





ERGOLANCE® SAFETY LANCETS

Sterile, single-use medical devices intended for capillary blood sampling







Product intended use

ergoLance® safety lancets are sterile, single-use medical devices intended for capillary blood sampling. Intended users are healthcare professionals and lay users.



Sharps injury - facts

"Over 80% of needlestick injuries can be prevented with the use of safer needle devices, which, in conjunction with worker education and work practice controls, can reduce injuries by over 90%!"

HTL-STREFA is committed to manufacturing safety products designed to reduce or eliminate the risk of exposure to blood-borne pathogens.

By using safety lancets, needlestick injuries and infections can be minimized. 7



Pain perception mechanism 3,4



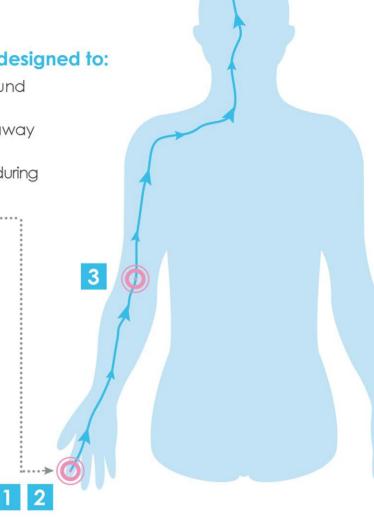
Special lancet shape designed to:

 apply gentle pressure around the puncture site

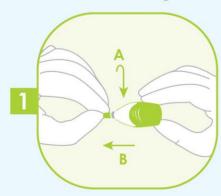
 distract brain's attention away from the needlestick

increase patient's comfort during blood sampling

- 2 Needlestick activates pain receptors
- 3 A mixed signal is passed to the brain
- Pain message perceived by a patient is distracted thanks to the special lancet shape



How to use ergoLance - clinical users



Twist off the protective cap and pull it straight out.



Press the **ergoLance** body firmly against the puncture site to activate the device.



Gently apply intermittent pressure near the puncture site to obtain the required blood volume. Discard the used lancet into a sharps container in accordance with facility guidelines and local regulations.

- HTL-STREFA developed a lancing procedure that has been clinically proven & increases the expected blood volumes by reducing pain perception at the same time. ^{1,8}
- For more details please check the material available on: https://htl-strefa.com





ergoLance® is sterile, single-use, contact activated safety lancet intended for capillary blood sampling.

Available in three versions

	Product Name	Needle gauge/blade	Penetration depth	
	ergoLance® Micro Flow	30G needle	1.5 mm	
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	ergoLance® Normal Flow	25G needle	1.8 mm	
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	ergoLance® High Flow	21G needle	2.0 mm	

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