

Disposable sterile sheath for flexible nasopharyngoscopes

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

TECHNICAL DATA

The disposable sterile sheath for flexible nasopharyngoscopes $\textbf{Cover}\text{-}\textbf{ENT}^{\otimes}$ is an effective system to ensure:

- Full sterility of the nasopharyngoscope on each examination
- A significant reduction in time between examinations, as there is no need to sterilize the nasopharyngoscope
- A significant reduction in damage to the nasopharyngoscope due to the sterilization process

Cover-ENT® system is easy and practical to use: it simply slides on to the nasopharyngoscope before use and, aided by the thinness and elasticity of the material, is well tolerated by the patient during the examination even when the nasopharyngoscope is moved inside. The well-shaped, high-brightness lens ensures clear vision without optical distortion.

The disposable sterile sheath for flexible nasopharyngoscopes *Cover*-ENT[®] is available for use with the most popular instruments on the market.

WARNING - READ BEFORE USE

- Read these instructions carefully before using **Cover-ENT**® sheaths
- The use of **Cover-ENT**[®] sheaths is allowed only by well-trained and qualified operators
- Nominal diameters of **Cover-ENT**® sheaths are related to brand-new or like-new nasopharyngoscopes that correspond exactly to the manufacturer's specifications.
- The use of *Cover*-ENT[®] sheaths on modified or repaired nasopharyngoscopes is allowed only after a careful check of the effective diameter of the nasopharyngoscope
- The use of incorrect size **Cover-ENT**[®] sheaths may damage nasopharyngoscopes
- Do not use **Cover-ENT**® sheaths on damaged nasopharyngoscopes
- Do not use **Cover-ENT**® sheaths if the packaging is damaged
- Do not sterilize or re-use **Cover-ENT**® sheaths
- Do not use sliding or cleaning substances with **Cover-ENT**® sheaths
- Do not force the introduction of the nasopharyngoscope into *Cover*-ENT® sheaths, use the right code
- The manufacturer's warranty will not apply to damage caused by improper use of Cover-ENT®sheaths

Cover-ENT® sheath description

Proximal Distal connector lens Protective sheath

PLACEMENT AND REMOVAL

PREPARATION Open the *Cover*-ENT[®] envelope, connector end, with both hands 1 Check the nasopharyngoscope and ensure that it is clean and dry. If not, carefully 2 clean the surface with alcohol, dry and apply a light coating of talcum powder or cornstarch to the entire length but keeping clear of the viewing window. Carefully slide the distal tip of the nasopharyngoscope into the Cover-ENT® sheath **PLACEMENT** 3 When the nasopharyngoscope is fully inserted, gently pull the connector over the cone-shaped part of the nasopharyngoscope 4 Remove the protection tube and keep it until the end of examination **REMOVAL** Insert the protection tube over the nasopharyngoscope with the sheath still on it. 5 Gently pull the connector off the cone-shaped part of the nasopharyngoscope with small rotations. Slide off the *Cover*-ENT® sheath by pushing forwards from the connector to the 6 distal part of the nasopharyngoscope. In case of resistance, the sheath may be removed by pulling it from the lens. If the sheath is stuck, introduce a small quantity of alcohol with a syringe without needle inside the sheath. After removal, discard the sheath with the protection tube



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Reuse may cause cross infection

