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PATHOGEN EXPOSURE REDUCTION EVALUATION FORM

Date: _____Department:_____

Evaluator: Product: Number of times used:

Please circle the most appropriate answer for each question. Not applicable (N/A) may be used if the question does not apply to this particular product.

		Agree.....Disagree
1	The use of the device does not require extensive change in technique from the use of a standard device.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
2	This device provides a better alternative to traditional devices.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
3	This device is no more difficult to use than traditional products and requires no additional time.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
4	The device works well with a wide variety of hand sizes.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
5	The device is easy to handle while wearing gloves.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
6	The device can be used by either right or left handed clinicians.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
7	The safety feature of the device does not cause interference with the procedure.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
8	The user does not need extensive training for correct use of the product.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
9	The product is suitable for a range of uses across a variety of patient populations.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
10	The safety feature of the product is a passive feature; it requires no intervention on the part of the clinician to activate.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
11	The user's hands are protected from a sharp at all times.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
12	The device gives indication of safety feature activation (if one is added.)	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
13	The winged needle has an undefeatable safety feature that provides permanent coverage of the sharp.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
14	The winged needle operates reliably.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
15	The design of the product suggests proper use.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A
16	The use of the product reduces the risk of exposure to blood or other potentially infectious materials and therefore reduces the potential of exposure to bloodborne pathogens.	1 2 3 4 5 N/A

Of the above questions, which three are the most important to your safety when using this product?

Are there other questions which you feel should be asked regarding the safety features of this product?

Conclusions: _____

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