NewGen Surgical Needle Counter User Reference Guide



To open the needle counter, pull apart the two sides as shown above.



Place larger needles and blades flat on magnetic surface.

Refer to hospital protocol or AORN for Sharps handling best practices.

Sustainable Design 🕞

- Needle counter box is made with plant-based material:
 - 95% plastic reduction by weight
 - Reduces Scope 3 GHG emissions by over 50%
 - Biodegradable; rate dependent on disposal conditions
- Prop 65 compliant; free of intentionally added BPA or BPA derived plastics, mercury, phthalates, and PVC
- 100% of the packaging for the single sterile needle counters can be recycled if the hospital and their respective waste hauler provides this service

When compared to a similar leading product made with plastic. Sustainability statements are validated by third-party resources.

Clinical Features

- Easy-to-read numbers for securing of needles
- Secure latch with audible closure feedback
- Adhesive tabs secure the needle counter to any workspace
- Full-surface magnet provides space for larger needles and blades
- ASTM F2132 compliant for puncture resistance
- Supports OSHA recommendations for safe sharps handling
- Red color signifying biohazard
- Latex free
 - Selection of foam and magnet configurations





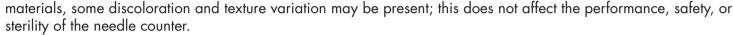
Intended Use

The NewGen Surgical Needle Counter is a single-use, sterile device designed to safely facilitate correct count and disposal of needles and blades during surgical procedures.

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Warnings and Precautions

NewGen Surgical Needle Counters are manufactured with natural materials. With these



To ensure proper functioning, keep dry. Do not use as a fluid reservoir. Do not submerge or expose the needle counter to water or other liquids.

To ensure secure closure, do not separate needle counter box.

When using needle counters with magnets, caution should be used during procedures with materials or equipment which may be adversely affected by magnetic fields.

ASTM F2132 compliant for puncture resistance. Do not use excessive force that could compromise the integrity of the needle counter box.

This device is manufactured and sterilized for single use only.

Do not reuse, reprocess, or resterilize. Reuse, reprocessing, or resterilization may compromise the structural integrity of the device and/or lead to device failure.

Supports OSHA recommendations for safe sharps handling. Always refer to sharps protocol for your facility.

Store in a cool, dry place.

Do not use if product is damaged. Do not use if package is open or damaged.

Instructions for Use

- 1. Remove tabs to expose adhesive on the front and back of the needle counter container.
- 2. Open needle counter and place on flat surface.
 - 2a. For foam block configurations, remove the adhesive backing, replace, and press firmly to secure foam.
- 3. Place used needles in to container during procedure; one per numbered space.
- 4. Place larger needles and blades flat on magnetic surface.
- 5. Securely close needle counter once container is at capacity and/or procedure has ended.
- 6. Dispose the needle counter in compliance with facility guidelines for disposing of sharps.

