperature: 273 °F (134 °C)

Recommended pressure: 3 bar

Duration: >= 5 min

Drying time: >= 15 min

After sterilization, check the packaging of the sterilized products for damage. Check the sterilization indicators.

- ▲ NOTE: Sterilization can only be maintained if the products remain packaged or wrapped, impermeable to microorganisms, following a validated sterilization.**

LIMITED WARRANTY

SCOPE OF WARRANTY

GF Health Products, Inc. ("GF") warrants to the original purchaser only that it will replace or repair components, at GF's sole discretion, that are defective in material or workmanship under normal use and service. All warranties are conditioned upon the proper use of the products strictly in accordance with good commercial practice and applicable GF instructions and manuals, including proper use and maintenance. To the extent that a third party warrants a component, GF conveys all of its rights under that warranty to the original purchaser, to the extent permitted.

This limited warranty shall only apply to defects that are reported in accordance with the provisions set forth in this warranty document, within the applicable warranty period and which, upon examination by GF or its authorized representative, prove to be a warranty item. (See Obtaining Warranty Service below) This limited warranty is not transferable.

The warranted components and time periods are set forth below:

Holloware: 1 (one) year

* Labor is not included in the warranty.

‡ The warranty period is as designated above. If a part is replaced under warranty, the original warranty period will not be affected. All other replacement parts will be subject to the warranty period specified.

The applicable warranty period shall commence from date of shipment to the original customer, unless there is an expiration date on the component in which case the warranty shall expire on the earlier of warranty period or the expiration date.

OBTAINING WARRANTY SERVICE

Customers located in the United States who wish to report a warranty issue, must contact GF directly by calling 1.770.368.4700 or by e-mailing a request to cs@grahamfield.com. Customers located outside the United States must contact the Distributor from whom they purchased the products. In both cases, further directions will be provided once the initial contact is made.

This limited warranty shall only apply to defects that are reported within the applicable warranty period. Failure to abide by the specific directions will result in denial of the warranty claim.

The warranty does not cover and GF shall not be liable for the following:

- 1) Defects, damage, or other conditions caused, in whole or in part, by misuse, abuse, negligence, alteration, accident, freight damage, tampering or failure to seek and obtain repair or replacement in a timely manner;
- 2) Products which are not installed, used, or properly cleaned and maintained as required in the official manual for the applicable product;
- 3) Products considered to be of a non-durable nature including, but not limited to: filters, fuses, gaskets, lubricants, and charts;
- 4) Accessories or parts not provided by GF;
- 5) Matching of color, grain or texture except to commercially acceptable standards;
- 6) Changes in color caused by natural or artificial light;
- 7) Charges by anyone for adjustments, repairs, replacement parts, installation or other work performed upon or in connection with such products which are not expressly authorized in writing, in advance, by GF;
- 8) Any labor or shipping charges incurred in the replacement part installation or repair;
- 9) Costs and expenses of regular maintenance and cleaning; and
- 10) Representations and warranties made by any person or entity other than GF.

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For additional information on this product or this warranty, please contact a GF Customer Service Representative.

NOTES:

- 1) Additional terms and conditions may apply. See GF's General Terms and Conditions on its website: www.grahamfield.com.
- 2) Freight claims must be notated on the appropriate shipping documents and must be made with immediacy. International, federal and state regulations govern specific requirements for freight claims. Failure to abide by those regulations may result in a denial of the freight claim. GF will assist you in filing the freight claim.
- 3) Claims for any short shipment must be made within three (3) days of the invoice date.

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