

Fast Clip

General

The fast clip is a limb lead electrode which consists of an electrode to connect with an ECG electrode cord and a clip to attach it to a patient's limb.

Safety Information

WARNING A warning alerts the user to possible injury or death associated with the use or misuse of the instrument.

CAUTION A caution alerts the user to possible injury or problems with the instrument associated with its use or misuse such as instrument malfunction, instrument failure, damage to the instrument, or damage to other property.

Pay attention to all safety information in the Operator's Manual or Installation Guide.

WARNING

- Do not use the fast clip during MRI examination because it may cause skin burn on the electrode placement area.
- When performing defibrillation, discharge as far as possible from electrodes on the chest of the patient. If there is a possibility that the defibrillator paddle could touch electrodes, remove the electrodes from the patient. If the defibrillator paddle directly contacts an electrode, the discharged energy may cause skin burn to the patient.

CAUTION

- Only use the fast clip for ECG measurement.
- Do not attach the fast clip on a wound or inflamed skin.
- Do not use new and old electrodes at the same time or mix other types of electrodes. When replacing a electrode, replace all the electrodes together. Otherwise, there may be potential difference between electrodes and current may exceed the electrode offset tolerance of the ECG input so that ECG waveforms cannot be displayed and recorded.
- Only use electrodes which are in good condition. If the electrode is deteriorated, contact impedance becomes high and the ECG may be distorted.
- Do not let the fast clip contact water or chemical solutions. If the fast clip gets wet, do not use it.
- Do not sterilize the fast clip.

CAUTION

Dispose of Nihon Kohden products according to your local laws and your facility's guidelines for waste disposal. Otherwise, it may affect the environment. If there is a possibility that the product may have been contaminated with infection, dispose of it as medical waste according to your local laws and your facility's guidelines for medical waste. Otherwise, it may cause infection.

This Safety and Performance Information is an extract from the general and safety information sections of the most recent edition of Operator's Manual or Installation Guide. Therefore, the contents of your Operator's Manual or Installation Guide may differ from those of this Safety and Performance Information. For detailed operating procedures, follow the instructions of your Operator's Manual or Installation Guide.

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