

Packaging and Shipping Instructions

#D2000 #D5000

2 or 5-Gallon Dental Amalgam Recycling System

SYSTEM COMPONENTS (Save for packaging and return shipping.)

• *Return shipping box with prepaid label* Disinfectant

• Inner contact amalgam pail & zip foil bag

- Plastic bag box liner
- Absorbent beads
- Tracking form

Outer pail

• Instructions, twist tie and tape

INSTRUCTIONS (Read instructions including all warnings completely before using this system.)



Fig. 1: Remove white recycling outer pail from shipping box. SAVE the shipping box with shipping label and box liner.



Fig. 5: Place the inner pail into the outer pail. Place any non-contact items** into the outer pail.



Fig. 9: Make sure the prepaid label is showing when closed.



Fig. 2: Remove the inner pail and line with the enclosed zip foil bag.



Fig. 6: Open the enclosed bag of absorbent beads and sprinkle into the outer pail.



Fig. 10: Tape shipping box lid closed.



Fig. 3: Place the lined inner pail at point of use. Place contact amalgam* into plastic liner.



Fig. 7: Attach lid and turn until



Fig. 11: Remove Tracking Form from plastic pouch. Complete and remove bottom copy and keep. Place remaining copies back in pouch and seal.



Fig. 4: Once full, add enclosed disinfectant into the plastic liner in the inner pail. Attach lid and turn until locked.



Fig. 8: Place outer pail into shipping box and tie liner. Close inner box flaps.



Fig. 12: Give box to UPS. NO ADDITIONAL FREIGHT IS NECESSARY.

- Contact Amalgam: items that may have come in contact with blood or saliva, and have not been disinfected, such as: capsules, trap contents, sludge from filters and other capture devices, and teeth with amalgam. ** Non-Contact Items: items that have NOT come in contact with blood or saliva such as: empty capsules, lead
- foil/aprons, x-rays, excess mixed amalgam, fixer (in original container), disinfected amalgam separators.

FOR TRACKING PURPOSES:

Log on to your SharpsTracer® account at www.sharpstracer.com. Enter Tracking Form number. Download proof of recycling in 30-45 days. Call 800.772.5657 with guestions about this service.

ADDITIONAL WARNINGS:

- NEVER place amalgam into medical waste containers!
- Order a new Recycling System before existing pails are full.
- Larger size outer pails will be required for lead aprons,
- containers of used fixer, and amalgam separators. • KEEP AWAY from unauthorized persons.
- Keep the bag and lid on the Contact Amalgam pail closed when not in use.
- Comply with all laws and regulations.
- Do not overfill or place anything into the pails except the specified materials.
- The total mailing weight of the Sharps Dental Amalgam Recycling and Disposal System[™] is not to exceed 1 net pound of elemental mercury, e.g. that in unused capsules.

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