DIRECTIONS FOR REPLACEMENT OF CONNECTOR ASSEMBLIES:

1. Identify if the Hookup Connector Block is the new (Figure 1 below) or previous (Figure 2 below) design.

2. Identify current Connector Assembly on the Hookup Connector Block to be replaced.

3. Remove current Connector Assembly by pulling associated tubing B from the Hookup Connector Block Barb A (NOTE: If using the previous design, unscrew the Connector Coupling F of Connector Assembly from the Port Connector C, keeping the Port Connector firmly held in place and pull the tubing off the Port Connector stem D). Discard this Connector Assembly.

4. Retrieve the enclosed new Connector Assembly. Note that it may not be identical to the Connector Assembly it is replacing. Discard Ferrule E and Connector Coupling F if using the new design. Confirm Connector Assembly labeling matches the Hookup Connector Block Label Port Name and the Port ID Number using the Connector Assembly Identification Chart. NOTE: Port ID # may not be identified on some older Hookup Connector Block labels.

5. Push tubing B of the new Connector Assembly onto the Hookup Connector Block Barb A. NOTE: If experiencing difficulty in attaching the tubing to the Hookup Connector Block Barb A, dip the tip of the tubing into hot water for 10 seconds. (NOTE: If using the previous design, push tubing of new Connector Assembly onto the Port Connector Stem C and manually screw Connector Coupling F onto Port Connector C until tight. Do not over tighten. Ensure Port Connector C does not turn. If needed, use a wrench to prevent turning.)

HOOKUP CONNECTOR BLOCK TYPES

Exploded View of Port Connector, Coupling Connector, Ferrule and Tubing:

Figure 1 - New Design

Figure 2 - Previous Design

NOTE: Ferrule must be present to prevent leaking.
WARNINGS & CAUTIONS

This hookup is intended for connection only with the specific endoscope models identified in the appropriate MEDIVATORS online hookup guide. Use of this hookup with endoscopes other than those specified by the online hookup guide may result in inadequate HLD.

Users operating MEDIVATORS AERs and hookups must be trained and competent in the understanding of endoscope channel systems.

Prior to reprocessing, users must verify that the hookup used contains connections for all appropriate channels that require a separate reprocessing connection according to the hookup instructions.

All connectors and adapters must remain firmly attached and unrestricted for the entire disinfection cycle to ensure adequate HLD. Users must inspect the endoscope and hookup combination to verify proper connection and flow.

Modifications or repairs to hookups which do not correspond to the manufacturer’s specifications may result in inadequate HLD and/or damage to endoscopes.

Failure to properly clean and prepare endoscope for immersion prior to hookup connection may result in inadequate HLD and/or damage to the endoscope.

Endoscopes must be inspected for damage and verified to be in proper working order prior to hookup connection. Connection of hookups to damaged endoscopes or endoscopes with obstructed/restricted channels could result in inadequate HLD.

Manual leak testing must be carried out in accordance with manufacturer’s recommendations prior to reprocessing.

Install all necessary waterproof caps, plugs and cleaning adapters prior to immersion.

Do NOT autoclave MEDIVATORS hookups.

MEDIVATORS makes no claim on high-level disinfection efficacy when these reprocessing instructions are not followed, or when this hookup kit is applied to endoscopes other than those specified in the online interactive hookup guide.

Avoid biological contamination. Always wear personal protective equipment when handling endoscopes.

If you have any questions regarding this hookup, in the U.S., please contact Medivators Technical Support at 1-800-444-4729. Outside the U.S., please contact your Medivators representative.

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