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## Endoscope Storage Cabinets

### A healthy, safe and compliant environment for your endoscopes

- » Endoscopes don't touch each other or the back wall – hang freely
- » Endoscopes don't touch the floor
- » Cabinet is well ventilated – dust free – circulation around endoscopes
- » Endoscopes hang vertically
- » LED lighting
- » 24/7 HEPA – filtered air
- » Removable drip tray
- » Space saving technology – small footprint
- » Free standing



- » Endoscopes must be stored in an area that is **clean, well-ventilated and dust-free**.
- » Endoscopes should be stored **in accordance with the endoscope and storage cabinet manufacturers' IFU**. Endoscope storage cabinets should be made of a **material that can be disinfected**.
- » Endoscopes should **hang in a vertical position**.
- » Endoscopes should **hang freely**.
- » When using drying cabinets, follow the cabinet manufacturer's instructions.



- » Endoscopes should be stored suspended **vertically** in a way to allow circulation of air.
- » Endoscopes should **hang freely**.
- » Endoscopes should be hung vertically with the distal tip hanging freely.
- » Endoscopes Insertion Tubes should **hang vertically** and as straight as possible (**no bends**).
- » There should be **sufficient space between and around scopes** to prevent them hitting into one another.
- » Endoscopes should be stored in a **well-ventilated, clean area**.
- » The **temperature and humidity** in the area where the scopes are stored **should be monitored**.
- » The endoscope should **hang in a way to prevent damage** to the scope and prevent the formation of moisture.
- » Special care should be taken to **avoid coiling** of any part of the endoscope to reduce chances of any droplets forming within the channels.



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## Got Compliance?

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- » Flexible and semi-rigid endoscopes should be **stored in a closed cabinet**.
- » Cabinets should have **venting that allows air circulation around the endoscopes**.
- » Cabinets should have **internal surfaces composed of cleanable material**.
- » Cabinets should have adequate height to allow endoscopes to **hang without touching the bottom**.
- » Cabinets should have sufficient space for storage of **multiple endoscopes without touching**.
- » Flexible endoscopes **may be stored in a closed cabinet with HEPA-filtered air** that provides **positive pressure** and allows **air circulation around the flexible endoscopes**, if a drying cabinet is not available.
- » Flexible endoscopes that have been mechanically processed should be **stored in a cabinet** that is either sufficient height, width, and depth to allow flexible endoscopes to **hang vertically, without coiling** and **without touching the bottom of the cabinet** or designed and intended by the cabinet manufacturer for horizontal storage of flexible endoscopes.
- » Storage cabinets used for flexible endoscopes **should be cleaned and disinfected with an EPA registered hospital-grade disinfectant** when visibly soiled and on a regular basis (e.g., daily, weekly).
- » Cabinets should be situated in a **secure location** in the clean workroom of the endoscopy processing room.
- » Storage cabinets should have doors and be located at least 3' from any sink.

Guidelines	SGNA	AORN	AAMI	ScopeVault
Clean, well-ventilated and dust-free	✓	✓	✓	✓
Endoscopes should not touch each other (hang freely)	✓	✓	✓	✓
Endoscopes should not touch the bottom of the cabinet		✓	✓	✓
Endoscopes should not be coiled	✓ *	✓	✓	✓
Cabinets should have venting that allows air circulation around the endoscopes	✓	✓	✓	✓
Sufficient space between and around scopes	✓	✓	✓	✓
Cabinets should be made of a material that can be disinfected.	✓	✓	✓	✓
Endoscopes should hang in a vertical position*	✓	✓	✓	✓
Area temperature and humidity should be monitored			✓	✓
Flexible and semi-rigid endoscopes should be stored in a closed cabinet		✓		✓

\* Per OEM IFU

### ScopeVault Cabinet Specifications

W 29", D 23", H 94", Weight: 200+/- pounds  
Voltage: 120v 20A circuit.

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