

Smoke-Evac Fusion Electrode

INDICATIONS FOR USE

Electrosurgical Pencils are used for cutting and coagulation to remove tissue and control bleeding by using high frequency current during electrosurgical surger with ESU. The device is disposable, supplied sterile and used in conjuction with an electrode tip.

WARNINGS

These devices should never be used when:

1. There is visible evidence of damage to the exterior of the device such as cracked or damaged plastic or connector damage.
2. These devices fail the inspection described herin.
3. In the presence of flammable gases, flammable prep solutions or drapes. Oxidizing. Gases such as Nitrous Oxide or in oxygen-enriched environments.
4. Do not use monopolar electrosurgery on small appendages, as in circumcision or finger surgery.

SAFETY TIPS

1. Use lowest possible power setting on the electrosurgical unit capable of achieving described surgical effect. Activation time should be as short as possible.
2. Never allow the cables connected to these devices to be in contact with skin of the patient or operator during elecctrosurgical activations.
3. Do not permit the cables connected to these devices to be parallel and in close proximity to the leads of other electrosurgical devices.
4. Always place unused associated electrosurgical accessories in a safe insulated location such as a holster when not in use.
5. Inspect and test each device before use.
6. Discard devices that have reached their life expectancy.
7. Activation of an electrosurgical device when not in contact with target tissue or in position to deliver energy to target tissue (fulguration) may cause capacitive coupling.

INSPECTION

These devices should be inspected before each use. Visually examine the devices for obvious physical damage including:

1. Cracked, broken or otherwise distorted plastic parts.
2. Broken or significantly bent connector contacts.
3. Damage including cuts, punctures, nicks, abrasions, unusual lumps, significant discoloration.
4. Tips for damage, corrosion or misalignment.
5. Verify that the electrode is fully and securely seated in the handle before use.

FIGURE 1

Electrosurgical probe is placed directly into hand piece through cap hole.

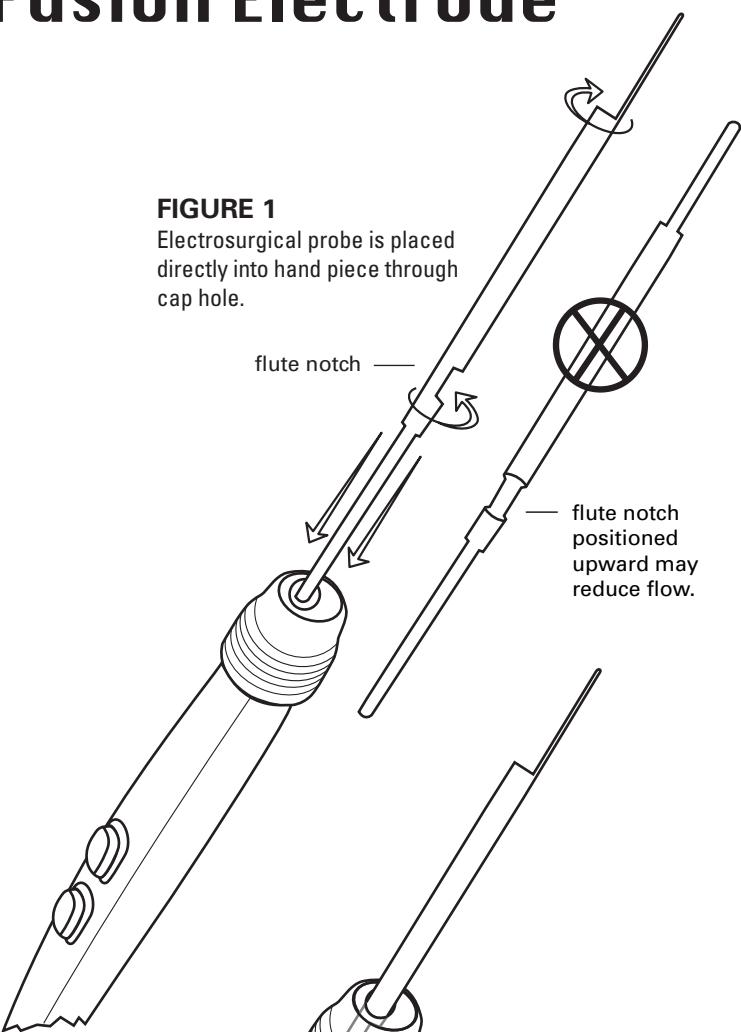


FIGURE 2

When properly seated, probe fits snug with flute notch positioned to side or down.

CAUTION: FEDERAL LAW REQUIRES THAT THIS DEVICE BE ORDERED BY A PHYSICIAN.

STERILITY GUARANTEED UNLESS PACKAGE HAS BEEN OPENED, BROKEN OR DAMAGED.

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