

## ***G320 Mercurial Sphygmomanometer***

### Correct handling Protocols

Desk Mercury Sphygmomanometer – G320 is for professional-use only within the professional setting of a doctor's office, professional medical clinic or hospital that approve the use of mercury sphygmomanometers. This professional instrument is not intended for home-use, by those without proper medical training or outside of professional setting. When using G320, please follow the guidelines below:

- Always shut off mercury reservoir when not in use and/or during transport.
- Never use force to shut the G320 case and ensure cuff and bulb are placed properly within the G320 case.
- Only transport Mercurial Sphygmomanometer when necessary and only within a heavy-duty air-tight sealable plastic bag placed securely within a shock-proof case.

If in the event that spillage of mercury should occur, please contact the appropriate hospital staff and department at your hospital/clinic/office to execute procedures according to your facility's Hazardous Materials & Waste Management Plan. The procedure contained within this document is to serve as a supplement to your internal Hazardous Materials & Waste Management Plan.

- If you've come into contact with mercury, seek medical attention immediately.

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