

HU-FRIEDY WATERLINE SOLUTIONS

CLOSURE AND RE-OPENING PROTOCOLS

Hu-Friedy Waterline Filter (IMS-1440, IMS-1440CA)

For the Instructions for Use (IFU) and additional product information on the Hu-Friedy Waterline Filter IMS-1440, please [click here](#).

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PRIOR TO OFFICE CLOSURE

If installed inside an independent dental water bottle:

1. Turn off and depressurize devices attached to the filter.
2. Remove the dental bottle and empty.
3. Wash the inside of the bottle and rinse thoroughly.
4. Wipe down the outside of the Hu-Friedy Waterline Filter and make sure in the intake end is not obstructed.
5. Replace bottle on the manifold.

If installed inline (such as ahead of a dental device such as a free-standing scaler):

1. Leave the filter installed inline.
2. Follow dental device manufacturer's recommendations for periods of inactivity.

NOTE: If the filter is set to expire during the shutdown period, order a new filter so it can be installed before the office re-opens.

PRIOR TO RE-OPENING OFFICE

Consult delivery system manufacturer recommendations for periods of inactivity.

If installed inside an independent dental water bottle:

1. Remove Hu-Friedy Waterline Filter.

NOTE: The Hu-Friedy Waterline Filter should ALWAYS be removed if cleaning/shocking the lines. If cleaner/shock treatment is running through the filter, it is recommended to replace with a new filter.



2. Replace the section of tubing temporarily (Consult a service technician, if needed).
3. Thoroughly clean dental unit waterlines following the manufacturer's instructions or with an appropriate cleaning agent.
4. Rinse the lines.
5. Remove the temporary tubing.
6. Replace or reinstall the filter.
7. Fill with fresh water each morning before its first use. Replace Hu-Friedy Waterline Filter after 240 liters of water usage, if iodine level falls to less than 0.5ppm, or if records of usage are not kept, after 365 calendar days of installation.

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1. Follow dental device manufacturer's recommendations for periods of inactivity.

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VistaTab™ Dental Waterline Cleaner Tablets (IMS-1451)

For the Instructions for Use (IFU) and additional product information on the VistaTab™ Dental Waterline Cleaner tablets IMS-1451, please [click here](#).

PRIOR TO RE-OPENING OFFICE

Be sure to shock the dental unit waterlines upon return to the office.

1. Remove handpieces and purge all waterlines with air to remove water.
2. Remove bottle and clean it thoroughly with hot water, a suitable cleanser and bottle brush.
3. Add one (1) 1.7-gram VistaTab Dental Water Treatment tablet for every 750 ml of potable water. Allow the tablet to dissolve.
4. Flow about half of the treated water through the dental water lines and let the treated water sit within the lines for 5 minutes.
5. Purge the remaining water through the lines.
6. Flush at least 500 ml of potable water through the lines to remove any residual chemical.

NOTE: A line cleaning may be necessary more often than once per month depending on the quality of the water used to fill the bottles, contamination by users during bottle changes, age of system, etc. Be certain to purge all devices that contain water including handpiece, air/water syringe, scaler, quick disconnect line and cup filler (if present). Water quality is greatly impacted by cross connections, dead legs, faulty anti-retraction valves, etc. We suggest testing water quality at least quarterly using an in-office test or outside service.

Treatment should be done if bacteria count is greater than 500 cfu/ml as recommended by the CDC.



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