

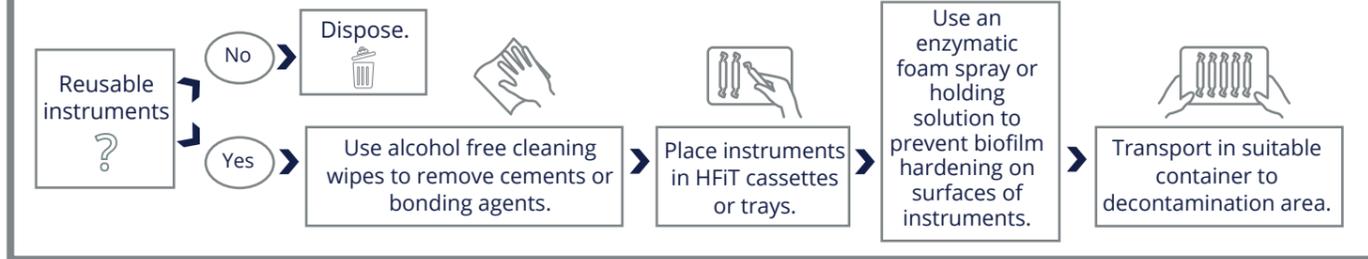
# Decontamination Guidance

Follow our intuitive guide covering the decontamination of reusable instruments.

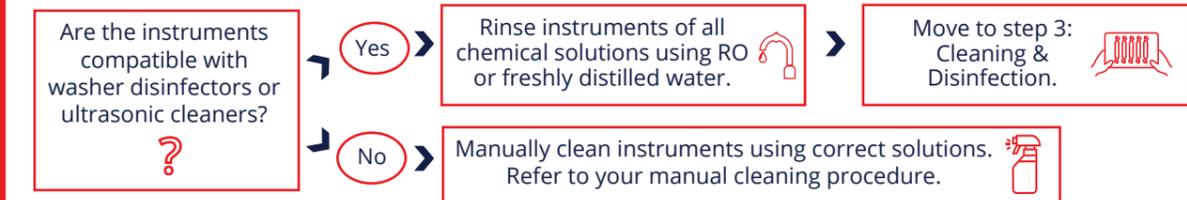


## 1 Post Procedure

Prevent contaminants drying and becoming difficult to remove on reusable instruments, whilst within the surgery room.

