



AUTO – VENT® PORT CAPS
Reorder # 7000-0005

KEY STEPS

- 1. BEFORE APPLYING AUTO-VENT® CAP, ALLOW ACTIVE BUBBLING TO SUBSIDE.**
- 2. STORE DIALYZER WITH CAP POINTING UPWARD.**
- 3. TO ASSURE ALL GAS IS VENTED, TAP BODY OF DIALYZER IN PALM OF HAND (BEFORE REMOVING CAPS).**
- 4. REPLACE AUTO-VENT® CAPS AFTER 3 MONTHS OF REUSE.**

READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USE

1. Apply one disinfected RPC AUTO-VENT® Port Cap (P/N 7000-0005) on one dialysate port of the dialyzer and one disinfected RPC slip-on dialysate port cap (P/N 7000-0003/0004) on the other port.
2. Apply two disinfected RPC slip-on blood port caps (P/N 7000-1001/1002) or two disinfected RPC twistlock - ISO blood port caps (P/N 7000-1003/1004) on blood ports.
3. Allow active bubbling in dialyzers that have dark fibers after being processed to subside by letting the dialyzer sit for several minutes with one dialysate port uncapped. As an alternative, install two AUTO-VENT® Port Caps on the dialysate ports for increased venting capability.
4. Store dialyzers with the AUTO-VENT® Port Cap pointing upward. Any gas that develops will rise and escape through the special filter material in the cap. As long as the special filter material in the AUTO-VENT® Port Cap is intact and not damaged, no liquid will escape nor will any contaminants get into the dialyzer.
5. Tap the body of the dialyzer while holding the dialyzer with the AUTO-VENT® Port Cap pointing upward before removing the cap. Any remaining gas in the dialyzer will rise and escape through the special filter material in the cap. This will ensure that all pressure within the dialyzer is relieved before removing the cap. Hold the dialyzer horizontally when removing dialysate port caps to minimize spillage.

CAUTION

PROTECTIVE EYE-WEAR SHOULD BE WORN WHEN WORKING WITH CLEANING AGENTS AND
DISINFECTANTS USED IN DIALYZER REPROCESSING.
DIRECT DIALYZER PORTS AWAY FROM EYES WHEN REMOVING CAPS.

6. Soak AUTO-VENT® Port Caps in any commonly used and properly diluted reprocessing disinfectant. It is recommended that caps be replaced every three months.