



**Cleaning and Disinfection Guidance for Hopkins® Stethoscopes:**

Care and Maintenance

Avoid extreme heat, cold, solvents, or oils.

Do NOT leave exposed to direct sunlight for prolonged periods of time.

Binaurals and tubing can be wiped down with alcohol or mild soapy water.

Eartips may be removed from binaurals for a thorough cleaning.

Periodically check that eartips are tightly secured to binaurals.

Do NOT immerse stethoscope in any liquid or subject to steam sterilization.

If sterilization is necessary, gas sterilize only.

Chestpieces and diaphragms can be wiped down with alcohol for cleaning purposes

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