BEFORE YOU USE THE MANNEQUIN:

- ALWAYS LIFT THE MANNEQUIN WITH THE GREY, PLASTIC BASE.
- MAKE SURE THE MODEL IS AT ROOM TEMPERATURE
- REMOVE RINGS OR OTHER METAL JEWELRY THAT COULD DAMAGE THE MODEL
- USE SURGICAL GLOVES DURING PROCEDURES
- BE SURE THAT INTERNAL SURFACES OF PELVIS AND FETAL HEAD OR FETAL MODEL ARE WELL LUBRICATED... WHEN YOU ARE LEARNING THE MODEL, THE MORE THE BETTER

LUBRICANT:

THE LUBRICANT IS IMPORTANT......

Water based, long lasting lubricants must be used with Model-med Mannequins. Ultrasound gel or petroleum based lubricants are not suitable. At our trainings and trade show demonstrations we use the Rite Aid or Walgreens equivalent of K-Y Jelly. Other lubricants are suitable however user must be certain lubricants do not contain petro chemicals and, are water based. Proper lubrication is critical to your success with these products. While you are learning... over-lubricate.

DURING THE PROCEDURE:

THIS IS A SIMULATION OF A PROCEDURE INVOLVING A REAL PERSON.... TREAT THE MODEL ACCORDINGLY..... GENTLY......

- WHEN SIMULATION IS IN PROCESS TAKE YOUR TIME. DO NOT FORCE THE PROCEDURE.
- WHEN USING FORCEPS MAKE SURE INSTRUMENT IS FREE OF BURRS OR OTHER FLAWS THAT COULD TEAR OR DAMAGE MANNEQUIN.
- \bullet MAKE SURE THE BLADES ARE WELL LUBRICATED DURING PROCEDURE AND RE-LUBRICATED PRIOR TO EACH ATTEMPT
- INSURE THAT MANNEQUIN REMAINS WELL LUBRICATED DURING SIMULATION.... LUBRICANTS WILL DRY AND THICKEN OVER A BRIEF PERIOD OF TIME. REFRESH LUBRICANT FREQUENTLY. KEEPING A SPRAY BOTTLE OF WARM WATER TO SPRAY INSIDE PELVIS MODEL WILL ALSO REFRESH WATER BASED LUBRICANTS.

AFTER THE PROCEDURE:

- THOROUGHLY CLEAN MODELS WITH WARM WATER AND MILD DETERGENT
- DO NOT COMPLETELY IMMERSE MANNEOUIN IN WATER... USE A MOIST TOWEL
- PAT DRY MODELS WITH A LINT FREE CLOTH....
- TRY A 'SHAM-WOW' FOR CLEANING AND DRYING
- ALLOW MANNEQUIN TO AIR DRY THEN DUST MANNEQUIN... INSIDE AND OUT ... WITH TALC.
- REMOVE EXCESS TALC FROM MODEL PRIOR TO STORAGE