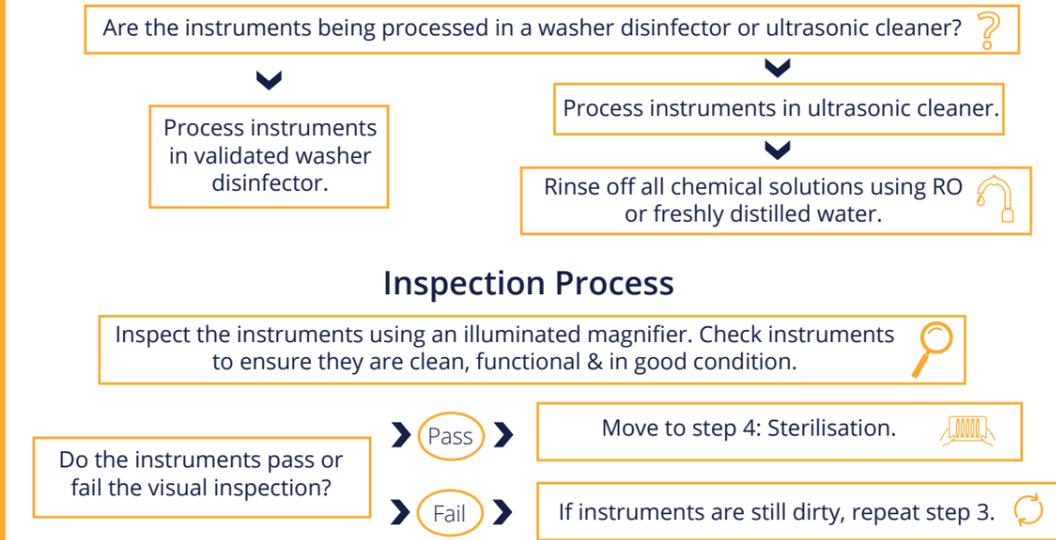


## 2 Preparation



## 3 Cleaning & Disinfection

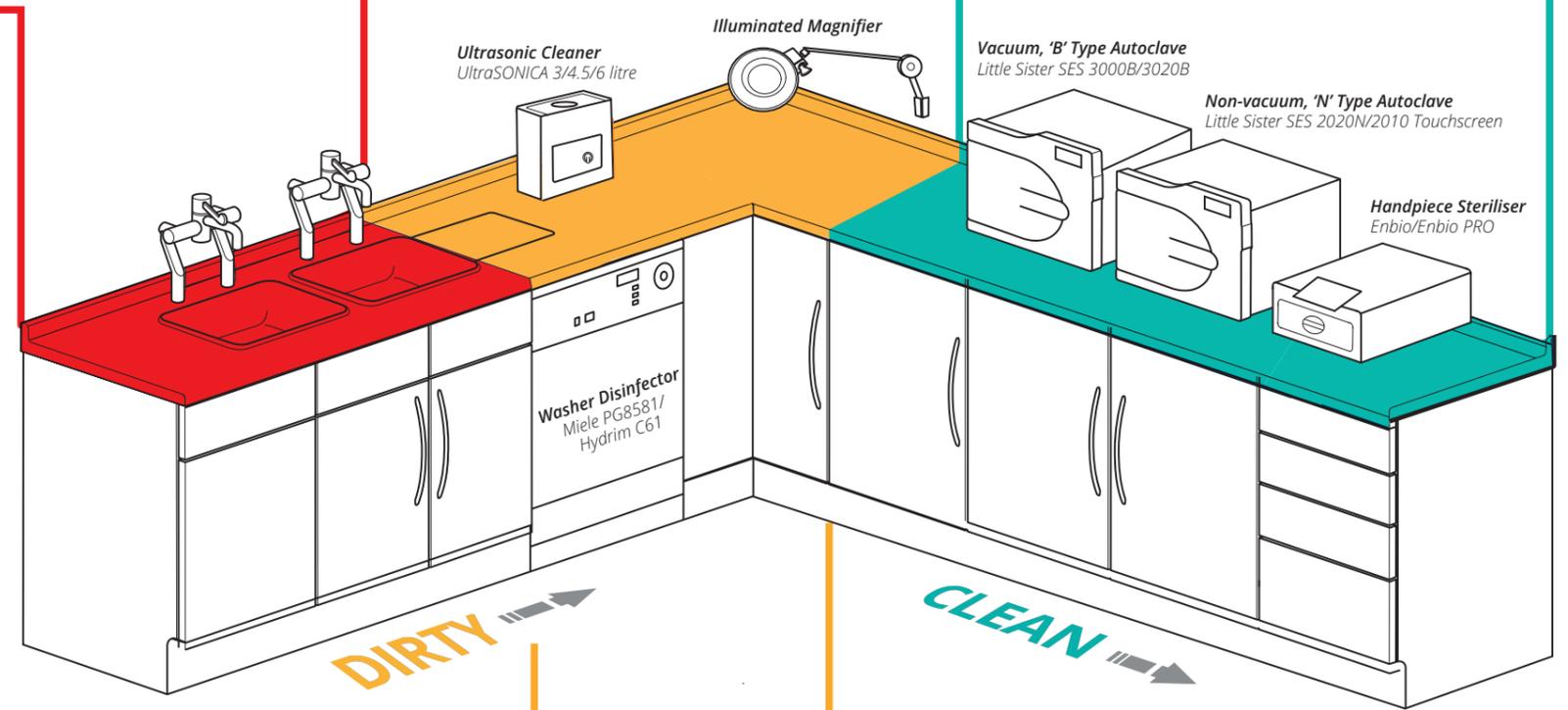
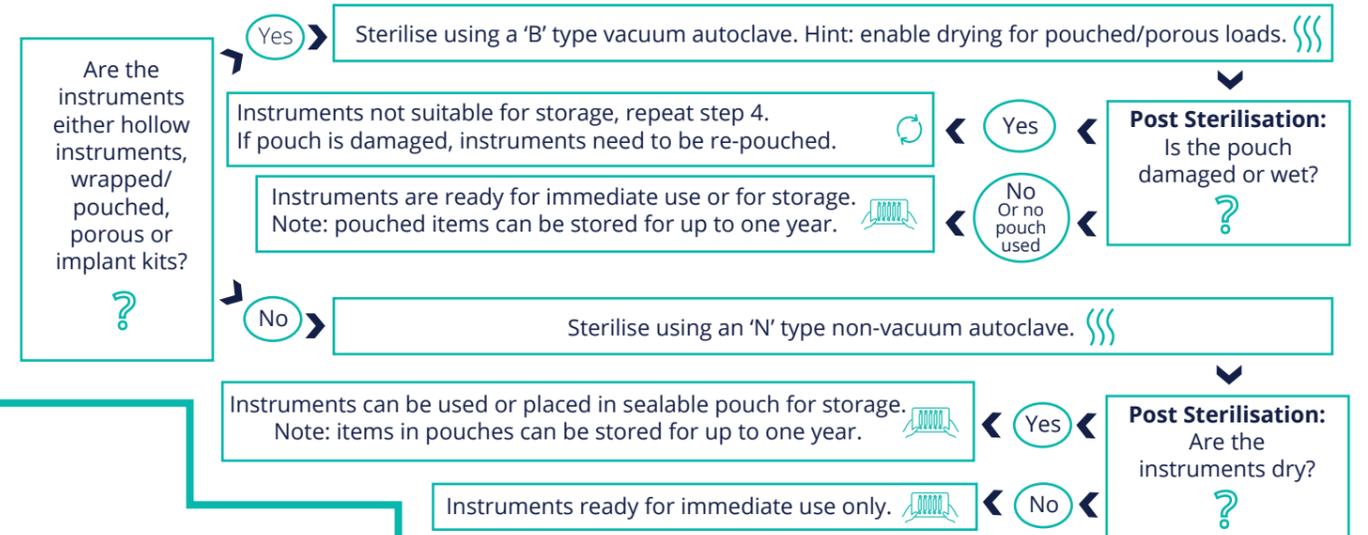
Critical step: if the instruments are not clean, sterility cannot be achieved.  
**Note:** Always refer to log book to ensure daily & weekly tests have been performed.



## 4 Sterilisation

Using the correct autoclave cycle guarantees the instruments are safe for use. For dental handpieces please refer to the manufacturer's processing guidance.

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Always refer to HTM01-05/SDCEP guidance. The processes described must only be undertaken by qualified personnel trained in the use of decontamination equipment.