

# Mock Catheter

## Warning

Read the complete directions before use.

- Failure to properly follow the instructions, warnings and cautions may lead to serious surgical consequences or injury to the patient.
- These procedures should only be performed by persons having adequate training and familiarity with these techniques.
- Consult medical literature regarding techniques, complications and hazards prior to performance of these procedures.
- To be used by or under the direction of qualified persons in line with local guidelines governing Assisted Reproductive Techniques, if applicable.

STERILE: Contents sterile unless package has been opened or damaged. Discard if product or packaging is damaged.

## Description

Order code	<b>FTT</b>
Designation	<b>Mock Catheter</b>
Units per box	Box of 25 units
Total length	18 cm
Length of the flexible tip	4.5 cm
External diameter	1.6 mm
Hysterometry guide-marks	5.5 / 6.5 / 7.5 cm
Components	Polyethylene
Specific feature	Closed extremity

One piece trial transfer catheter with a flexible extremity in polyethylene, closed, similar in shape and dimensions to the real transfer catheter: Frydman<sup>®</sup> Classic Catheter 4.5, featuring:

- an atraumatic distal blunt end
- a flexible extremity
- a strengthened proximal section for better handling

Class I medical device, complying with Directive 2007/47/CE.

CE 0120 Marking.

U.S. Federal law restricts this device for sale by or on the order of a physician.

Single use: Discard after single use.

Latex free.

Individually sterile package.

Sterilized by irradiation. Do not resterilize.

## Indications

Trial catheterization before an embryo transfer.

A trial catheterization can be performed

- either during a cycle prior to the embryo transfer
- or just before the transfer

Data collected during a trial catheterization is recorded in the patient's file (uterus size, shape of cervical canal, selection of most suitable device) to help anticipate any difficulty during the real transfer and to help choose the best suited catheter.

The Mock Catheter is used to reproduce the exact conditions of a real transfer with a Frydman® Classic Catheter 4.5.

## Contraindications

The catheter should not be used:

- in the presence of chronic cervical infection
- in the presence of or after recent pelvic inflammatory disease
- for intra-fallopian procedures

## Caution

- Prior to use, all devices coming in contact with gametes should be checked for integrity and rinsed with appropriate biological media.
- The catheter should never be forced against digitally felt resistance while inside the uterine cavity, as this may result in damage to the endometrial tissue and bleeding.

## Instructions for use

To perform a trial catheterization with the Mock Catheter, proceed as if for a real embryo transfer:

- Connect the Mock Catheter to an IVF syringe to help the handling of the catheter.
- Gently introduce the catheter tip up to the internal orifice of the cervix, using hysteroscopy guide-marks and rotating it slightly to clear any obstacle in the cervix.
- Once the Mock Catheter is correctly positioned in the endocervix, record the length introduced in the cervical canal, the shape of the cervical canal, and any obstacle met.
- Remove the Mock Catheter gently.