

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

Rocket® CerviNeedle™ Disposable Cartridge Syringe

Scope:

These instructions cover all Rocket® CerviNeedle™ Disposable Cartridge Syringes and derivatives.

Indications:

To permit the injection of medicants contained within pre-supplied 2.2ml glass vials, for example: local anaesthetic agents. This device should only be used by or under the supervision of trained personnel and in conjunction with current clinical practice guidelines such as: *BSCCP European Guidelines for the Management of Abnormal Cytology Parts 1&2*.

Contraindications:

These devices are contraindicated for use where the injection site is not clearly visible and in patients with known sensitivities to the injectable agents.

Preparation:

1. Select the type of CerviNeedle™ Disposable Cartridge Syringe most suitable for the clinical application.
2. Identify the type of vial required before use.
If aspiration prior to injection is required, select a vial type with a hollow ended plug as in Fig 1. The Rocket® CerviNeedle™ Disposable Cartridge Syringe is suitable for use with *both* hollow end and solid plug vials.
3. Using aseptic technique, open the pack and remove the coloured plunger and breech block from the syringe barrel.
Fig 2. Do NOT remove the protective needle sheath at this stage.
4. **For Aspirating Vials:** Assemble the plunger through the breech block.
5. Insert a 2.2ml vial into half way into the syringe barrel and grip both between forefinger and thumb.
6. Insert the tip of the plunger into the hole in the aspirating vial plug and push to secure. Continue at step 8.
7. **For Non-Aspirating vials with solid plug,:** Insert a 2.2ml vial into fully into the syringe barrel. Insert plunger through breech block to meet vial stopper
8. When securely located, slide the assembly fully into the syringe barrel and replace breech block. Rotate the breech block anticlockwise until it is locked. This action will force the inner needle to penetrate the vial lid and seal. Ensure the vial and breech plug are secure before continuing.
9. Hold the distal tip and *carefully* remove protective cap from the needle.
10. Insert needle to desired depth
11. For Aspirating vials: withdraw the plunger slightly to aspirate to confirm correct placement of the needle.
12. Gently depress plunger to inject as required.
13. For subsequent vials: Treat the needle as contaminated. Withdraw the plunger from the barrel and disengage from the vial plug. Rotate and remove the breech plug and remove the empty vial. Continue from Stage 3 or 6 as appropriate.



Disposal:

This device should be handled and disposed of in accordance with local hospital policy and with regard to all applicable regulations, including but without limitation to, those pertaining to human health & safety and care of the environment



This device is not manufactured
with natural rubber latex



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