

## Optimice SOP - Plastic Cage Divider



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### Introduction

The Optimice cage divider allows the separation of animals within a cage. It is made of polycarbonate and stainless steel. Sterilize at 250 degree F (121 C) for 20 minutes. **Do not exceed either temperature or duration.**

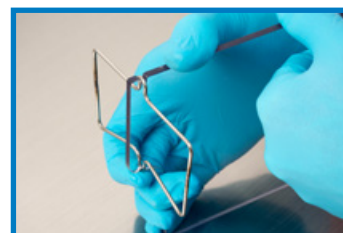
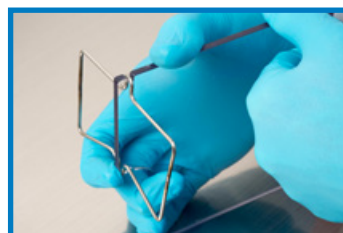
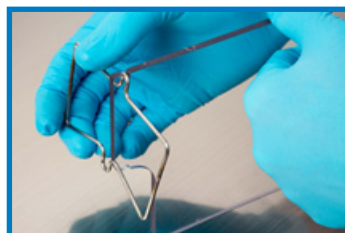
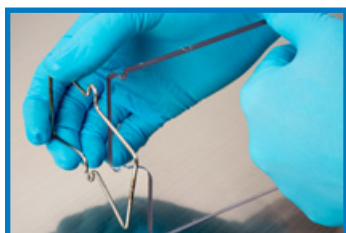
This procedure also covers dividers with social holes.

Wash the clips in an accessory basket, and the divider in a cage top rack.

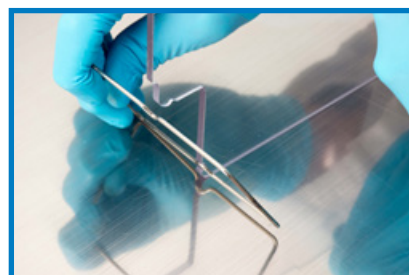
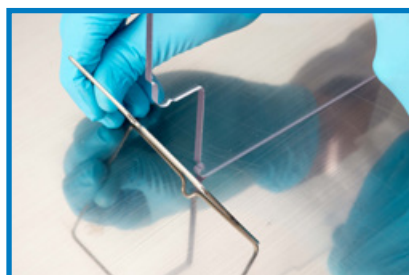


### Clip Installation

1. Snap the two cage divider clips onto the ends of the divider, as shown. Note that the rear clip with the inverted V shape installs over the portion of plastic in front of the divot. The rectangular front clip snaps into the cutout at the front of the cage divider from the inside.



Rear of Divider

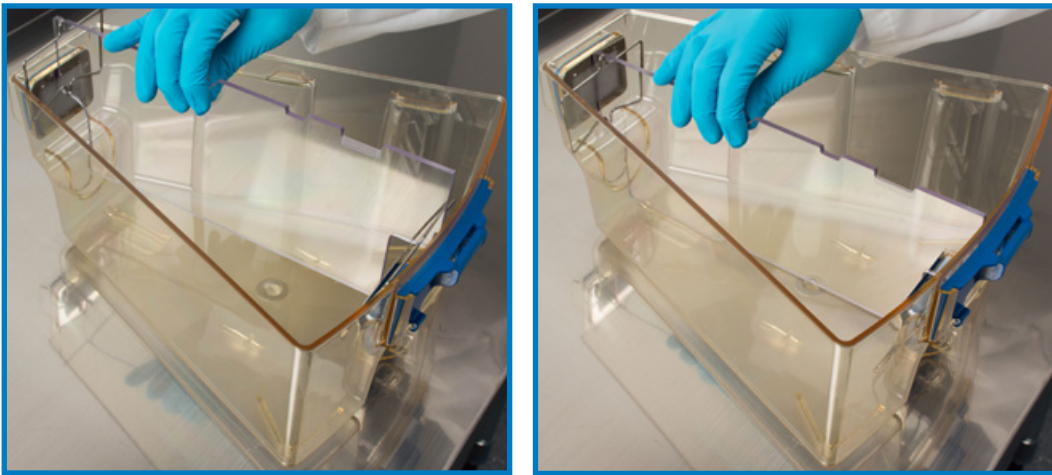


Front of Divider

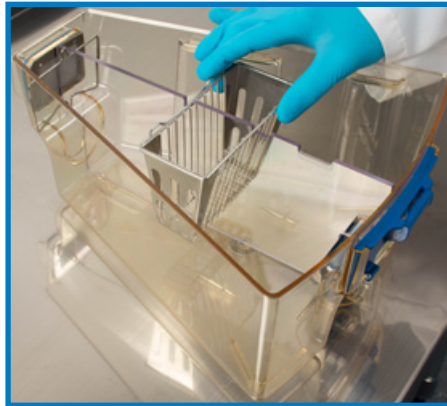
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## Cage, Feeder, and Bottles

1. Lower the assembled cage divider into the cage.



2. Rest the feeder on the divider's top edge so that the feeder hook faces the rear of the cage and interacts with the cutouts in the divider.



3. Hang one water bottle on the divider edge in front of the feeder and the other on the normal water bottle feature of the cage.

