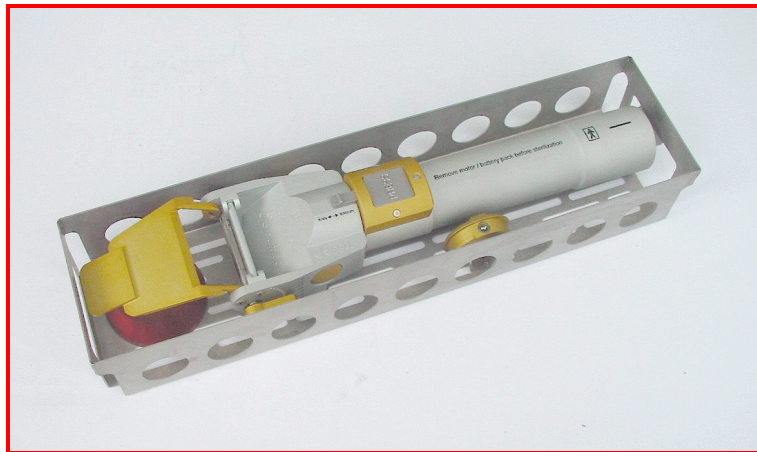


Instructions for sterilization of the Humeca D42 and D80 dermatomes

- Before sterilization the battery-/motor pack inside the handpiece of the dermatome is removed. These parts of the dermatome must never be sterilized!!
- The blade is removed from the dermatome.
- The remaining parts of the dermatome are put into the autoclave case. This case is designed in such a way that sterilization by accident of the battery-/motor pack can never occur. That's why we strongly advise you to always use the special autoclave case. For optimum cleaning the dermatome is placed in the case with the cover open. The locking cap and the sterile clamp are placed in the case next to the handpiece of the dermatome. The introduction funnel is put under the opened cover. The picture below shows how the dermatome is positioned in the case during washing and sterilization.



- To prevent stains on the surface of the instrument, preferably use pH-neutral disinfecting agents and detergents. A strong alkaline detergent might destroy the instrument. Preferably use detergents with pH lower than 10. For more detailed recommendations about sterilization of Humeca surgical equipment, we refer to the booklet that is provided with the instruments. You can also download it from the section "Downloads" in the Humeca website.
- Steam autoclaving is the preferred sterilization method. A temperature of 134 °C during at least 4 minutes is applied.
- If desired, the instrument can also be sterilized by ethyleneoxide or gammaradiation (min. 25 KiloGray).