IRRIGUT®
ANASTOMOSIS TEST KIT-OP

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For intraoperative evaluation of a colorectal anastomosis in **OPEN** surgery

2 Single Use

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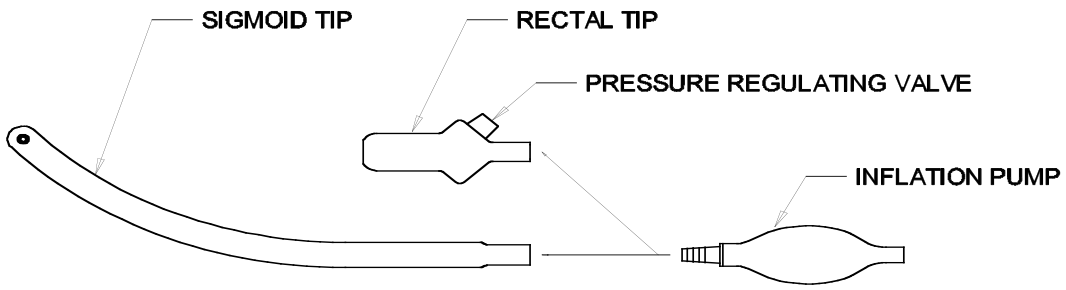

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE:

TO TEST FOR ANASTOMOTIC DEFECTS:

1. Fill the pelvis with saline and occlude the bowel above the anastomosis.
2. Attach the RECTAL TIP (or SIGMOID TIP) to the INFLATION PUMP.
3. If using the RECTAL TIP, insert it into the anus until the expanded portion abuts the anal verge.
4. If using the SIGMOID TIP, insert it so that its tip lies distal to the anastomosis.
5. Compress the inflation pump to distend the bowel.
   - The PRESSURE REGULATING VALVE in the RECTAL TIP opens at 30 cm of water to relieve excess pressure and maintains pressure between 25 and 30 cm of water if there is no leak.
   - The sound of air escaping through the VALVE may be heard.
6. Observe the pool of saline for bubbles, which indicate an air leak.
7. Repair the anastomosis if necessary and repeat the leak test.
8. Use the SIGMOID TIP without the INFLATION PUMP to deflate the bowel and to assure patency of the anastomosis.
   - Test for patency with the SIGMOID TIP, which is no larger than 18 mm in diameter, only if the anastomosis was formed by a 28 mm or larger circular stapler.
   - **Do not pass through an anastomosis formed by a circular stapler smaller than 28 mm.**

CONTRAINDICATIONS:
The ANASTOMOSIS TEST KIT-OP is not intended for use in laparoscopic surgery.

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