Daily Use Instructions for Your Hu-Friedy® Waterline Filter

NOTES ON USE:

- The Hu-Friedy® Waterline Filter must be left in place during times when the dental unit is not used (weekends, vacations, etc.). Contact HuFriedyGroup for extended closure protocol recommendations.
- · Compliance with heat sterilization of handpieces between each patient must be continued following Hu-Friedy Waterline Filter installation.
- Do not shock or use any other Dental Unit Waterline treatment when the Hu-Friedy Waterline Filter is in place. The only solution that should run through an installed Hu-Friedy Waterline Filter is water. If your office protocol includes a periodic shocking requirement, please contact Customer Support at 1-800-Hu-Friedy (1-800-483-7433) or care@Hu-Friedy.com.
- · Refer to the Hu-Friedy Waterline Filter complete Instructions for Use available at Hu-Friedy.com for precautionary statements, disposal and troubleshooting information.

When Installed in an Independent Water Bottle

At the start of each workday:

Perform a two-minute flush

Flush all lines that draw from the Hu-Friedy® Waterline Filter water source (including unused lines if they cannot be blocked or disconnected to avoid dead legs that harbor biofilm).

 Ensures that Hu-Friedy Waterline Filter treated water is moving through the lines, maintaining iodine levels necessary for bacteriological control (reduced CFU counts/odor/taste).



Perform hygienic procedures

- 1. Remove the bottle from the manifold, wash the inside of the bottle (per bottle manufacturer's instructions for use) and rinse thoroughly.
- 2. Wipe down the outside of the filter with a clean paper towel for sanitary purposes and make sure the intake end is not obstructed.
- 3. Fill the bottle with fresh water (tap or distilled) and return to manifold.

Throughout each workday:

Perform a 20-30 second flush between patients. Flush every device connected to the dental water system that enters the patient's mouth.

- Required to meet CDC Guidelines for Infection Control in Dental Healthcare Settings.
- Ensures that Hu-Friedy Waterline Filter treated water is moving through the lines, maintaining iodine levels necessary for bacteriological control (reduced CFU counts/ odor/taste).

At the end of each workday:

Empty the bottle, and place the empty bottle back on the manifold.

When Installed in a Municipally Plumbed Dental Unit

At the start of each workday:

Perform a two-minute flush

Flush all lines that draw from the Hu-Friedy® Waterline Filter water source (including unused lines if they cannot be blocked or disconnected to avoid dead legs that harbor biofilm).

· Ensures that Hu-Friedy Waterline Filter treated water is moving through the lines, maintaining iodine levels necessary for bacteriological control (reduced CFU counts/odor/taste).

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At The End of Each Workday:

No additional protocol required

