

SeptaVent Directions for Use and Disclaimers

1. SeptaVent is intended for In-Vitro use only.
2. SeptaVent is irradiated after packaging but is not identified as a sterile product. Sterility validation is available for an added fee.
3. SeptaVent should always be used under a laminar flow hood or biosafety cabinet, sterility may be momentarily compromised at insertion point of septum.
3. SeptaVent is an integral product as manufactured out of the bag but the reseal-ability of the hermetic seal can be compromised through repeated penetrations by a large object and/or debris build up on the septum.
4. The SeptaVent Slitted Septum is mechanically held in place it is not bonded thus it is important to wet the septum prior to penetration with any object larger than 1.5mm in diameter with IPA spray or swab with IPA to ensure that the septum stays in place during insertion and removal.
5. Whenever a large object i.e. 1ml Or 2ml pipette is inserted it is important to insert it gently with twisting and to withdraw it gently while twisting to prevent detachment of the septum.
6. It is recommended that a trial be run and validation be performed before SeptaVent is used for any critical application.
7. Please refer to tube and cap manufacturer i.e. Corning chemical compatibility chart prior to use.
8. Working temperature range is -4°C - 40°C
9. SeptaVent is not recommended for centrifugation, the maximum centrifugation force must be determined via experimentation by end user if intending to centrifuge.
10. If centrifuging, a tube cushion may be required to support the conical bottom, see Corning for more information.
11. While stationary and in an upright position, SeptaVent will provide an integral hermetic seal but if inverted, i.e. holding a SeptaVent adapted tube containing liquid in an upside down position; this action may result in eventual leakage of the contents.
12. SeptaVent is not intended to be used as a shipping container.

CAUTION: When centrifuging pathogenic organisms, clinical specimens known or suspected to be infectious, or any other potentially biohazardous materials, approved safety containment systems should be used.

Should this product be used with infectious or otherwise hazardous materials those materials should be rendered harmless by sterilization or other suitable treatment prior to disposal.

Marin Scientific LLC. does not recommend that you recycle products that have been used with hazardous materials, hazardous waste or biohazard items.

These tubes are intended for use by persons knowledgeable in safe laboratory practice.

