IMPORTANT USER NOTICE <u>AquaCare</u>

Weekly Maintenance of the AquaCare

Once a week, it is recommended to thoroughly clean the AquaCare Unit in order to maintain the unit's performance. Failure to perform these maintenance steps may lead to a drop-off in the performance of the unit.

WARNING: Under no circumstances must any cleaning agent, including surface wipes containing alcohol, come into contact with the dosing chambers.

STEP 1

Turn off the unit, allow it to decompress (approx 30 seconds) Remove the dosing chamber lids, clean out the inside of the lids using your aspirator or air line. Wipe the rubber seals inside the lid with dry cloth. Apply a small amount of chalk stick to the rubber seals. See illustration (The chalk stick lubricates the seal and makes it easier to tighten the lids fully).

STEP 2

Remove the powder cartridge from the dosing chambers and remove any powder in the chamber using a vacuum, and wipe out the dosing chamber with a dry lint-free cloth

Check that the powder in the cartridges is flowing freely by slightly rotating or shaking them over your aspirator or sink. If the powder is not flowing well, try shaking more vigorously. If this does not work, the powder cartridge should be replaced. It may have encountered moisture ingress and may need drying out. Return the free flowing cartridges to their dosing chambers and refit the dosing chamber lids, ensure that they are fully tightened (this should be easier with the added talcum powder).

STEP 3

Remove the Aquasol bottle (Cutting fluid), clean out the bottle reservoir (socket, see illustration) with a lint-free cloth or paper, check that there is no mould growth in the reservoir if found. Use a cotton bud soaked with AquaSol to clean the socket of any growths. If the socket has accumulated powder/dust, use the AquaCare (position 1, Air, on the foot pedal) to blow out the socket as required.

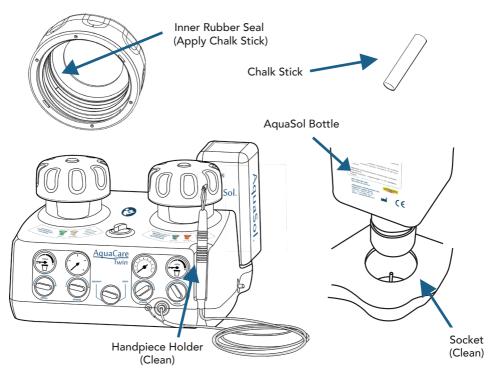
The handpiece holder (see illustration) needs to be cleaned on a regular basis to remove any contamination that may have been transferred from a contaminated handpiece handle. Use a cotton bud soaked with AquaSol to clean, and any hard to reach areas of the holder.

Check the AquaSol fluid level in the bottle and if satisfactory return it to the reservoir (socket, see illustration).

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Illustrations



STEP 4

Carefully wipe down the outside surfaces of the unit i.e. the Dosing Chambers/Lids/ Control Knobs / Foot Pedal with a lint-free cloth lightly moistened with water or AquaSol.

(Note: See warning note regarding alcohol based wipes)

If you see anything that you are concerned about during this Weekly Maintenance Process, please feel free to contact your service department to discuss the matter. It is best to be sure.

A well maintained AquaCare MK5 will serve you reliably for many years to come.

In order to ensure that the AquaCare continues to function safely and reliably, it is important that you contact your Velopex supplier to book an annual service and safety check every 12 months.