Cleaning Guide

Improve your patient safety

Mobilett Mira Max – comprehensive cleaning concept
Cleaning Guide – improve infection control

This Cleaning Guide is a nonbinding recommendation and is intended for optimizing both intermediate and terminal cleaning. Adaptations due to hospital-specific, application-specific or region-specific requirements need to be considered.

Why is thorough cleaning essential?
With Mobilett Mira Max, you frequently enter areas with special infection risks. This mobile X-ray system is ideally designed for simplified cleaning and disinfection, helping you enhance both patient and occupational safety.

Cleaning and disinfecting agents compatible with the system

A cleaner disinfectant allows you to perform both cleaning and disinfecting in one pass. However, a regular, separate cleaning step before disinfection is recommended.

Cleaning
Wipe down the system with a diluted, lukewarm solution of dishwashing liquid and water. Use a damp cloth or cotton pad to clean the equipment parts.

Monitor
Remove stubborn stains with a mixture of 2/3 water and 1/3 alcohol.

Disinfection
Base unit, monitor and detector
• Guanidine derivatives
• Peroxide compounds
• Quaternary compounds
• Chlorine derivatives and compounds (detector needs to be completely dry before charging)

Additionally, base unit and monitor are compatible with:
• Pyridine derivatives
• Benzine
• Alkylamine
• Organic acids

Please note
We categorically discourage the use of aldehyde, as it poses a health risk.

Other than for the monitor, we do not recommend the use of alcohol, because it can corrode surfaces.
There are two types of cleaning procedures:

**Interim disinfection** ~ 1-2 min

- After every patient exam:
  All parts which may come – or have come – into contact with the patient should be cleaned and disinfected.

**Intensive disinfection** ~ 4-5 min

- After examining infectious patients and according to your hospital’s individual disinfection schedule:
  The interim disinfection steps should be part of the intensive disinfection.
Simple steps to a clean system

1. Before storing the detector in the tray: make sure the contamination risk of the detector was minimized (either by protecting it with a single-use bag or disinfecting it first).
   When performing an intensive disinfection, don’t store the detector in the tray before also having disinfected the storage compartment!

2. Preparation: remove Mobilett Mira Max from immediate contamination risk area/patient proximity and move it into a “cleaning position” where all areas of interest are comfortably reached (e.g. unfold the tube arm and switch it off).

Interim disinfection

3. **Tube head** (A)
   - Round handlebar, collimator knob, light button, tape measure, top of tube

4. **Arm area** (B)
   - Arm handle, Micro Inch Mover, hand switch, top area of arm

5. **Monitor area** (C)
   - Monitor screen, number field, key pad, drive handle

6. **If necessary: the body** (D)
   - Front and side nearest to the patient

Intensive disinfection

3. **Tube head** (A)
   - All surfaces

4. **Arm area** (B)
   - All surfaces

5. **Monitor area** (C)
   - Monitor screen, number field, key pad, drive handle

6. **All surfaces of the Mobilett Mira Max body** (D)
   - Wipe from top to base

7. **Detector storage compartment** (E)
   - All sides, if required also inside detector holder
Contamination protection:

- Do not touch the monitor with gloves that have touched the patient.
- Adjust examination settings before patient interaction.
- Use different pairs of gloves for preparing the patient and cleaning the system.
- Use a single-use bag for protecting the detector from any contact with body fluid or treatment residues (iodine treatment usually causes permanent coloring of the flat detector).

Workforce protection:

- While cleaning and disinfecting, wear gloves with sufficient chemical resistance.

Thorough cleaning hints:

- Before conducting the disinfection: If the detector is contaminated with blood or treatment residues, ...
  - Wipe away blood using cold water.
  - Wipe away skin cream and other fatty substances using soapsuds.
  - Discard the wet wipe or mop and use a new one to continue cleaning.
- Generally, use maps and wipes only as long as they leave a consistent moist film on the surface.
- Apply the cleaning or disinfecting agent with firm pressure.
- Always work from top to bottom and from clean to dirty areas.

System damage protection:

- Use only recommended materials and ingredients for cleaning and disinfection.
- Do not use dripping wet wipes, but “moist/dampish” ones.
- Do not let cleaning liquids seep into the openings of the system, e.g. air openings, gaps between covers.
- Make sure the charging contacts of the detector are completely dry before stowing it (risk: impaired charging process, corrosion).
- Do not use paper towels for wiping down the monitor (risk: scratches).
- Do not spray cleaning and disinfecting agents directly onto the system, the monitor or the detector.
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