Starting Treatment

This procedure is not intended to replace your doctor's, practitioner's, or peritoneal dialysis (PD) nurse's advice or training. Refer to the Liberty® Select User's Guide for detailed information including device description, instructions, contraindications, warnings, and precautions. As with all PD procedures, use aseptic technique. This information is provided for QUICK REFERENCE only.

Note: All pictures are for example only.

1. Make sure the cycler is plugged into a grounded outlet.
2. If using the iQdrive®, insert it into the USB port. When facing the front of the cycler, the USB port is located on the back left side.
3. Turn on your cycler using the white power switch on the back side.
4. If using the IQdrive™, insert it into the USB port. When facing (towards you).
5. Hold the cassette with the plastic domes facing outward (towards you).
6. First, slide the cassette up and under the cassette guide pins.
7. Then, snap the cassette in place using the cassette catch at the bottom of the pump module.
8. Check the package label on the Liberty cycler set to ensure it is not past its expiration date, and then remove the cassette set from its packaging.
9. Inspect the Liberty cycler set to make sure it is free from kinks or damage. Look for scratches, loose tubing, or small holes in the cassette film.
10. Make sure the cassette is resting under the cassette guide pins, as this could cause damage to the pump module.

Caution: Use caution when touching the cassette film to prevent damage.

Warning: A damaged cassette can cause PD solution to leak into the cycler and is a potential risk for contamination. Notify your PD nurse if you find a fluid leak.

Warning: DO NOT USE the cassette if it is damaged. Call Customer Service at 800-323-5188 to arrange a pick-up to return the damaged set.

Caution: Avoid touching any of the sensors inside the cassette door, as this could cause damage to the pump module.

Caution: The cassette door is pressurized. Do not attempt to open the cassette door until your machine instructs you to do so.

Warning: Check that the pump module is clean and free from obstructions before inserting the cassette. Keep fingers clear of moving parts.

Warning: DO NOT force the door closed. If you're having trouble closing the door, open the cassette door and make sure the cassette has been inserted correctly.

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Caution: If using a cycler cart, be sure the cycler tubing is hanging down freely behind the handle of the cart.

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Insert the blue stay•safe PIN connector into the stay•safe organizer clip below the control panel.

Gently close the cassette door. Ensure the cassette door clicks into place to lock it.

• Make sure the cassette is resting under the cassette guide pins at the top of the pump module and within the catch at the bottom of the pump module.

• If your cycler HAS an alignment bar, the tubing should hang down in front of the cycler over the alignment bar.

• If your cycler DOES NOT HAVE an alignment bar, the tubing should hang freely down in front of the cycler.

When directed:

• Choose your heater bag volume (2L, 3L, 5L, 6L).

• The bag you use must be at least 1000 mL larger than your first fill volume and at least as much as your maximum fill volume.

Note: Place the solution bag with the largest volume on the heater tray.
When directed:
• Connect the heater bag to the line with a RED clamp.
• Connect additional solution bags to lines with a WHITE clamp.
• Connect the last bag to the last bag option with a GREEN clamp, if required.
• Connect the drain line or drain bags to the line with a YELLOW clamp.
• Ensure that only one solution bag, which is the heater bag, is placed evenly on the heater tray.
• Press Next.

When directed:
• Break the cones on the heater and solution bags with fingers or stay•safe Handi-tool.
• Bend cone back and forth until completely separated.
• Clamp solution lines that are not connected to a bag.
• Press Next.

When directed:
• Verify all solution bag connections match those on the screen.
• Press Next.
• The cycler will now flush the solution/drain lines.
• Verify that the blue clamp on the patient connector line of the cycler set is open.
• Press Next to prime the patient line on the cycler set (line with the blue clamp).
• When prompted on the Liberty cycler screen, prepare to connect your PD catheter to the PIN connector (blue clamp).
• For aseptic technique, follow the instructions provided by your PD nurse about wearing a mask and sanitizing or cleaning your hands just before connection.
• Once you are connected, open both the white clamp on your PD catheter extension set and the blue clamp on the patient line of the cycler set.
• Press Next to continue. Your treatment will now begin.
• When priming is complete, inspect the patient line (line with the blue clamp) and PIN connector on the cycler set to ensure it is completely filled with fluid.
• If you do not see fluid in the PIN connector, press Back to prime again, as necessary.
• Close the blue clamp and press Next.

Note: If you are using a Liberty cycler set tubing model (P/N 050-87216) with a 20-foot long patient line, you may need to press the Back button again to ensure the line is fully primed.

• Enter Yes if you filled your abdomen with solution without using the cycler (manual exchange).
• Enter the fill volume from your manual exchange. Press Next to continue.
• Review the settings just entered and then press Next again.

For technical questions, please call Technical Support anytime at 800-227-2572.
For medical or clinical questions, call your home therapy nurse or nurse on call.

Read the Instructions for Use for safe and proper use of this device. For a complete description of hazards, contraindications, side effects, and precautions, see full package labeling at www.fmcna.com

Indications for Use:
The Fresenius Liberty Select cycler is indicated for acute and chronic peritoneal dialysis.
The Fresenius stay•safe patient connectors are intended for use with a peritoneal cycler for drainage and infusion of PD solution during a peritoneal dialysis exchanges. The Fresenius stay•safe patient connectors are indicated for use in acute and chronic peritoneal dialysis.
Caution: Federal (US) law restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a physician.