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## Safety Syringe Evaluation

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|---------------|------------------------------------|------------|
| Name:         | Occupation/Title:                  | Dept/Unit: |
| Today's Date: | Product Name/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.

| <b>DURING USE:</b>  | agree . . . . . disagree |   |   |   |   |     |
|---|--------------------------|---|---|---|---|-----|
| 1. The safety feature can be activated using a one-handed technique.  | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 2. The safety feature <b>does not</b> obstruct vision of the tip of the sharp.                                      | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 3. Use of this product requires you to use the safety feature.  | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 4. This product does not require more time to use than a non-safety device.   | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 5. The safety feature works well with a wide variety of hand sizes.   | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 6. The device is easy to handle while wearing gloves.   | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 7. This device <b>does not</b> interfere with uses that do not require a needle.                                    | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 8. This device offers a good view of any aspirated fluid.   | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 9. This device will work with all required syringe and needle sizes.  | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 10. This device provides a better alternative to traditional recapping.   | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| <b>AFTER USE:</b>   | agree . . . . . disagree |   |   |   |   |     |
| 11. There is a clear and unmistakable change (audible or visible) that occurs when the safety feature is activated. | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 12. The safety feature operates reliably.   | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 13. The exposed sharp is permanently blunted or covered after use and prior to disposal.                            | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 14. This device is no more difficult to process after use than non-safety devices.                                  | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| <b>TRAINING:</b>  | agree . . . . . disagree |   |   |   |   |     |
| 15. The user <b>does not</b> need extensive training for correct operation.   | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 16. The design of the device suggests proper use.   | 1                        | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | N/A |
| 17. It is <b>not</b> easy to skip a crucial step in proper use of the device.                                       | 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/utility of this product?

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