



# MesaLabs

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

## Threads/Poly Sutures

1. Aseptically place the threads/polyester sutures into the sterilization load. Spore threads/polyester sutures are designed to be used in areas with small lumen or areas where a spore strip will not fit properly.
2. Run the sterilization cycle as normal.
3. Aseptically remove the threads/polyester sutures from the sterilization load and aseptically (use of laminar flow hood or similar equipment) transfer the threads/polyester sutures to a sterile tube of growth media.
4. Incubate for 7 days at 30-35°C for EtO/Dry Heat or at 55-60°C for Steam/H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>. Daily checks should be made for Growth/No Growth and results documented.

This is a single use product. Use of a unit in multiple cycles will invalidate the results and could potentially result in the release of nonsterile product.