### Curettage

For years doctors used stainless steel ear curettes to remove wax in the ear canal that obstructed their view of the tympanic membrane. The pain and trauma caused by these hard metal curettes prompted Bionix to develop the first Safe Ear Curette™, the White FlexLoop®, which quickly became the standard of care for curettage.

Today, Bionix offers a complete line of seven different curettes each designed for a specific type of patient and cerumen condition.

### **Features and Benefits**

- Flexible to reduce and avoid injury to the ear canal or tympanic membrane, safer than stainless steel curettes.
- Single-use to eliminate the time, labor and costs associated with re-sterilizing steel curettes as well as reduce the risk of any cross contamination.
- Color-coded for easy selection.
- Curettage can be billed under CPT code 69210 for potential reimbursement.

The complete line of Safe Ear Curettes consists of seven specially designed ear curettes which are the:

- White FlexLoop®
- Blue InfantScoop®
- Green MicroLoop®
- Red AngleLoop®
- Yellow CeraSpoon®
- Purple VersaLoop®
- Orange ControLoop®

Each curette has been engineered and manufactured to meet the exacting quality and safety standards for Bionix Safe Ear Curettes. For over 18 years this has meant:

- In-house product development
- Multiple precision measurement checks
- 100% in-process inspection of curettes during packaging
- FDA compliant polymers and colorants



50 single-use curettes per box



#### Safe Ear Curettes™

Bionix has the Safe Ear Curette for you. Physicians have relied on us for more than 20 years to provide high quality, functional solutions to their curettage problems. If it doesn't say Bionix on the handle, you don't have a Safe Ear Curette in your hand.



## # 9555 White FlexLoop®

The White FlexLoop is an all purpose curette designed for normal curettage in a variety of patients.

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The Yellow CeraSpoon is perfect for softer wax, especially in patients who produce excessive amounts of cerumen.



### # 2999 Orange ControLoop®

The Orange ControLoop has a bent "Shapleigh" style tip that allows the wax to be pulled straight out of the ear canal.



### # 3444 Red AngleLoop®

The Red AngleLoop has an angled tip that facilitates reaching the hard-to-get, tough cerumen common in older patients.



### # 4111 Purple VersaLoop®

The Purple VersaLoop has a smooth flexible tip that gives the user exceptional control while offering the patient more comfort.



### # 4888 Blue InfantScoop®

The Blue InfantScoop is designed for smaller ears and may be used through an otoscope.



### # 1222 Green MicroLoop®

The Green MicroLoop is more rigid in construction and is designed to remove tough, impacted cerumen.

#### **How to Use**



### **Normal Curettage**

- 1. Use otoscope to determine cerumen location.
- 2. Choose the appropriate curette for the type of patient and cerumen.
- 3. Place curette into ear canal and remove cerumen.
- 4. Repeat otoscope exam and determine location of any remaining cerumen.



# Otoscope Curettage

- 1. Use otoscope to determine cerumen location.
- 2. Select one of the Youth Safe Ear Curettes™.
- 3. Slide scope magnification to one side.
- 4. Place curette through otoscope and remove cerumen.

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