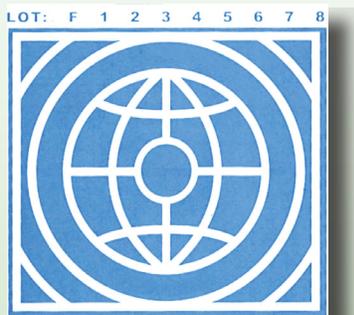


# once a day<sup>®</sup> ecos



An Eco-Friendly Compact Pre-Assembled, Disposable Bowie-Dick Test Pack\*

Once-A-Day<sup>®</sup> Ecos Bowie-Dick Test Pack is used to monitor sterilizer function each day, before the first processed load.



Unprocessed



Pass

- ⌘ Easy to spot process indicator on box can quickly tell you if pack has been processed.
- ⌘ A clear **blue** to **pink** color change indicates a fully functioning sterilizer and signals that you can proceed with load processing.
- ⌘ Ecos<sup>™</sup> helps identify the specific reason for failure with distinct dye patterns after exposure

## Instructions

1. Preheat sterilizer before running the test.
  2. After the preheat cycle place one test pack on the lowest shelf over the drain. The sterilizer must be empty except for the test pack.
  3. Run a normal sterilization cycle at 273.5°F/134°C using a 3.5 min exposure time, do not exceed 4 min exposure time.
  4. At the end of the cycle, remove the test pack from the sterilizer. Caution: pack and contents may be hot.
  5. Remove the test sheet from the pack and examine the indicator test pattern
- Warning: Extending the recommended time for the Once-A-Day<sup>®</sup> Ecos<sup>™</sup> test pack over 4 minutes will invalidate results because entrapped air diffuses over time.

## Ecos Detects Typical Sterilizer Malfunctions



Fail



Low Temperature