

GORE® DrySeal Flex Introducer Sheath

Sheath preparation

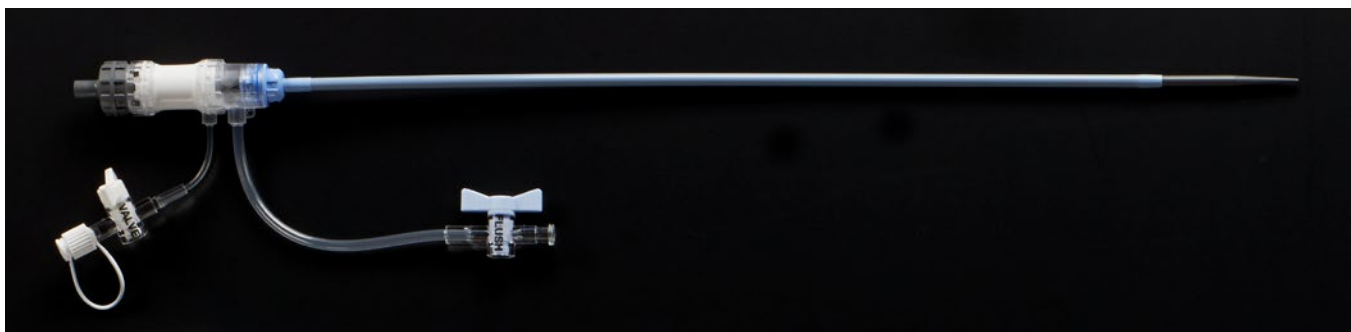


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- Aspirate air from valve through white stopcock labeled “VALVE”
- Inject 2.5 ml saline, using supplied syringe, through the white stopcock labeled “VALVE” to pressurize the valve
- Close the white stopcock and attach white cap (tethered to white stopcock)
- CAUTION: If saline leaks from valve or valve junctions, do not use sheath



- Flush dilator through luer port on the trailing end of the dilator
- Flush sheath through the blue stopcock labeled “FLUSH”. Close blue stopcock.
- **New:** Insert the dilator tip through the valve and into the sheath until the dilator locking cap engages the sheath valve
- **New:** Rotate the dilator lock cap until locked into the GORE® DrySeal Flex Introducer Sheath Valve. Dilator arrow and valve lock / unlock icons are provided.



Sheath preparation—Hydrophilic coating

- Coating activation: Wet the outer surface of the sheath with either sterile saline or water to activate the hydrophilic coating
- **Note:** It is important to keep the sheath tube outer surface wet / slippery throughout the procedure. For procedures of extended duration, it may be necessary to reactivate the hydrophilic coating. This can be achieved through minor rotational or axial movement of the sheath to allow blood to reactivate the coating.

Refer to *Instructions for Use* at www.goremedical.com for a complete description of all warnings, precautions, and contraindications.

 Consult Instructions for Use



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