

Instructions for Use

Versatile Soft Tip (VS0280.2X)

Indications for use - Vortex Surgical Versatile Soft Tip is intended to inject and/or remove fluids during vitreoretinal surgery. **Contraindications** - None

Device Description - Vortex Surgical Versatile Soft Tip has a polyurethane tip that can be retracted within a stainless steel needle. The cannulas are available in two gauges: 23ga (Orange) and 25ga (Blue). The Versatile Soft Tip is compatible with its corresponding gauge trocar cannula system.

Known complications - : Retinal Detachment, tears, holes, contusions, bleeding, inflammation, infection, and partial loss of vision.

These complications are statistically rare and it is assumed that the user is adequately trained in the treatment of these known complications and methods of avoidance.

Caution - Federal (USA) law restricts this device sale by, or on the order of, a physician.

Instructions for use: (Electronic Copy of IFU can be found at <https://www.vortexsurgical.com/instructionsforuse>)

1. Determine package integrity.
2. Affect sterile transfer of the product to the sterile field.
3. Remove the instrument from the tray and the instrument is now prepared for use.
4. Follow established surgical procedures.

Warnings - The device is designed to be utilized with cannulas. Ensure the extendable portion of the device is fully retracted prior to insertion through the valved or non-valved cannulas. Do not use if package integrity or product compromised. Do not use if product exposed to conditions outside of indicated range. Do not use if EtO indicator does not show exposure to sterilization gas.

Device Storage - Vortex Surgical Inc. recommends that the product is stored in a clean, dry and well-ventilated area at room temperature 15-37 °C (59-98.6 °F) away from direct sunlight.

Sterilization - This product is sterilized by Ethylene Oxide Gas (EtO) and provided with an EtO indicator. Verify indicator status color prior to use.

Reuse - Do not reuse or reprocess instrument. Reuse could lead to cross contamination, infection, or device failure.

Re-sterilization - Do not re-sterilize instrument

Device Disposal - This single use surgical instrument should be considered clinical waste and should be disposed in accordance with clinical waste laws applicable in your country.

Reporting - Report any serious incident that has occurred in relation to the device to Vortex Surgical and your regulatory body including the competent authority of the Member State in which the user and/or patient is established.

Vortex Surgical, Inc. excludes all warranties, whether expressed, implied, or otherwise, to matters beyond the direct control of Vortex Surgical, Inc and the end result of this device's use. This would include, but not be limited to handling, shipment and storage of the device and patient diagnosis and treatment. The fitness and merchantability of this device are as specified. Implied factors are specifically excluded. Vortex Surgical, Inc. is not liable for loss, whether incidental or consequential, damage and/or expense, arising directly or indirectly from the use of this device. There is no additional liability or responsibility assumed, other than that specified. All additional liability or responsibility is specifically disclaimed.

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