# INTRODUCER NEEDLE INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

## INDICATION FOR USE:

These needles are used for the percutaneous introduction of guidewires.

## DEVICE DESCRIPTION:

Introducer Needles are composed of two components: a stainless-steel cannula with over molded hub. The introducer needle provides an access path into the vasculature.

## POTENTIAL COMPLICATIONS:

- Air embolism
- Bleeding
- Device dislodgement
- Needle cannula breakage
- Hemothorax
- Infection
- Pneumothorax
- Thrombosis
- Trauma to vessels

#### **WARNINGS:**

- This device is for Single Use Only.
- Do not resterilize the needle by any method.
- Re-use may lead to infection or illness/injury.
- The manufacturer shall not be liable for any damages caused by re-use or resterilization of the needle.
- Contents sterile and non-pyrogenic in unopened, undamaged package.
- STERILIZED BY ETHYLENE OXIDE STERILE EO
  Do not use the needle if package is opened or damaged.
- Do not use the needle if any sign of product damage is visible.

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE:

- Attach syringe to needle hub, if applicable.
- Hold skin taut.
- Adjust angle of insertion and insert needle tip, bevel of needle up.
- Puncture vein.
- Aspirate to assure proper placement.
- Introduce guidewire per hospital procedure.

## NEEDLE DISPOSAL:

The needle should be disposed in accordance with policies and procedures for contaminated sharps disposal.

Medcomp® does not recommend a particular technique for the use of this device. The physician should evaluate their appropriateness according to individual patient conditions and his or her medical training and experience.

## WARRANTY

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