WARNING

Potential adverse effects associated with ERCP include but are not limited to: pancreatitis, cholangitis, aspiration, perforation, hemorrhage, infection, sepsis, allergic reaction to contrast medium, hypotension, respiratory depression or arrest, cardiac arrhythmia or arrest.

Potential adverse effects associated with pancreatic stent placement include but are not limited to: trauma to the pancreatic duct or duodenum, stent migration.

WARNING

This device has been validated and is warranted for single-use only. Any re-use, reprocessing or resterilization could destabilize the design structure of the device, which could result in device failure, which in turn could result in patient and/or user injury, illness or death. Also, any re-use, reprocessing or re-sterilization could create the risk of cross-contamination of the device, which could result in patient infection or cross-infection.

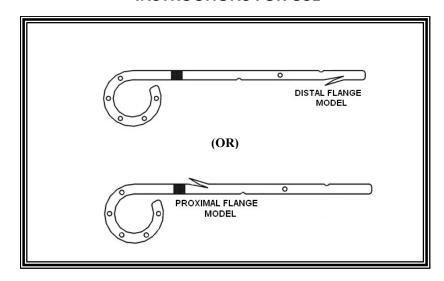
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Precision Instruments for Endoscopy

Freeman Pancreatic Flexi-Stent Single Use

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE



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READ CAREFULLY BEFORE USING

SYMBOLS

The meanings of the symbols shown on the package and/or this instrument are as follows:



Consult Instructions for use



Use By Date



Date of Manufacture



Do Not Re-Use



Catalog Number



Sterile using Ethylene Oxide



Do Not Use if Package is Damaged



Manufacturer



Batch Code



Do Not Re-Sterilize



Federal Law (USA) restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a physician



Quantity

SIGNAL WORDS

The following signal words are used throughout this manual:



Indicates a potentially hazardous situation, which if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.



Indicates a potentially hazardous situation, which if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury. It may also be used to alert against unsafe practices or potential equipment damage.

SAFETY

Indications for Use: The stent family products are intended to be used by a physician/trained personnel for endoscopic bile duct/pancreatic duct stent drainage, providing effective relief of pain in patients with ductal obstruction.

CAUTION

Excessive pressure or force applied may cause damage to either the accessory and/or endoscope.

CAUTION

Only the user can evaluate the clinical factors involved with each patient to determine if the use of the device is indicated.

WARNING

A thorough understanding of the technical principles, clinical applications and risks associated with ERCP procedures and with the placement of pancreatic stents is necessary before using the device.

CONSTRUCTION

Design: The single use Freeman Pancreatic Flexi-Stent has been developed from a biocompatible material and is MR safe. The 4fr, 5fr and 7fr with assorted lengths feature a single retention flange, small pigtail radius and an external positioning mark.

Stent Diameter		Recommend Guide Wire Size
4fr		.025 in
5fr/7fr		.035 in
CAUTION	Use of a .018 Guide Wire with soft stents could result in buckling.	

This device has been sterilized using Ethylene Oxide.

CONTRAINDICATIONS

Include but not limited to:

- Those specific to ERCP and any procedure performed in conjunction with stent placement
- Inability to pass the Guide Wire or Stent through the obstructed area

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

- Remove the Stent from the package. Save the product lot number for future reference.
- 2. Inspect for any functional abnormality. If any irregularities are noted, call Hobbs Medical for a return authorization number.
- 3. Insert the distal tip of the Stent (opposite end of pigtail) onto the proximal end of the Guide Wire.
- 4. Advance the Stent through the working channel until the distal tip is visualized at the distal tip of the Endoscope.
- 5. When the positioning mark (black stripe) is visualized, ensure proper Stent position. Deploy the Stent with positioning mark and pigtail seated on the outside portion of the pancreatic sphincter.

For further information: Please contact Hobbs Medical