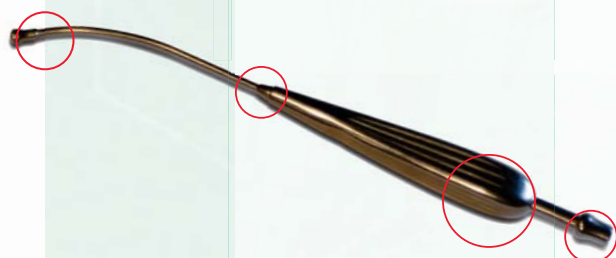


## Sterile Processing Sampling Protocol



### Important Points of Contact

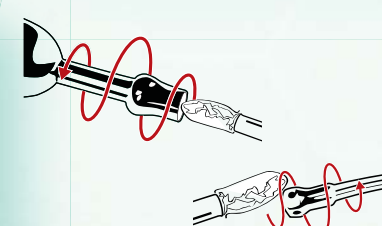
#### Suction Tube



Use Tipped Sampler

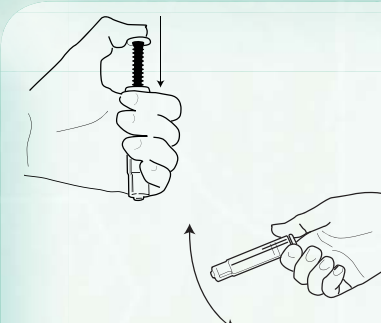
Collect sample by completing 4 spiral rotations (approx. 2 cm<sup>2</sup>) around tube at each end.  
Internal swab sample is preferable if tube opening is large enough, otherwise spiral along external surfaces.

#### Step #1



Sample surface at points of contact with Tipped Sampler, making 4 circular motions.

#### Step #2



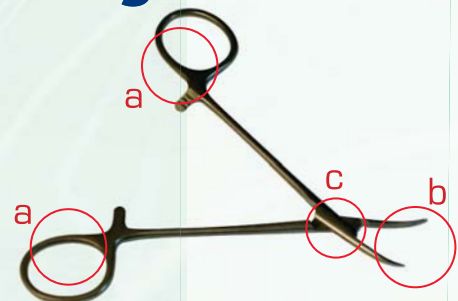
Return the sampler to its cartridge, inserting it all the way. Shake cartridge twice.

#### Step #3



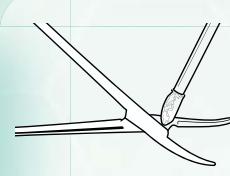
Press eject button to open door and insert the sampler cartridge into the luminometer. Close door and press black button on front of unit to obtain results.

#### Hinged Instrument

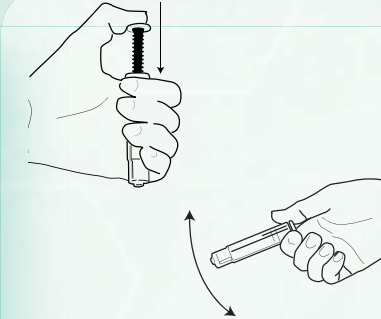


Use Tipped Sampler

Collect sample from internal handle surfaces (a).  
Collect sample using single swipe on each side of the blade or clamp surface (b).  
Collect sample from covered hinge area - opening clamp to expose area (c).



Sample surface at points of contact with Tipped Sampler.



Return the sampler to its cartridge, inserting it all the way. Shake cartridge twice.



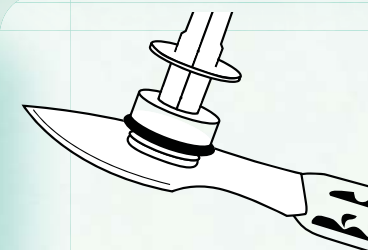
Press eject button and to open door insert the sampler cartridge into the luminometer. Close door and press black button on front of unit to obtain results.

#### Bladed Instrument

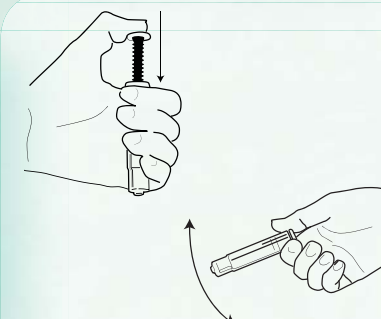


Use Surface Sampler

Collect sample on each side of the blade area.  
Collect sample from each side of handle (approx. 2 cm long per side) totaling 2 cm<sup>2</sup>.



Sample surface at points of contact with Surface Sampler.



Return the sampler to its cartridge, inserting it all the way. Shake cartridge twice.



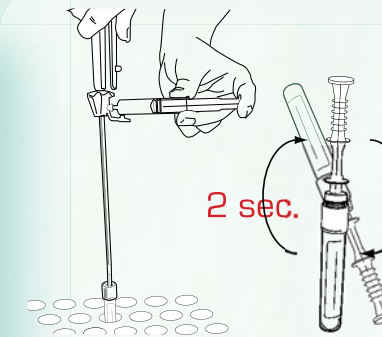
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#### Laparoscopic Instrument

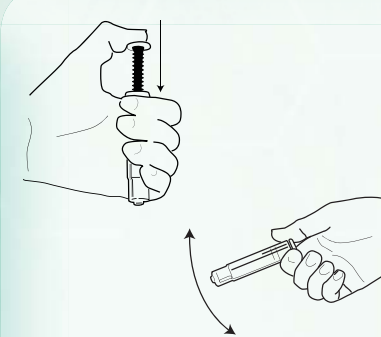


Use Fluid Sampler

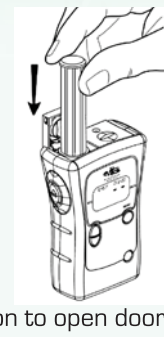
Place tip of laparoscopic tool into the collection vial.  
Press syringe tip (containing sterile water) into instrument port and depress plunger until approx. 2 cm<sup>3</sup> of fluid flows through the instrument into the collection vial.  
Cover collection vial end with water sampler tip (see illustration) and invert collection vial to collect fluid sample - allowing for 2 seconds of absorption.  
Dispose of syringe and collection vial.



Use syringe to flow fluid through instrument and collect in vial for sampling with Water Sampler.



Return the sampler to its cartridge, inserting it all the way. Shake cartridge twice.



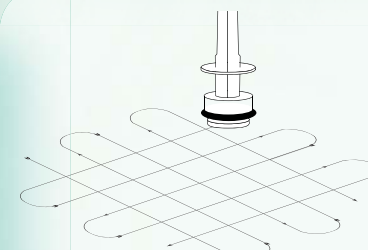
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#### Work Surface

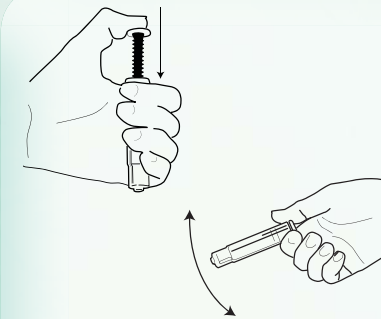


Use Surface Sampler

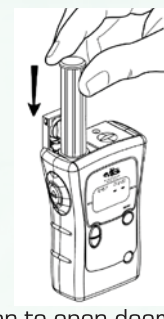
Collect sample of an approx. 4 cm<sup>2</sup> area using criss crossing, grid like pattern.



Sample surface using criss cross pattern with Surface Sampler.



Return the sampler to its cartridge, inserting it all the way. Shake cartridge twice.



Press eject button to open door and insert the sampler cartridge into the luminometer. Close door and press black button on front of unit to obtain results.