

Maxi Air Pump/Motor Disinfection Update

Dear Valued Customer:

At Arjo, our motto is *with people in mind*, and our priority is ensuring the wellbeing of our customers, the patients and residents we serve each day, and our employees. This is an unprecedented time in healthcare, and the situation continues to change rapidly. We are committed to maintaining our business operations, assisting you with guidance, and ensuring you continue to receive the highest quality service during this uncertain time. Arjo's Quality and Regulatory department shares this updated information regarding disinfection protocols for the Maxi Air Pump/Motor.

In relation to air filtration, the Maxi Air has a particulate filter that controls particles larger than 2 microns, it does not have a HEPA filter which controls particles larger than 0.3 microns. The Corona family of viruses has an average size of 0.1 microns.

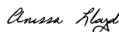
Under normal use conditions, with universal or contact precautions, where the risk is contact with body fluids and patient skin, the current disinfection protocol per your facility and the *Instructions for Use (IFU)* should be followed, including spraying or wiping down the exterior of the motor and hose with EPA approved chemicals containing 70% isopropyl alcohol, such as Sani Wipes or MicroQuat. It is also recommended that the air filter be changed yearly. For additional disinfectants approved by the EPA for use against SARS-CoV-2 (COVID-19), see the following link: <https://www.epa.gov/pesticide-registration/list-n-disinfectants-use-against-sars-cov-2>

In the COVID-19 environment, your facility may consider the following:

- In an environment involving all COVID-19 patients, the air pump can be used between patients using the normal use cleaning protocols above.
- In an environment where the air pump would be used between suspect positive or positive COVID-19, and COVID-19 negative patients, additional cleaning steps would be required.
 - Removing and soaking the air hose in disinfectant solution.
 - Disassembling the motor and disinfecting inside the motor housing.
 - Changing the air filter.
- The facility may want to consider designating certain motors to be used only in the COVID-19 areas, and designating other motors to be used with the patient population at large.

If you should have any questions regarding our processes, please contact your local service center and/or sales representative, or me directly at 210.745.8718.

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