

DO	Disinfect sensor prior to each use. Refer to sensor's User Guide for disinfection instructions.
DO	Wipe down sensor with disinfectant.
DO	Store sensor in holster (B1209025) when not in use.
DO	Keep sensor and remote off the floor at all times.
DO	Use only Schick AimRight positioning products and new sheaths every time the sensor is used.
DON'T	Clamp sensor or its cable with a hemostat or equivalent.
DON'T	Autoclave sensor.
DON'T	Soak sensor or its connector in disinfecting solution.
DON'T	Pull sensor by cable during sheath removal.
DON'T	Hang sensor by its cable.
DON'T	Allow anyone to bite directly on sensor or cable.

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#### Questions

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# Sensor Care Guide

Protect your sensors.
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# Designed to Last

Schick® sensors are designed and tested to withstand years of normal daily use. In fact, the most common reason for sensor failure is excessive force applied to the sensor body and/or cable.

THIS TYPE OF DAMAGE IS NOT COVERED BY WARRANTY.



#### Sensor Care

Improper handling of a sensor's cable is the most common cause of sensor failure. It is important that these instructions are followed to prevent damage:

DO	Handle product as gently as possible.
DO	Always use a new sensor sheath with each patient when capturing images.
DO	Grasp both connector and interface (not cable) when disconnecting sensor from USB interface, and pull gently.
DO	Follow sensor sheath removal procedure as illustrated in this guide.
DO	Store sensor in holster (PN B1209025) when not in use.
DON'T	Coil sensor cable. Repeated coiling of sensor cable may cause kinks and irreversible damage.
DON'T	Let cable hang on or near the floor where it can become tangled or stepped on.
DON'T	Let cable hang near a drawer where it can become kinked/crimped.
DON'T	Pull on cable to remove it from tab, holder or sheath.
DON'T	Tangle cable during use.
DON'T	Create sharp bends and/or knots when untangling.

### Static Prevention

Static electricity is a potential source of problems with electronic devices. Basic precautions can help prevent static build-up, especially if you are using the system in a carpeted room and/or areas of low humidity.

The following suggestions will help eliminate static build-up:

- Floor treatments (e.g., Staticide 2005/2002)
- Ensure electrical outlets are properly grounded
- Anti-static floor mats
- Air humidifier (humidity of 50+%)
- Air ionizer

## Sheath Removal

DO	Always be gentle with cable while removing sheath.
DO	Follow the 3 steps in the images below.
DON'T	Pull on cable when removing sheath.

#### Sensor with AimRight Autoclavable Positioning System



Begin by pinching the distal end of the sensor out of the sheath.



As the sensor is pushed into the wider area of the sheath, gently slide the sheath away from the sensor.



Be careful to prevent the sensor from falling on the floor.

#### Sensor with AimRight Adhesive Positioning System



Keeping the sensor attached to the positioning tab, grasp the aiming bar where it joins the sensor and begin pushing the distal tip of the sensor out of the sheath.



As the sensor is pushed into the wider area of the sheath, gently slide the sheath away from the sensor.



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# Cleaning and Disinfecting

For Schick 33, CDR Elite and PlusWire sensors, the cable should remain attached to the sensor.

For CDR Wireless sensors, the battery pack should be removed from the sensor and cleaned, following the same steps as the sensor. Exercise care when cleaning around the battery contacts to avoid damaging them.

In a clinical use environment, the health care provider should wear protective disposable gloves and cover the sensor with a hygienic barrier for each use. Before using the sensor the first time, and before every new patient, the following protocol is recommended:

- Remove and discard all protective hygienic barriers and / or sheaths from the sensor prior to removing disposable gloves.
- 2. Place the sensor on a tray covered by a disposable liner, or in a receptacle that can be thoroughly disinfected.
- 3. Remove and discard gloves.
- 4. Wash hands and put on a new pair of disposable gloves.
- 5. Disconnect the sensor from the remote module.
- If the sensor or cable are visibly soiled (e.g., with blood or saliva), each should be cleaned with a soapy cloth or paper towel, and then dried with a clean lint-free cloth or paper towel.
- Thoroughly wipe the sensor and cable (if applicable)
  with the disinfecting product recommended on
  manufacturer's website. Do not expose the contacts
  of the sensor/remote module connection to liquid.
- Repeat step 7. When the sensor has been wiped two times, continue with the following steps.



- Remove potential chemical build-up from the sensor by wiping it with a sterile lap sponge saturated with de-ionized water.
- 10. Use a sterile dry lap sponge to dry the sensor or cable, as needed.
- Place the sensor in a clean environment, ready for next use.
- 12. Reconnect the sensor.
- 13. Remove and discard gloves.