

Product Bulletin

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RE: **Ambient Temperature Use of Rapicide® High Level Disinfectant and Sterilant for Sanitizing**

In order to clarify questions related to the ambient temperature use of Rapicide High Level Disinfectant and Sterilant, MEDIVATORS has amended the directions for use to include an ambient temperature sanitization reference.

The additions to the directions for use include the following statement.

SANITIZATION

Rapicide can be used at ambient (room) temperature in order to perform sanitization processes including decontamination of automated endoscope reprocessor (AER) waterlines and Scope Buddy® flushing aid. In these specific applications, Rapicide must be used at a minimum recommended concentration (MRC) of 1.5% and a minimum contact time of 1 hour. Follow the AER directions for performing the sanitization process.

WARNING

Rapicide can **ONLY** be used at ambient (room) temperature for specific sanitization processes. It is **NOT** to be used at ambient (room) temperature for high-level disinfection of endoscopes.

This change will allow the use of Rapicide High Level Disinfectant and Sterilant for sanitization processes at ambient temperature utilizing a one (1) hour contact time.

MEDIVATORS AER (automated endoscope reprocessor) User and Service Manuals have been amended to reflect this change.

A copy of this product bulletin is available on the MEDIVATORS website located at www.medivators.com under "Documents". If you have any questions regarding this Product Bulletin, please contact MEDIVATORS Customer Support at 1-800-444-4729.



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