



## babyLance<sup>™</sup> Safety heelstick

OBSTETRICS, GYNECOLOGY & NEONATAL Single-use safety heelstick that offers a smooth & accurate incision for blood draws for your most precious patients

# Designed for neonatal nurses... by neonatal nurses!

The babyLance<sup>™</sup> safety heelstick has earned worldwide popularity for its smooth and accurate incisions, ease of use, and safety features.



#### **Cut Comparison**



► babyLance™ The babyLance cut profile illustrates a gently arching incision that lacks a blunt puncture mark or inconsistent, jagged cut.  ITC Tenderfoot<sup>™1</sup> The ITC Tenderfoot cut profile illustrates an incision with a plunging, multi-angled puncture and a jagged, lopsided "W" pattern. (Trademark of International Technidyne Company)

A Family of Sizes

**Safety First** 

retracts after use.

A comprehensive offering of

incision depths designed to provide optimal amount of capillary blood

with the least amount of trauma.

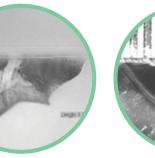
Reduce accidental sticks/cuts with

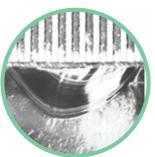
pre-loaded blade that automatically



Incision profile scales are enlarged for demonstration puposes only.







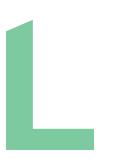
#### Reduced Trauma

babyLance follows CLSI-LA4-A5 guidelines; providing a smooth arching incision to reduce excessive trauma to the baby.

#### Precision Targeting

An easy to activate trigger, incision indicators, and grip dimples help prevent slipping in your hand.





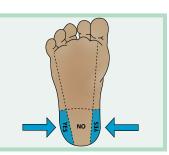


# babyLance<sup>™</sup> Quick Reference Guide

#### 1. Select incision site

Select incision site on lateral aspects of heel, taking care to avoid calcaneus. Clean incision area of heel with an antiseptic wipe. Allow skin to dry.

**TIP:** Refer to sizing chart (bottom right)



## 2. Break off safety tab

Break off trigger lock/safety tab.Do not pull back trigger until ready for use.

**TIP:** Safety tab can be removed by twisting



#### 3. Position blade slot

Position blade slot against heel with trigger facing away from user. Pull back trigger with index finger.

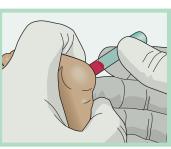
**TIP:** Place lancet flush on incision site. No downward force required. Do not rock device when activating trigger.

See Instructions for Use for full instructions, warnings, precautions and contraindications.

#### 4. Wipe away first droplet

Wipe away first droplet of blood. Collect desired quantity of blood. Discard babyLance according to established sharps requirements.

**TIP:** It is not recommended to milk/squeeze the heel



### Cut information

babyLance's proprietary internal spring activates the blade's swift pendulum action—delivering an ultra-smooth incision that complies with CLSI LA4-A5 guidelines to reduce trauma to an infant's delicate subcutaneous tissues.

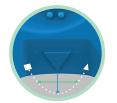
Color	Code	Indication*	Incision length <sup>1</sup>	Incision depth <sup>2</sup>
Yellow 😑	BLM	Less than 1000g, micropreemie	2.2 mm	0.60 mm
Pink 🔴	BLP	1000-2500g, preemie	3.0 mm	0.85 mm
Blue 🔵	BLN	2500g-9kg, birth-six months	3.0 mm	1.0 mm
*Pecommendation only use clinical judgement				

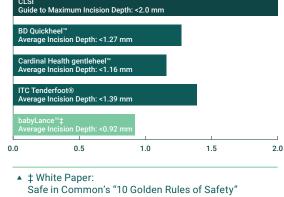
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### Measuring arching incision

The gently arching incision (white dotted line) is measured by the maximum length and the maximum depth.

- Blade width 3.0 mm (+/-0.5 mm )
- Blade thickness 0.15 mm (+/-0.2 mm)





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