

# *SteriTite® Disposition Monitor*

## *Instructions for Use*

### **Product Description**

SteriTite® Disposition Monitors are used to clearly identify contaminated items during transport. The Disposition Monitor should be affixed to the exterior of the case cart to identify contents with visible signage indicating that the contents are "CLEAN" or "BIOHAZARD" (not safe for handling without taking proper protective precautions).

Case Medical recommends placing the Disposition Monitor in a consistent location, such as the door of the case cart near the latch, for optimal visibility and effectiveness. Case Medical recommends securing the disposition monitor in the biohazard position with red tamper-evident seals when contents are contaminated (used). Together, these products help you comply with guidelines and clearly indicate clean vs. contaminated items to facility personnel and surveyors.



### **Application Instructions**

1. When applying a Disposition Monitor, select a surface that is flat and smooth.
2. Begin with a clean, dry case cart at room temperature. Moisture, oil, or dirt on the surface of the cart will interfere with adhesion.
  - a. If the case cart is visibly dirty, clean surface with non-oily cleaner, fully rinse cleaner from surface, then wipe with an alcohol wipe and allow to fully dry.
  - b. If the case cart is clean, wipe surface with an alcohol wipe and allow to fully dry.
3. On the reverse of the Disposition Monitor, remove liner from the adhesive tape.
4. Apply adhesive side of Disposition Monitor to the exterior of the stainless steel case cart. Press firmly across the full length and width to activate pressure sensitive adhesive and secure Disposition Monitor to the surface.
5. Check that no free space or gaps exist between the tape and cart surface.
6. Wait at least twenty-four (24) hours after application of the Disposition Monitor before placing case cart into regular use. During this time, you should also refrain from running through the cart washer as the moisture will affect adhesion.

**NOTE:** Per the tape manufacturer's specifications, for maximum adhesion, wait seventy-two (72) prior to placing case cart into regular use.

### **Use and Maintenance**

- For transporting clean, unused instruments, shift metal slide to the right to reveal the green "CLEAN" setting and shift down to secure.
- For transporting dirty/contaminated instruments, shift metal slide up and to the left to reveal the red "BIOHAZARD" setting. Secure with a red Biohazard tamper-evident seal to lock the slide in position.
- The use of caustic or abrasive cleaners can interfere with the adhesion of the tape and damage the metal over time. Use of pH neutral or near neutral detergents is recommended.
- After cleaning, dry well to avoid water spots and degradation of adhesive tape.

## WARRANTY

Case Medical's product line is guaranteed to be free of functional defects in workmanship and materials when used as directed for its intended purpose, as long as product is owned by the original purchaser. Case Medical will repair or replace, at their discretion, any product found to have a manufacturing defect within three (3) years from the date of delivery at no charge to the customer.

The following exclusions apply to the Disposition Monitor replacement and repair warranty:

- Damage due to the use of caustic or abrasive cleaning agents. (Refer to Instructions for Use as to the proper specifications for the washing detergent. Case Medical recommends use of Case Solutions® and SuperNova® instrument cleaners or other pH neutral detergents).
- Excessive handling and abuse. (Refer to the IFUs for operational guidelines.)
- Damage from fire, flood, or other unpredictable event not under the control of Case Medical.

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

All orders are subject to acceptance by Case Medical. Case Medical reserves the right to make changes in design or product improvements. Prices do not include any taxes: federal, state, city, or local. Shipments will be FOB South Hackensack, NJ.

- Careful inspection of the product should be made upon arrival, and visible damage should be noted upon carrier's receipt.
- A lost or damaged shipment in transit requires that the purchaser make his claim directly to the carrier.
- All merchandise must be unpacked and inspected within seven (7) days after receipt. Damage should be reported to the carrier within that period.
- Unless notified in advance, Case Medical reserves the right to make partial shipments.
- Returns will only be accepted when authorized by Case Medical corporate office and a fully executed RGA has been approved.

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