

Suggested Mercury-Containing Device Shipping Instructions

Important Packing and Shipping Instructions for Mercury (Hg) containing Devices

Failure to properly pack mercury containing devices could result in mercury leakage during transit or during handling.

The shipper will be responsible for all costs, penalties and fines associated with clean up of mercury spills that result from improper packing or shipping.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Federal restrictions apply to the shipment of mercurial products that contain greater than one (1) pound of mercury. NEVER ship any mercury containing device to InnoCal that contains more than three (3) grams of mercury as the item will be refused for service and returned at your expense.

Suggested Packing Instructions

Follow the suggested procedure below to ensure proper packing; you will need the following materials:

- 1. Clear Polypropylene bag
- 2. Twist or cable ties
- 3. Bubble wrap
- 4. Sturdy Cardboard shipping box









Follow the steps below to pack your device

 Consult CFR 49 173.164 Transportation regulations to for Hazardous Materials Transportation instructions. See disclaimer section.



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2. Place mercury-containing device into clear polybag (allows examination of the

- instrument for damage prior to opening). Poly bag must be strong, leak proof and puncture-resistant material impervious to mercury.
- Use twist or cable tie to securely seal the bag. Ensure the poly bag completely surrounds the contents and is tightly sealed, so that the escape of mercury will be prevented irrespective of the position of the package.
- Wrap bubble wrap around the sealed poly bag. Ensure the ends are covered as well as the sides, use adhesive tape to secure polybag if necessary
- Place bubble wrapped item into carton, ensure the device is has no free play and cannot shift. Add additional filler to prevent shifting if necessary.
- 6. If you are returning more than one (1) mercury containing device pack them separately using steps 1 to 3.
- 7. Label outer carton with Fragile sticker and/or orientation arrows (e.g. This side up)

NEVER ship a broken or leaking mercury-containing device back to InnoCal.

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