

Note: This document is a product use reference guide. Please consult the package insert for the complete Instructions for Use.

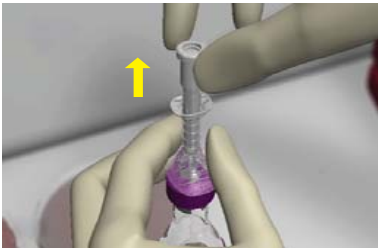
Insert SCU



A) Remove SCU from package and position tip at center of disinfected bottle stopper.

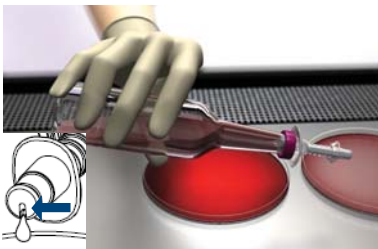


B) Hold bottle with one hand. With other hand, press down on SCU flanges to pierce bottle top.
Note: The SCU will not sit flush with the stopper.



C) Hold SCU in place with one hand and using other hand, pull up on white filter cap to remove.

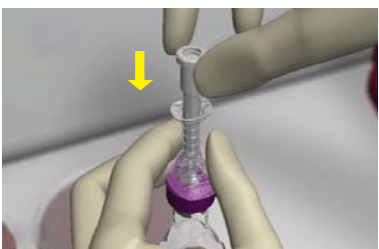
Drop Method



A) Position SCU sampling channel close to media plate or slide.

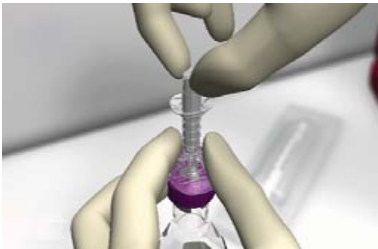


B) Tilt bottle to dispense drop.



C) Replace white filter cap when finished dispensing drops.

Syringe Method



A) Aseptically remove the sampling channel. For example, place an alcohol wipe over insert and pull up with finger tips.



B) Insert male end of syringe into female luer of SCU. Invert bottle and syringe and withdraw required volume into syringe.



C) Upright bottle and syringe. Pull up on syringe plunger to clear any remaining culture in the SCU.



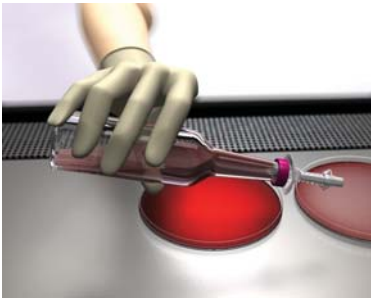
D) Replace white filter cap as described above in the Drop Method. Dispense sample from syringe.

Remove and Discard SCU



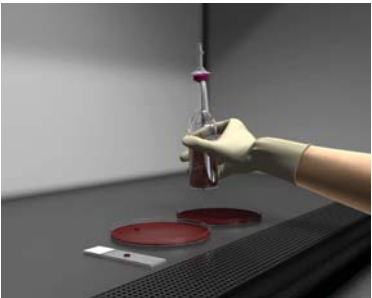
A) Hold bottle with one hand and with other hand twist and pull up on SCU to remove.
Discard into appropriate bio-hazard container.

General Guidelines

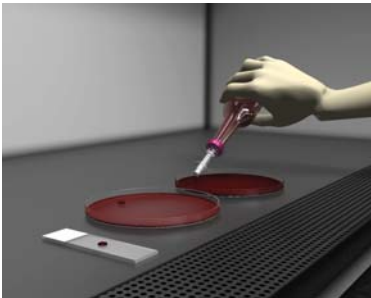


Tilt bottle to smaller angle (approx. 30-45 degrees) above horizontal for better control of drop size and speed.

Note: Gaseous samples tend to flow more quickly.

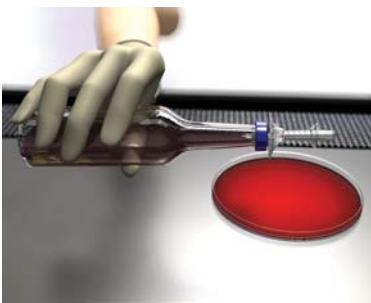


Prepare to upright bottle quickly to cut off the drop size and rate.

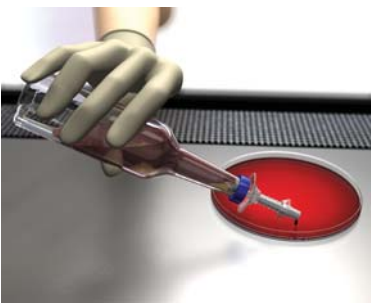


When dispensing to a series of slides or other media, dispense drops sequentially without uprighting the bottle between drops.

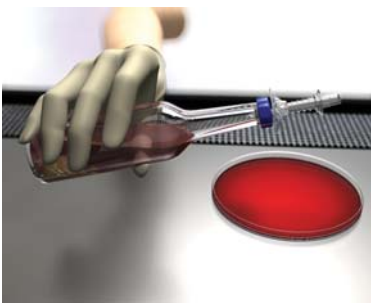
Resin Media



To reduce potential clogging, turn the bottle horizontal allowing the resin to settle along the side of the bottle prior to dispensing drops.

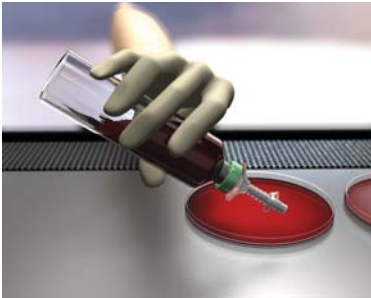


Increase the angle of the bottle to dispense drops.



If resin obstructs the SCU tip inside the bottle, tilt the wide end of the bottle downward to clear the resin from the tip. Allow the resin to settle along the side of the bottle prior to dispensing additional drops.

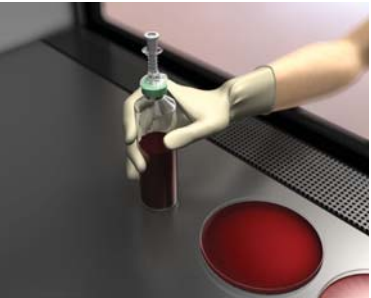
Charcoal Media



To reduce potential clogging, tilt the bottle approx. 30-45 degrees above horizontal. Do not invert the bottle, as this may increase clogging.



Clogging may be cleared by gently pressing the base of the SCU against the septum while the bottle is at a slight angle.



Clogging may also be cleared by replacing the SCU filter cap and gently tapping the base of the bottle on a counter.

An alternative is to use the syringe method.